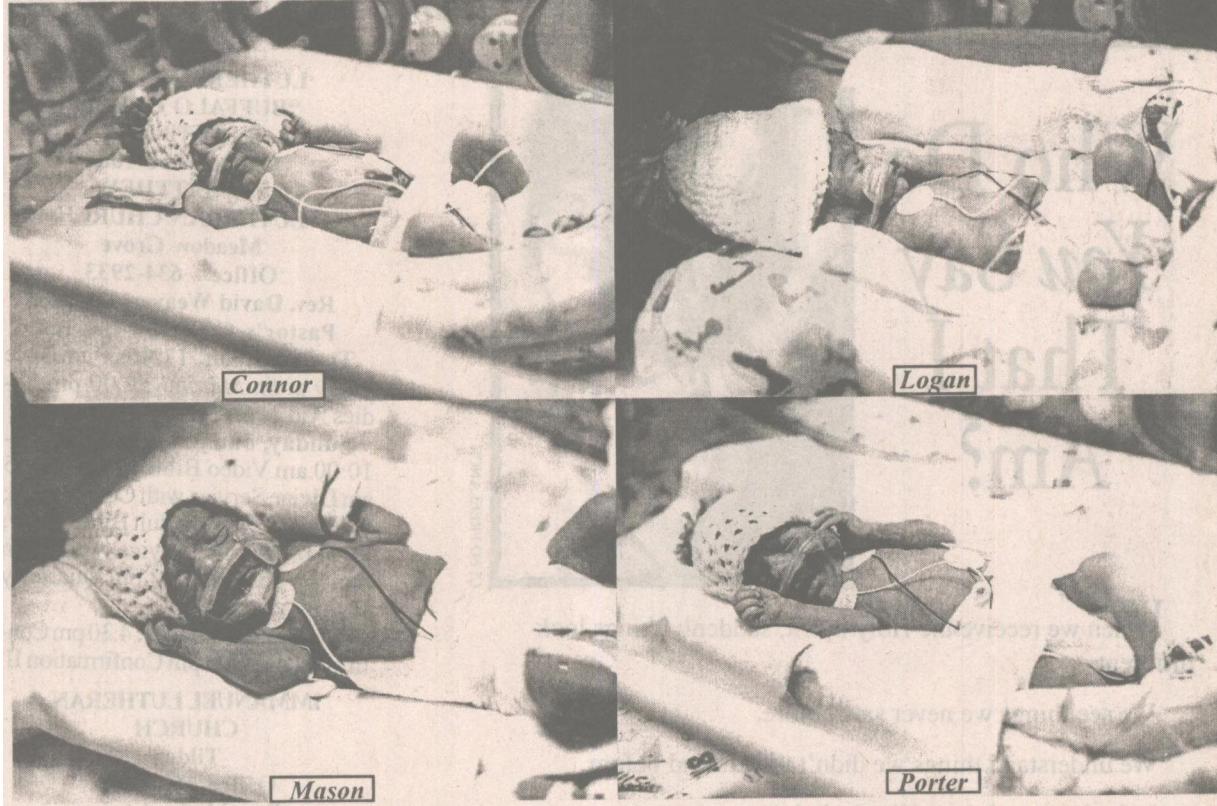


Lucas And Sabrina Negus Enjoying New Bundles Of Joy



Methodist Women's Hospital proudly welcomed its first set of quadruplets since opening its doors in June of 2010.

The four newest residents of Tilden were born on Tuesday, January 8, 2013 by scheduled c-section at 31 weeks gestation. Sabrina and Lucas Negus welcomed Logan David at 9:28 a.m., Mason James at 9:29 a.m., Porter Jay at 9:30 a.m. and Connor John at 9:31 a.m.

Prior to the delivery, Sabrina spent 11 weeks in the High-Risk Obstetrics unit at Methodist Women's Hospital under the care of Todd Lovgren, M.D. and perinatologist.

The identical triplets and fraternal sibling are the first set of quadruplets to be born in Omaha since 2010. That set also delivered at Methodist Hospital at the 84th Street Campus.

"It is nice to have healthy babies," Sabrina Negus said. "It was a scary and stressful pregnancy. It was one that had its ups and downs, but when we heard them crying at the delivery – it was a very good sound."

To say Sabrina's pregnancy was special, three identical triplets and a singleton, would be a bit of an understatement.

"Sabrina's pregnancy was one in a million," Dr. Lovgren said. "In fact there have been fewer than 100 pregnancies of this type reported in the United States."

Sabrina and Lucas are anxious to get the boys home and begin to enjoy being parents. The boys will likely remain in the NICU for up to six to eight weeks.

"We spent so much time being scared, it has been hard to look for-

ward," Sabrina said. "But now they are here we are excited. We know we have a long road ahead of us, and we just want to make sure each of the boys feels special – without them feeling too special!"

Sabrina and Lucas also thanked the staff at Methodist Women's Hospital for the care they have received and the care being shown to their boys.

Quadruplets in Omaha

-First set of quadruplets born at Methodist Women's Hospital since its opening in June of 2010.

-The last set of quadruplets was born in Omaha in June 2010. They were born at the Methodist Hospital 84th Street campus.

Proud grandparents are Dave and Cathy Negus, Tilden; Dennis and Petra Rust from Newton, Utah, and great-grandmother is Arline Rust of Logan, Utah.