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To: Members of the Asia North Area

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

New Year Greetings from the Asia North Area Presidency

As 2019 draws to a close, we express our love and appreciation to each of you. As we travel throughout the Area and meet with you, we feel of your goodness and of your sincere testimonies and love for our Savior Jesus Christ. We are deeply grateful for your dedicated service to the Lord, and for the progress and miracles we have seen during the year. The year 2020 marks 200 years since the commencement of the Restoration of the gospel. What an exciting time to rejoice in the blessings of the restoration, and to follow the voice of living prophets and apostles who continue to receive revelation to guide us in our time. We invite everyone to **follow the prophet**.

In past years we have issued an Area Plan and distributed it to all members. The ABC plan was designed to simplify our lives and focus us on the Savior. We appreciate your support and efforts to understand and implement the area plans. We have seen many miracles as a result. However, this year we simply invite each of you to prayerfully consider what is most needful for each of you to **follow the prophet** individually and as families. We trust you to receive the revelation necessary to help you and your families become true followers of Jesus Christ and to find **enduring joy**.

We invite all individuals and families in the Area to follow the same process we are asking the children and youth to follow as they set goals and make plans for their personal development.

To help you get started, we have created an overview of the revelatory planning process and a brief summary of some of the key messages from our dear prophet and apostles. The document is enclosed for your reference. We hope it will be helpful to you as you set goals and make plans for the new year.

Also, please watch for a 2020 calendar titled, "Come Follow Me" that will feature recent quotes from our modern-day prophet and apostles to inspire us throughout the year.

May God bless you and your families as you seek inspiration and revelation to guide you on your personal journeys down the covenant path. We promise that you will find **enduring joy** as you seek to become true followers of Jesus Christ by **following the prophet**.

With love and appreciation.

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