

Last Days Experiences – Card 3

Taken from a message given by Karl Anderson, Knob Noster Restoration Branch 2-23-2020

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Can you see the parallels? I can't begin to tell you the parallels...It was on the USS Missouri that the treaty ending the war was signed and it being re-commissioned for one final battle before being dry-docked and being prepared to be a representation of its faithful service. Of all the Iowa class battleships, the Missouri was chosen to be the museum.

Why is it docked today? Why was it de-commissioned? The church needs a faithful crew to return her to a safe harbor, and to moor her tightly and prepare her to be a monument of God's faithfulness... **The church today needs a faithful crew to bring it to safe harbor and to moor it for the coming storm and the great crises that is just before her. To understand that, you will have to pray about it...I want you to think about this message and pray about it. Is the ship safely moored? And are you prepared to batten down the hatches for the great storm that is just before you?**

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