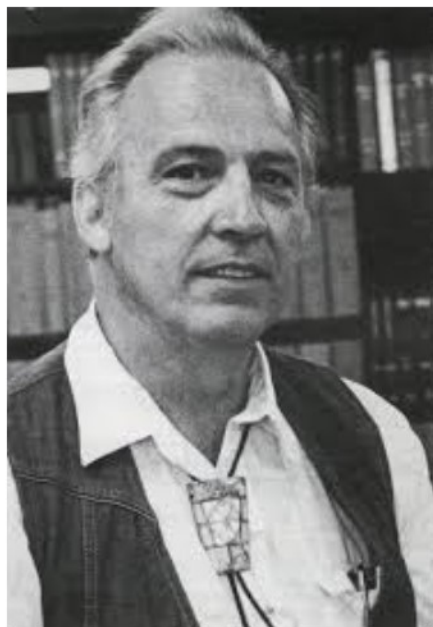




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Stanley B. Kimball, a noted historian of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, was a professor of history at Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville for over 40 years.

Kimball received B.A. and M.A. degrees from the University of Denver and his doctorate in East Central European History from Columbia University. He was a prolific author of books and articles on Latter-day Saints history and the Mormon Trail.

A founding member of the Mormon Trail Association, Kimball compiled a Historic Resource Study for the National Park Service. He received the Department of the Interior Outdoor Recreation Achievement Award and a Special Commendation for his work on the Mormon Pioneer Historic Trail.

He served as President of the Mormon History Association in 1984 and received the Grace Arrington Award for Mormon History Excellence in 1992. *Heber C. Kimball: Mormon Patriarch and Pioneer*, his biography of his great-great grandfather, received the association's Best Book Award in 1982.

Kimball's other books include *111 Days to Zion: The Day-by-Day Trek of the Mormon Pioneers*, co-authored with Hal Knight; *Historic Sites and Markers Along the Mormon and Other Great Western Trails*; and *Discovering Mormon Trails: New York to California 1831-1868*. He was also coauthor with R. Don Oscarson of *The Travelers' Guide to Historic Mormon America*.

Biography

- Born 1926, Farmington, Utah
- Died 2003, St. George, Utah
- Married: Violet M. Tew, 1953

Achievements

- Noted historian of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints
- Professor of History at Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville
- Honored by the National Park Service for his work on the Mormon Pioneer Historic Trail