

# What if the Book of Mormon had been written by Dr. Seuss?

A hilarious rendition of the First Book of Nephi in "Green Eggs and Ham" format.

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Nephi: Of goodly parents I was born  
I've never drunk, I've never sworn  
This is Lehi, he's my dad  
Laman, Lemuel, they are bad  
And who is this? Why this is Sam  
Yes, this is Sam;

Sam: Sam, I am

Laman: That Sam I am, that Sam I am  
I do not like that Sam I am

Sam: In a tent, my father dwelt

Laman: And it's so hot, I think I'll melt

Lemuel: Our father's brain is out of whack

Laman: Yeah, it's too hot, I'm going back

Lehi: Then go and get the plates my dear

Laman: On second thought, I'm staying here

Nephi: You said you'd leave and go away  
Now all you want to do is stay?

Lemuel: That Nephi always gets his way

Laman: Here we are in this damp cave

Sam: We would not be here if you'd behave

Nephi: I will go and I will do  
There's the angel, that's my cue  
Laban's had too much to drink  
Now he'll lose his head, I think

Nephi: Look what I found, a brother from the quorum

Sam: We will take him home, we will call him Zoram

Lemuel: Oh great, another pathetic life form

Laman: Our gold and silver we have spent  
I do not like it in this tent

Lemuel: I cannot read the Liahona  
I must have drunk too much Corona

Laman: We hate it here, we have no lives

Lehi: Then go back to the city and get some wives

Lehi: A tree, a tree, I see a tree  
The fruit is white, the fruit is free  
A floating building, could it be?  
Why do they laugh and stare at me?

Laman, Lemuel, come and see

Laman: We will not eat your precious fruit

Lemuel: We will not wear a tie and suit

Laman: We will not help you build your boat

Lemuel: We do not think that it will float

Laman: No not this boat, it will not float  
Not even in a shallow moat  
I do not care what Nephi wrote

Lemuel: We will not eat your fruit I say

Laman: We will not eat it on a tray

Lemuel: And we won't eat it in a tent  
Not even if your clothes you rent

Laman: We'd rather have a can of spam  
L & L: We will not eat it, Sam I am

Sam: You do not like it, so you say  
Try it, try it, and you may  
Try it and you may I say

Laman: Sam, if you will let us be,  
We will try it, you will see

L & L: Say, we like this fruit of life  
Sorry that we caused such strife  
You've saved us from an awful jam  
Thank you, thank you, Sam I am