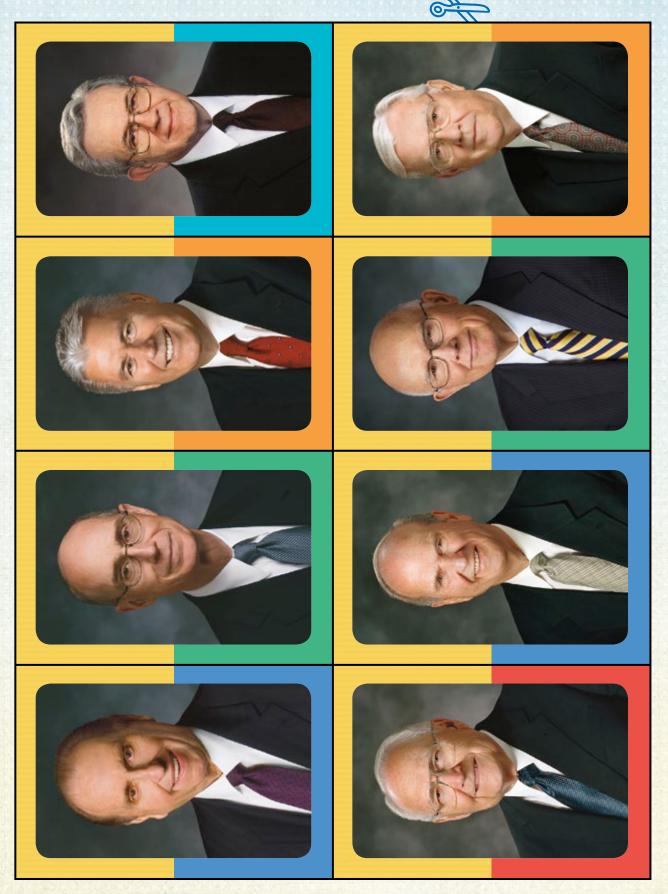
# Special Witness Cards

# Use these cards to learn more about the members of the First Presidency and the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles. You could also copy the cards and create a matching game. Print more copies at **friend.lds.org.** Laminate your cards or use contact paper.





# **President Boyd K. Packer**

President of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

 Overcame polio as Studied to become a child

a teacher

Likes to carve and paint wooden birds

### Fled with his family to retugees West Germany as war

- ls an airplane pilot
- Enjoys skiing with grandchildren his children and



## **Henry B. Eyring** President

First Counselor in the First Presidency

Second Counselor in the First Presidency

Dieter F. Uchtdorf President

- Played basketball in high school
- basement chalkboard his father on their Learned physics from
- Was president of BYU-Idaho Ricks College, now



### Thomas S. Monson President

Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints 16th President of The Church of

- Was called at the age of 22 to serve as many widows bishop of a ward with
- Worked in newspaper publishing and printing
- Was a mission president in Canada



Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

Elder M. Russell Ballard

- Was nicknamed "the standards because of his high bishop" in college
- Ran a car dealership
- Encourages members to be missionaries



## Elder Dallin H. Oaks

Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

- shop as a first job Cleaned a radio repair
- Became a lawyer and Utah Supreme Court judge
- Was president of BYU



# **Elder Russell M. Nelson**

Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

- Was a heart surgeon
- Served as a doctor in and Japan the U.S. Army in Korea
- Has 10 children—9 girls and I boy



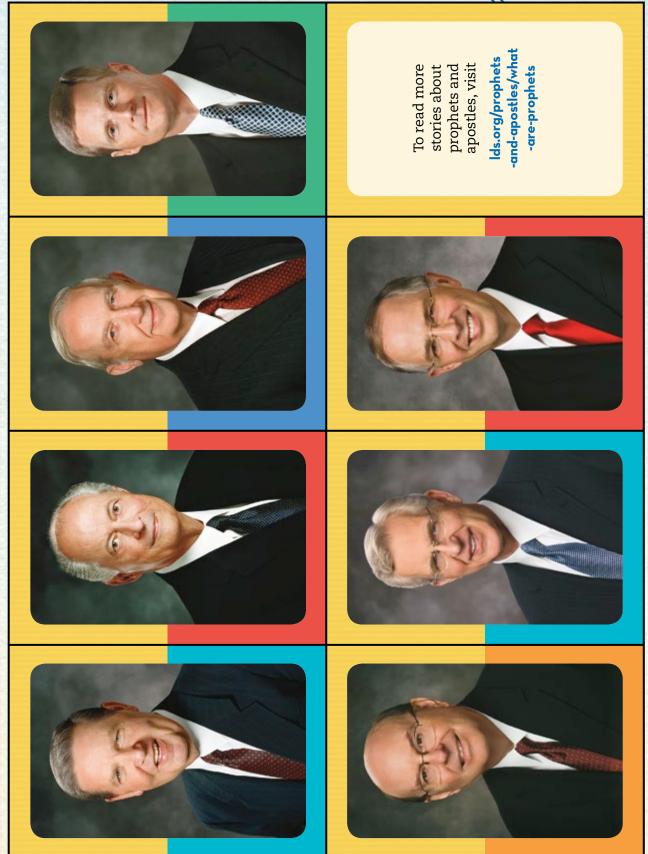
## Elder L. Tom Perry

Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

- friends to play tair As a boy, encouraged
- Helped rebuild at sports after World War II churches in Japan
- Asked his children to help time his talks









## Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles Elder David A. Bednar

member of the Church baptized his father a After serving a mission, his high school footbal Was a quarterback on



## Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles **Elder Richard G. Scott**

- Was raised by good parents who weren't active in the Church
- Uruguay Served a mission in
- submarine engineer Became a nuclear-

Was president of

BYU-Idaho Ricks College, now



## Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles **Elder Robert D. Hales**

- Grew up in New York Pitched for his school's
- in the United States Was a jet fighter pilot Air Force

baseball team



## Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles **Elder Jeffrey R. Holland**

- Was a mission companion with Elder Cook in England
- Worked for the Church Education System
- Was president of BYU





## Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles Elder Neil L. Andersen

Grew up on a dairy

- and mission president Served as a missionary tarm in Idaho
- Helped direct the launch of Mormon.org

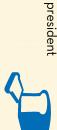
in France



# **Elder D. Todd Christofferson**

Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

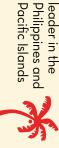
- Participated in the Hill Baked homemade growing up bread for his tamily
- Served a mission in Scott as his mission Argentina with Elder teenager Cumorah Pageant as a



# Elder Quentin L. Cook

Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

- Gained a testimony after praying with his older brother
- Was student-body Mary, as vice-president with his tuture wite, president in junior high,



Served as a Church