

A Peculiar People

5. My Mission Call

(With apologies to Newel Kay Brown)

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I just re - ceived my mis - sion

call; I'm leav - ing ear - ly in the fall. I've

wait - ed for this day to — come. My heart is full

My

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I've worked and saved, and stud - ied hard. *slower*

head is numb. A - gainst temp - ta - tion

rit. I've stood guard. *a tempo* But some - times it's so hard to wait, Es -

pec - cial - ly when I am near - ly six - ty eight!