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# Palmyra New York,





# USA

Many significant events in the early days of the Restoration took place in and around Palmyra, beginning with the First Vision in a grove by the Smith family home (replica shown at left).

Acres of wooded land that the Smith family purchased in 1817



100,000

People visit the Sacred Grove each year

From the Smith home to the Hill Cumorah



5,000

First-edition copies of the Book of Mormon printed at the Grandin Print Shop in Palmyra

Members when the Church was officially organized in Fayette, New York, 30 miles (48 km) from Palmyra



**1820** The First Vision

**1823** Angel Moroni visits Joseph Smith

**1830** Book of Mormon published; Church officially organized on April 6

**2000** Palmyra New York Temple dedicated on April 6



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