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**1999 Sunstone Symposium.** 1999 marks the silver anniversary of the Sunstone Foundation, and its annual symposium will be held at the Salt Palace in Salt Lake City on 14-17 July 1999. Proposals now being accepted. Contact Sunstone to be on the preliminary program mailing list (343 N. Third West, Salt Lake City, UT 84103; 801/355-5926; fax 801/355-4043; <SunstoneUT@aol.com>).

## THE MORMON UNIVERSE

The **Association for Mormon Letters** has begun publishing Irrantum, a magazine that "explores literature by and about Mormons." The magazine is to be published three times per year, with issues in March, June, and September. Subscriptions are currently available only to members of the association. To join, send a \$15 check payable to the AML to treasurer Henry Miles, 1925 Terrace Drive, Orem, UT 84097. A sample copy of Irrantum may also be obtained by sending \$2 to Irrantum, P.O. Box 50883, Provo, UT 84605. The magazine's e-mail address is <irreant@cs.com>.

**Evergreen International**, a support group for those wishing to overcome homosexuality while remaining faithful to the LDS church, opened a San Francisco Bay Area chapter in April 1999. The Evergreen program includes a weekly class, group support sessions, and other regularly scheduled activities. For more information, contact: Bay Area Evergreen, P.O. Box 731, Brisbane, CA 94005 (415/334-5827; <bayareaevergreen@hotmail.com>).

Similarly—but different—**Affirmation**, an organization for gay- and lesbian-identified Mormons, will hold its annual conference on 8-10 October 1999, in Lake Tahoe, California. For information, visit the group's website at <www.affirmation.org/conf99info.htm>.

The **Mormon History Association** will hold its annual conference in Denmark, 24 June-2 July 2000. The theme will be "Mormonism in Continental Europe: Commemorating 150 Years." Further information is available on the MHA website at <www.mhahome.org>.

**Quincy, Illinois**, the town that offered hospitality to the Latter-day Saints in 1839 after they had been driven from Missouri, and the town that the *Times and Seasons* said would "be held in everlasting remembrance for their [the Quincy citizens'] unparalleled liberality," will hold a 160-year-anniversary party for its welcoming the Mormons. Chuck Scholz, current mayor of the town, has planned a Quincy Heritage Celebration to be held 24 July 1999 in which historical events will be reenacted. For information, call 1-800/453-0022, extension 15.

A Spanish language mailing list has been created for sharing the gospel. The name is **mormon-spanish**. The list is semi-moderated—all posts will be reviewed before being sent to the list. Messages must be in Spanish and discuss the gospel. Arguing is not allowed. To subscribe, send a blank e-mail message to <mormon-spanish-subscribe@makelist.com>.

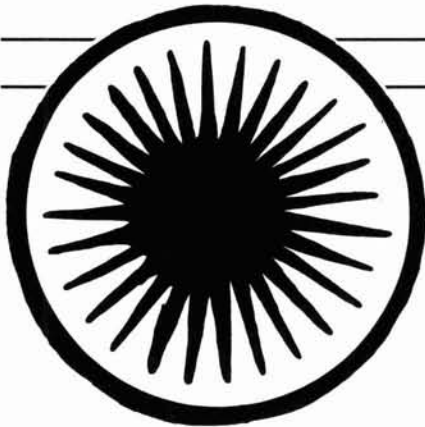
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