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Indian-born apologist Ravi Zacharias has reportedly become the first evangelical invited to speak in the Mormon Tabernacle since Brigham Young extended an invitation to Dwight L. Moody in 1871. His November 14 message will be "Who is the Truth? Defending Jesus Christ as the Way, the Truth, and the Life." There's no word if he will address differences between Mormon and Protestant Christologies.

In any case, says Brigham Young University religion professor Robert Millet, Zacharias's invitation is a huge step for the Mormon church. "It represents tremendous graciousness on the part of the First Presidency in being willing to open the Tabernacle to a man of his stature who is of another faith," he told the News. "It's an effort to build goodwill and bridges of understanding between two vital faith communities."