

2. “Mormon’s Map”

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| 1. waters of Ripliancum | 15. hill north of Shilom |
| 2. limit of Nephite retreat | 16. mount Antipas |
| 3. Shiz’s death; plates left | 17. place Onidah |
| 4. hill Shim | 18. wilderness on the west of the
land Zarahemla |
| 5. narrow pass or passage | 19. wilderness on the west of the
land of Nephi |
| 6. Hagoth’s shipbuilding site | 20. Lamanite king’s land |
| 7. Moroni ₁ ’s camp | 21. land of the first inheritance |
| 8. Nephites’ refuge between the land
Bountiful and the land of Zarahemla
(see 3 Nephi 3.23, 25) | 22. wilderness (see Alma 43.22) |
| 9. hill Onidah | 23. mountain pass (twice) |
| 10. hill Amnihu | 24. Hagoth’s likely destination |
| 11. hill Riplah | 25. wilderness of Hermounts |
| 12. valley of Alma | 26. “line” between Desolation
and Bountiful |
| 13. dispersal point of the sons of Mosiah ₂ | 27. defense “line” |
| 14. waters of Mormon | |

- settlement
- land, no city mentioned
- ⎵ mountain pass
- ≡ swamp

River tributaries illustrative only.

Darker area indicates higher elevation.

*This reconstruction of Book of Mormon lands is taken from John L. Sorenson, Mormon’s Map, courtesy of the Neal A. Maxwell Institute for Religious Scholarship. It offers one of the most plausible and influential arrangements of Nephite and Lamanite geographical features based on all the information in the text. For an alternative map that is similarly based on the internal geographical references in the text, produced by a team at Brigham Young University, see <http://virtuascriptures.org/book-of-mormon-map/>. For a detailed analysis of the considerations that go into such maps, see John E. Clark, “Revisiting ‘A Key for Evaluating Book of Mormon Geographies,’” *Mormon Studies Review* 23, no. 1 (2011): 13–43.*

