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# Scriptural Body Mix-Ups

Your sneaky seminary teacher wants to see how well you can identify the correct body parts from these scriptural passages. The **bolded** body parts have been mixed up. Look up the verses if you get stuck.

1. "The light of the body is the **heart**" (Luke 11:34).

Should be:

 "Behold, O Lord; for I am in distress: my **feet** are troubled" (Lamentations 1:20).

Should be:

 "Lord, I have trusted in thee, and I will trust in thee forever. I will not put my trust in the ear of flesh" (2 Nephi 4:34).

Should be:

4. "Therefore, let every man stand in his own office, and labor in his own calling; and let not the head say unto the **bowels** it hath no need of the **bowels**" (Doctrine and Covenants 84:109).

Should be:

5. "A new **arm** also will I give you, and a new spirit will I put within you" (Ezekiel 36:26).

**Should be :** \_\_\_\_\_\_

6. "Yea, and thou heardest not; yea, thou knewest not; yea, from that time thine **mouth** was not opened" (1 Nephi 20:8).

Should be:

 "In the **eye** of two or three witnesses shall every word be established" (2 Corinthians 13:1).

**Should be : \_\_\_\_\_** 

HE/ FEET MOUTH

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EAR ARM BOWELS If our bodies are temples, then technically we're doing temple work, right?



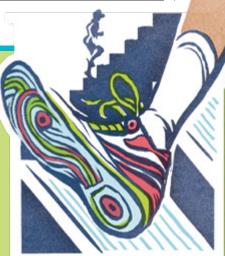


# Stair Challenge

When these five deacons heard how President Russell M. Nelson climbs stairs two at a time, they decided to start jogging stairs at their school's bleachers. Can you figure out how many stair flights each deacon could do that first Saturday morning?

# **CLUES:**

- **1.** Jian did six more flights of stairs than Mason.
- **2.** Garret did two more flights than Jian.
- **3.** Mason did half as many flights as Hector.
- **4.** No two friends did the same number of flights.



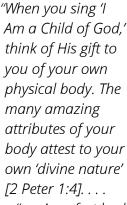
## # of Flights of Stairs

	2	4	6	8	10
Garret					
Hector					
Jian					
Mason					
Sam					

### NOTE

 See Sarah Jane Weaver, "Get to Know President Russell M. Nelson, a Renaissance Man," Jan. 16, 2018, news.ChurchofJesusChrist.org.

# What do I do if I don't like my body?



"... A perfect body *is not required to* achieve a divine destiny. In fact, some of the sweetest spirits are housed in frail frames."

President Russell M. Nelson, "Your Body: A Magnificent Gift to Cherish," New Era, Aug. 2019, 4, 5.



# Accept Your Body

Accept your body for what it is instead of what it's not. Every time I look at myself in the mirror, I say,

"Heavenly Father, I'm grateful with the progress You're making with me."

Temperance B., 18, Victoria, Australia

# Take Care of It

I take care of my body by exercising and eating healthy. Taking care of my body makes me more grateful for it. When I take care of the temple that Heavenly Father has blessed me with, my mood shifts and I better recognize and appreciate the wonderful blessing of having a body created by God.

Camille A., 16, Florida, USA



# Think about It as a Temple

Think about how your body is a temple (see 1 Corinthians 3) and also

that the Lord looks on the heart (see 1 Samuel 16), not on the body!

Vico W., 17, North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany

# Remember You Are Loved

My friend struggled because he worried about what others think of him, and he lost his self-respect. What helped him the most was remembering that God, his friends, and his family were all there to love and support him.

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