## Dan Jones, Welshman: Taking the Gospel Home

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Born to a lead-mining family in Halkyn, Denbighshire, Dan Jones encountered the 'Mormon' church [the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints] while working as a steamboat captain on the Mississippi river. While this may seem like an unlikely transition, more surprisingly he became a missionary for that church to his native Wales - twice, returning to America each time with hundreds of converts to the new faith. The book which relates the story of his now-legendary missionary work can be found at:

https://www.churchofjesuschrist.org/study/ensign/1987/04/da n-jones-welshman-taking-the-gospel-home?lang=eng