

The Book of Mormon Outlined as Blocks of Text

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Nehor, invasion by dissenter Amlici at River Sidon (1-3) B. Alma the Younger regulates two churches (4-7) C. Theologically liberal Nehors kill converts (8-16) D. Mission of sons of Mosiah to theologically uncertain Lamanites (17-25) E. Summary: joy, contrition, forgiveness versus anger, judgment (26-29) D. Korihor as an insistent agnostic (30) C. Theologically conservative Zoramites expel converts (31-35) B. Alma the Younger regulates his three sons (36-42) A. Invasion by dissenter Zoramites at River Sidon (43-44) 	1 - 18 Judges	Alma 1-44		
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. <i>Day 1</i>: Christ appears at TEMPLE to multitude, selects Twelve disciples, baptism, no contention (11) B. Christ gives the Nephites more scripture: Sermon on the Mount (12-15a) C. Exposition on the covenant of scattering and gathering (15b-16) D. Christ tarries: blessing, fire, and the sacrament (17-18) D. <i>Day 2</i>: Christ returns: fire, blessing, and the sacrament (19-20a) C. Exposition on the covenant of scattering and gathering (20b-23a) B. Christ gives the Nephites more scripture: Malachi 3-4 (23b-26a) • <i>Day 3</i>: Remainder of Christ's personal ministry summarized (26b) A. <i>Later</i>: Christ appears to Twelve, name of Church, no contention, Three Nephites (27-28) • Mormon speaks to reader (29-30) 	34 - 35 AD	3 Ne 11-30		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fourth Nephi 	36 - 321	4 Ne		
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moroni's situation (1) • Church practices: ordinances and shepherding (2-6) A. Faith, hope, and charity; laying hold on every good thing (7) B. Decay within church: infant baptism of those not yet accountable (8) B. Decay within society: wickedness and accountability of Nephite nation (9) A. Faith, hope, and charity; gifts of the Spirit (10) 	400 - 421 AD	Moroni		
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