

# We Thank Thee O God for a Prophet Find the Word

## How to Play:

- Pick your verse, I've included all 3 below, and then print the lyrics with blanks and keywords in color or black and white. Cut out all the keywords and then mix them up out of order. Put the lyrics posters in order up on the whiteboard and put all the keywords randomly around the sides.
- Sing through We Thank Thee O God for a Prophet once, before introducing this activity.
- Show the children the find the word challenge you've brought in today. Ask the children what do they notice? Oh, you're right, we're missing some of our words! Do you think you can help me find the words? Tell them to watch carefully while singing for the correct words for each blank.
- Do the first one together. Hum the first line of the song, "We thank thee O God...", this first one is easy! Who know what word we are missing there? Hint: It's in the title of the song!
- Sing through the song and have the kids pay attention to a word to fill into the blank. Have a helper come up and pick a word and add it to the missing spot. Sing through the song to check if they were right!
- Continue making your way through the song adding 1-2 keywords and checking for accuracy to build in lots of repetition with purpose.

## Extension Activities:

- Fill a plastic tote with a sensory object such as dry beans, rice, noodles, kinetic sand, or whatever else you have around the home. Cut out and laminate the keywords. Hide them in the sensory bin and let the kids dig to find and uncover the words! Make a connection that we must seek out the Prophet's words and actively trying to obey!
- Use the conference topics instead of the lyrics for a fun General Conference twist, or if your kids already know the lyrics, or if you're not focused on memorizing the words and want this activity to be more of an object lesson on what we can learn from the Prophets!
- Print only the keywords (not all the lyrics with the blanks) and have the Primary children arrange the keywords in the correct order. It will take them at least a few times through the verse to arrange, check, and double check that they have the correct order!
- Split the room into two groups. Have one side sing only the keywords and the other side sing the rest of the lyrics. Then swap. Which side can sing out their part the best? (A little competition goes a LONG way!!)
- Print out the verse title pages for any verses you are teaching (page 2, 15, 28). Then, print out the keywords. Scramble them up and have them sort them into the correct verse!
- Have the children put the lyrics pages with blanks in the correct order!

WE THANK  
THEE, O GOD,  
FOR A PRPOHET:  
VERSE 1

WE \_\_\_\_\_,  
O GOD, FOR A  
PROPHET TO  
\_\_\_\_\_ IN THESE  
LATTER DAYS.

WE THANK THEE  
FOR SENDING  
\_\_\_\_\_ TO  
LIGHTEN \_\_\_\_\_  
WITH ITS RAYS.

WE THANK THEE  
FOR EVERY

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BESTOWED BY THY  
HAND.

WE FEEL IT A  
PLEASURE TO

\_\_\_\_\_ AND

LOVE TO \_\_\_\_\_

THY COMMAND.

THANK THEE  
GUIDE US  
THE GOSPEL  
OUR MINDS  
BLESSING

BOUNTEOUS  
SERVE THEE  
OBEY



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GUIDE US  
THE GOSPEL  
OUR MINDS  
BLESSING

BOUNTEOUS  
SERVE THEE  
OBEY

THANK THEE  
GUIDE US  
THE GOSPEL  
OUR MINDS

EVERY BLESSING  
BOUNTEOUS  
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THE GOSPEL  
OUR MINDS

EVERY BLESSING  
BOUNTEOUS  
SERVE THEE  
OBEY

WE THANK  
THEE, O GOD,  
FOR A PROPHEET:  
VERSE 2

WHEN DARK  
CLOUDS OF \_\_\_\_\_  
HANG O'ER US AND  
THREATEN OUR  
\_\_\_\_\_ TO DESTROY



THERE IS HOPE  
\_\_\_\_\_ BRIGHTLY  
BEFORE US, AND  
WE KNOW THAT  
\_\_\_\_\_ IS NIGH.

WE DOUBT NOT  
THE LORD NOR HIS  
\_\_\_\_\_. WE'VE  
\_\_\_\_\_ IN DAYS  
THAT ARE PAST.

THE WICKED WHO

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ZION WILL  
SURELY BE

AT LAST.

TROUBLE  
PEACE  
SMILING  
DELIV'RANCE  
GOODNESS

PROVED HIM  
FIGHT AGAINST  
SMITTEN

TROUBLE  
PEACE  
SMILING  
DELIV'RANCE  
GOODNESS

PROVED HIM  
FIGHT AGAINST  
SMITTEN

TROUBLE  
PEACE  
SMILING  
DELIV'RANCE



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TROUBLE  
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SMILING  
DELIV'RANCE

GOODNESS  
PROVED HIM  
FIGHT AGAINST  
SMITTEN

WE THANK  
THEE, O GOD,  
FOR A PRPOHET:  
VERSE 3

WE'LL SING OF HIS  
GOODNESS AND  
\_\_\_\_\_. WE'LL  
\_\_\_\_\_ BY DAY  
AND BY NIGHT,

\_\_\_\_\_ IN  
HIS GLORIOUS  
GOSPEL, AND  
BASK IN ITS  
\_\_\_\_\_ LIGHT.

THUS ON  
TO ETERNAL

\_\_\_\_\_ THE

\_\_\_\_\_ AND

FAITHFUL WILL GO,

WHILE THEY WHO  
REJECT THIS GLAD  
\_\_\_\_\_ SHALL  
NEVER SUCH  
\_\_\_\_\_ KNOW.



MERCY  
PRAISE HIM  
REJOICE  
LIFE-GIVING  
PERFECTION

HONEST  
MESSAGE  
HAPPINESS

MERCY  
PRAISE HIM  
REJOICE  
LIFE-GIVING  
PERFECTION

HONEST  
MESSAGE  
HAPPINESS

MERCY  
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HONEST

MESSAGE

HAPPINESS

WE THANK  
THEE, O GOD,  
FOR A PROPHET:  
CONFERENCE TOPICS

FAMILY

ADVERSITY

TEMPLES

LOVE



OBEDIENCE

FAITH

COVENANTS

SECOND COMING

GATHER ISRAEL

REVELATION

REPENTANCE

JESUS CHRIST

FAMILY  
ADVERSITY  
TEMPLES  
LOVE

OBEDIENCE

FAITH

COVENANTS

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GATHER ISRAEL

REVELATION

REPENTANCE

JESUS CHRIST



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