

JANET STAINTON

"PUT IT TO THE TEST"

(Saturday Session 2)

Janet is from Yorkshire in England and is married to Geoff. They have 5 sons, 4 of whom have served Missions with the youngest keen to serve when he is of age. She is also the grandmother to two beautiful grandsons.

Janet is currently living in Guangzhou, China and is serving as the District Relief Society President. Her previous callings have included serving at both Ward, Stake and Area level in Young Women's, Activities, Primary and as one of the first Public Affairs representatives in the UK. She also taught Seminary for 6 years and was invited to be one of only 2 non-CES teachers at the first EFY programme held in the UK at Manchester University.

Service outside of the Church has included Chair of Governors of the local school and Chair of the city Youth Offenders Team set up to encourage young people to face the victims of their crimes, witness the impact of their actions on these victims and contract to offer restitution through service and counseling.

Janet is a trained dancer and particularly loves ballroom dancing. Although now more of a spectator than a participant, sport has been an important part of her life, achieving success at the All-British Athletics championships of the Church as well as in Netball, Basketball and Volleyball.

Janet is currently teaching Kindergarten in China.