



## Common Heritage Survey

I'm with a local church and we're out here surveying fellow Canadians about our common heritage for Canada 150. Can we chat? We'll even give you one of <these> cool Christian souvenirs!

First name? \_\_\_\_\_

Can I also email you a street level radio show so you can hear what other Canadians had to share?

Email? \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know the big "S" word that means: 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary or it's celebration? A: Sesquicentennial. Can you say that 5 times fast? Just kidding!☺

Do you believe it's important to know our history and share it with others?

A: Well, that's why we're out here today!

On what date did Canada officially become a country? A: July 1<sup>st</sup>, 1867

Do you know what our country was first called? A: Dominion of Canada

Bonus Question! What was Canada Day first called? A: Until 1982 it was called Dominion Day

Any idea who or where this concept of "Dominion" comes from in Canadian history?

Do you know <show front of tract> this man? A: His name is Samuel Leonard Tilley. Heard of him?

Well, Tilley was a father of Confederation and a Christian who read Psalm 72:8 in the Bible and then pressed the other fathers with "Dominion of Canada" for our country's name and "He shall have dominion also from sea to sea" for our country's motto.

Here's are the last survey questions: Do you have any idea on why this concept of "dominion" was so important to Tilley and to the other fathers of Confederation?

Can I take a minute to share why from his Christian perspective? <Read back of Gospel tract>

Have you heard that history and message before? Does it make sense?

Do you have a copy of the Bible at home? Can I give you one as a gift?

<Give: Bible, church invite, prayer, etc.>

You've been very kind to talk today. May God bless you for Canada 150!