

The Liberation of the Spiritual World

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THE title of Father's speech today, the thirty-third Children's Day, is "The Liberation of the Spiritual World." The connection between the spiritual world and the physical world has been established. The spiritual and physical worlds and all countries should unite into one.

On such a foundation today, Mother will give the seventh speech in America for the restoration of the worldwide family level moral and ethical revival. Kodiak is the center of both east and west, and north and south. Celebrating Children's Day here in Kodiak is very significant.

The content of Father's speech today is, first, the unification of the spiritual world and the physical world; second, the unification of parents; and, third, the unification of children centering on Jesus. This means heaven and earth are united into one.

This thirty-third Children's Day represents Jesus' thirty-three years and his victorious family-nation base. Father proclaims that the entire earth is united into one, a new ideal nation-world. Through Father's declaration, the confusion of the family and the world will be cleared up. They will be arranged clearly on the heavenly side. Winter has passed and a new spring atmosphere has arrived, bringing new buds and new sprouts.

Mother's tour

Mother spoke first in Korea, Japan and America and restored the elder sonships, so the European countries will automatically follow.

After the Second World War, the Eve country England, the Abel country America, and the Cain country

France were to have established a heavenly victorious position, but they could not accomplish it. Those three countries were supposed to connect with Father, but did not. So a new Eve nation, Japan, was chosen with America as the Abel nation and Germany as the Cain nation. Other countries cannot be chosen in their place.

Mother will visit and unite the four countries—France, England, Italy and Germany—into one. Through these representative countries, all countries will be included conditionally. For forty years Father has always prayed for the seven providential countries: Korea, Japan, America, Germany, England, France, and Italy. Among those seven countries, Korea, Japan and America represent heaven. The other four countries represent the earth. If Korea, Japan and America—Adam, Eve, and the archangel—unite together, the other countries will follow and everything will be accomplished.

Missionaries and one language

Today is a glorious day in heaven and on earth, because



Father, Mother and (l. to r.)—Jeung Jin Nim, Sun Jin Nim, Yeon Jin Nim— fishing off Cape Chiniak, Alaska, where they caught three king salmon.

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missionaries from all over the world are meeting here, centering on True Parents. Father declared that all levels are following the heavenly side. With Father's declaration of the liberation of the individual and the family levels, the liberation of the nation now develops. "Nation" means the unification of North and South Korea first then east and west unification will follow. After that, the whole world will become liberated, and, eventually, the cosmos will be one. All types of fallen behavior in the family will be indemnified worldwide, and then we will have a new start. We need to pray in this manner.

With Father's declaration today, the condition has been made through which all levels of the conditions centering on True Parents have been accomplished. All kinds of conditions have been indemnified through this declaration.

In number five of our pledge are the words "one sovereignty . . . one language." We need to have one language. As you know, many national leaders are coming to the Sung Hwa University to learn Korean. All missionaries should speak Korean. You need to make a determination to practice Korean, to show an example to your members. In the pledge, we solemnly pledge to God that we will make one sovereignty, one people, one nation, and eventually one language. We swear it, so we must do it. If we pledge but do not accomplish this purpose on earth, then we cannot go to the heavenly prepared world.

These four conditions are the most important: sovereignty, people, land and language. Why is language fourth? Because if there is no language, True Parents' heart cannot be communicated to us. Even among brothers and sisters we cannot communicate with each other. The world was made like this by Satan. We must overcome it. Father will give you three more years to learn Korean. If we make one language, Korean, then the whole worldwide providence will have one solemn direction.

Now we have many international marriages. Your children should also have international marriages. Will you pass on to your children the lack of understanding of True Parents' heart which results from not speaking Korean? We must learn Korean. Whether or not you study Korean will determine if you are in the mainstream of the will.

Heavenly royal families

Originally, we were royal people, and there was a king. Yesterday Father mentioned very clearly that we restore the elder sonship first; second, parentship; and, third, kingship. Eventually everyone will come back to a royal family. Only royal families can go to the heavenly kingdom. Everywhere in the



Father cuts the cake at the Children's Day celebration in Kodiak, Alaska as Shin Won Nim (l.), and Shin Gil Nim (middle) lend their support.

world we must prepare people to go to the heavenly kingdom.

We need to be real royal families, attending the real king and queen—which is True Parents. Do you understand what the royal family is? Please remember we are restoring elder sonship, then parents, then kingship and, finally, restoring the royal family.

Because of Adam's problems, True Parents had to make indemnity conditions. Father made many conditions already, centering on True Parents' family. Now is the time when we can do these things without any satanic obstacle.

Establishing an ideal family means accomplishing the purpose of creation—which means there is no worry or anxiety for Heavenly Father. As a result of the fall, we have to make some indemnity conditions to receive the Messiah. Centering on the Messiah, this world will become a peaceful, heavenly world.

Unification of the spiritual and physical worlds

Centering on True Parents, God wants to connect with the world. God's original ideal must come down to Satan's domain. This is very difficult for God. Religious leaders' purpose is to create the original base for Eve's foundation and the archangel's foundation. Upon that foundation, Father comes. Through the spiritual foundation established God comes down and the physical world comes up, combining spiritually. The spiritual world and physical world can be connected centering on True Parents. Between the spiritual world and the physical world is Satan.

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To make a condition to restore the whole world, God and True Parents have gone a difficult indemnity course. All of the complicated situations are now overcome.

October is the month when everything should be accomplished. We receive True Parents' heart and then we follow Mother, especially on the European tour. If we finish, then everything will be okay. In the outside world it will be more and more complicated, so we need to unite more closely with each other. We should unite into one so no one can divide us.

Even though the outside world is declining, the main point is whether we are united with True Parents. The secular world attacks us because True Parents, centering on God, suffered such a long time and created such a foundation of suffering.

A new start is declared

Today Father declared a new start. Gathered here are ninety-one people representing seventy-two countries. Centering on Jesus' seventy-two disciples, we need to go to one hundred and twenty big cities and offer these cities to God. This is our job. It is not an accident that Mother is speaking at this time and that we here represent seventy-two countries; it is very providential.

Father declared the unification of the heavenly world and the earthly world today. Now the secular humanistic society and the satanic world will decline quickly. We should be the best patriots. For example, when a German missionary goes to Cameroon, he is a Cameroonian, not a German. We must have that attitude. In the satanic system the country of origin controls the person, but on the heavenly side, the best German becomes a Cameroonian. We should set a good example and not just dominate people. Until now, in the outside world, the

missionary's home country—i.e., Germany—has controlled the missionary, but from now on it will not be so. The missionary is Cameroonian in the kingship and elder sonship position.

New educational system

We need a new educational system combining spiritual education and physical education centering on True Parents. The instructor for spiritual education should be in communication with the spiritual world. There are many spiritualists who should be publicly recognized, centering on True Parents' idea. From one hundred and twenty spiritualists, we choose seventy, then twelve, and then one. Centering on that main spiritualist, each level unites until the whole country is united spiritually. In this manner all people will be very near the spiritual world.

If there is one person in a village who is doing something bad, the spiritualist prophet will see that. The spiritual leader can call the physical society leader and share his information; the person will be guided in the proper manner. So in the future, we will not need a police system. We will follow the heavenly way with everything centering on spiritual insight.

Live for the sake of others

Everything will change completely if we center on true love and live for the sake of others. Love flows down to create a balance, just as high atmospheric pressure goes toward the low pressure area and water flows downhill. If one village is very rich and another is very poor, then heartistically wealth is already designed to flow down to make a balance. It is the same in the spiritual world.

Why should we live our lives for the sake of others? Actually, it is for one's own happiness. To live for others is to survive. It is like breathing. If you continually exhale, can you survive? You must inhale. If you exhale fully, then inhalation is automatic. If you continue to inhale, you must also continue to exhale.

If your family or your tribe is very rich, it must share those riches with other people. What about knowledge? America has a lot of specialized knowledge. They never let this knowledge go to other countries. They want to hide it. Will they share this knowledge with other countries or will they enjoy it by themselves? America must teach this knowledge to poor, underdeveloped countries, otherwise it is like only inhaling, which leads to death. Through such a course will come about one world.

Return to the heavenly place

The place we should go and change completely is the place which the whole world dislikes the most. All of Satan's side must change eventually and come to True Parents. Satan dislikes the



After the Children's Day sermon, on the boat deck at the fish processing plant in Kodiak, Alaska, Father spies a fifteen hundred pound sea lion. It came closer as Father and Shin Won Nim and Shin Gil Nim [not pictured] fed it small fish until it was just a few feet away.



Father with Young Jin Nim sitting next to him and his first cousins, Young Gi Moon (back l.) and Young Sun Moon (back r.), in the stern of the boat.

heavenly place most. True Parents, centering on God, must return all historical people to the original heavenly place.

The whole world dislikes the Unification Church lifestyle. If Father came here and enjoyed life, no one would persecute him. There would have been no Danbury providence, no persecution. Through Danbury and the persecution, Father has already turned this country toward the heavenly way. We need to educate people to return to the heavenly side. The miserable, secular world is going in a different direction. We should go down to the bottom of hell and take people up to the heavenly side. That is our mission. We cannot just rest, eat good food and sleep; that is what a thief does.

For example, some Koreans do not like the suffering of Korean life, so they want to go to other countries as a missionary. Father is watching whether they want to increase themselves. That is the attitude of a thief or a parasite. Only good members need to go to Africa as missionaries to save Africa, because Africa is very difficult.

Establishing kingship

Korea and Japan are very good in everything; Americans are far behind. Originally, Americans had responsibility as the archangel country. Originally, the Adam country Korea and the Eve country Japan needed to go back to hometown and the archangel country America needed to go to Europe. The archangel position people need to restore this world, so Father is thinking to exchange American leaders with the missionaries. If you do not fulfill your responsibility, you cannot return to your country.

When you return, you must have established kingship of the mission country. The people of that country must recognize you in that position. When diplomats go to another country, they cannot steal anything from that country. From that viewpoint, Father raised you and looked after you for seventeen years. We need this type of person. "Missionary" means we have that kingship loyalty. In the beginning we had that attitude, centering on the German, American and Japanese missionaries in the mission countries. Father could not teach this at that time, because there was no foundation. Now Father has



Father and Mother celebrate Hyung Jin Nim's (middle) thirteenth birthday on September 1, 1992, along with the celebration of the Day of Settlement of Eight Stages.

the foundation through fighting with Satan many times.

We know what the heavenly kingdom will be like in the future, centering on the four great heartistic and spiritual levels. The vertical children kingship, parent kingship and grandparent kingship is expressed on the horizontal level, so the whole world can practice this tradition. A great deal of hard work goes into making such a worldwide tradition. Mother is doing this. If we have done it, we will be respected in this world and in the spiritual world. Do you respect True Parents? Not only do you respect them, but each one of you must become like True Parents; then we become a branch of Father's trunk.

Children's Day is a very important day. Today is October 1 in the lunar calendar. This is the tenth month in both the lunar and solar calendars. Usually Children's Day is in November, but this time it is in the same month as the lunar calendar.

From 1945 to 1985 is forty years. Father must solve everything. Centering on October 1 in the lunar calendar, Father made this declaration. Now the earth is liberated and heaven is liberated. Wherever you go, there is no persecution. You do not need to go to the place where there is persecution. You need to go back home after this meeting and have a heavenly discussion with your national leader.

Younger follows elder

The younger must follow the elder. The blessed family is very important. Many foreign leaders come to Korea and come directly to the individuals from the 36 Couple Blessing. Sometimes they want to be over these couples. They do not understand the significance of the couples from the 36 Couple Blessing. For example, a representative of the 6000 Couple Blessing wants to be in the same position as the Korean leader who participated in the 36 Couple Blessing. From now on we absolutely cannot do that. Always center on the order of the blessed couples. No matter what their education is, elder is elder; parent is parent. How can you negate your parents' low education? Parents are still parents. This formula is eternal.

This morning in Los Angeles they asked if Father's speech could be short, because they are preparing for Mother's speech today. But we cannot ask that. Father decides every-



Father speaking to the foreign missionaries in Kodiak, Alaska on Children's Day, with Rev. Zin Moon Kim, American advisor, translating.

thing; Mother knows this. Some individuals who are following Mother want to control Father. This is completely wrong. We must always think centering on Father. The American wives are following Mother. If they have this wrong attitude, they will go to hell. Please follow Father's idea, then everything will be okay.

Speak boldly

From now on any national or political leader who does not want to follow True Parents' idea will just decline. You must speak to your nation's leader. You must let them know very clearly that True Parents are in this world. We must say what True Parents are and what the Messiah is—whether or not they want to hear it. When you understand what the Savior is, you can save your country.

In the secular world there are many complicated problems. They need True Parents. Two points are important: the family needs True Parents; the nation needs a Savior. Previously we have just contacted the local level. Now we need to make high level national contacts.

Father has taught us about the spiritual world. We cannot complain that Father did not explain this. God knows, Satan knows, True Parents know, and we know. Share this knowledge with others. To save the family, there is True Parents. To save this world, there is a Savior. We must say this to all the people. If you cannot say everything, make a document. Let them understand that if the family follows Rev. Moon, then it will be saved; if the country follows Rev. Moon, the country will be saved. You cannot complain, "I did not know this, so I did not do it." Even without Father, you can teach this.

Save the world

There are no real teachers in this world; only we can teach everything clearly. After we understand it, we have the responsibility to work at the cost of our life. Such people can actually survive.

If Father escaped from every difficult situation to save his own life, he would already be dead. The satanic world would have seen to that. Instead, Father just gave and gave his life as the Messiah, so he survived. Even in jail, at the cost of his life,

Father went the heavenly course. If any missionary, in the course of practicing kingship in his country, starved himself to death, he would eventually turn his country around. If the king worked to save all the starving people, then the whole world would follow him. Do we have such a person now? Father is doing this. In the future people will be like that. When Father uses a tissue, he is thinking how he can save the whole world, even economically. Now we know this principle, so we need to practice it.

There are five billion people in the world. Every year twenty million people starve to death. All the starving people could be saved in one year if everyone fasted one and a half days. Can we do that? If this world unites into one, we can do it. What will happen when rich people who eat well go to the spiritual world? Everyone there will accuse that person. We should think about that.

Father is always thinking about how to save the world. On a stormy day, a parent would be willing to die on the ocean for the sake of his children. Such a person can be saved, even if he dies and goes to the spiritual world.

Can Father go to hell or heaven? Father never thought he would go to heaven. He was just going this way. Have we done our mission or not?

Are True Parents completely liberated? When you go back home, what will you do? You attend True Parents, attend the nation, attend God and everything. Eventually, the country will attend you. When you go to your country, meet the prime minister. Pray and pray, then connecting with the country will be no problem.

When you attend Father, is it just you? Is it only your couple? It is everybody together. The tribe all together must attend True Parents. This is the principle of creation. Eventually the nation and world will attend True Parents. Father sent out missionaries. It means you go to the mission country, meet people and raise them up. "People" means "tribe." Your tribe should be growing up. It means you have to be born again. How can these people go back to the original way? Is it easy or difficult? To give birth to the people of the world is very difficult. True Parents did that. We need to give birth to our tribe members. Is it easy or difficult?

Last summer there was a mass wedding by satellite. This

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"Are You a Child or an Adult?"

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Translator: Dr. Bo Hi Pak

WHAT day is today? [Children's Day.] How many Children's Days have we celebrated? [Thirty-three.] When a child grows up and reaches age thirty-three, is he a child or an adult?

In the Unification Church we celebrate seven major holidays during the calendar year. You have to feel to the marrow of your bones how difficult a path Father and Mother have walked in order to establish the church holidays. All these holidays have not occurred at random. They have come on a victorious foundation of incredible work, tears and blood shed by heaven and earth.

You know, through the study of the Divine Principle and Father's teaching, the state of the world God created. However, through the fall of man, humanity left God and the Garden of Eden and united with Satan, so the history of humankind has had nothing to do with God. In those circumstances, however, God as the Creator still has a responsibility to restore His own creation. This is what God has been doing through the work of restoration. This is the basic tenet of our teaching.

Can you imagine if someone deprived you of the most precious and loving thing you have—your family, your wife, or your children? Can you give them up easily? Impossible! God's grieving heart is a thousand times more painful than yours would be. Under those circumstances God has been working to restore humanity's original state of being.

God has been walking a most incredible path in order to restore fallen mankind. There has been no foundation, not even one ally, here on the earth—which has been totally under Satan's domination. God sent His only begotten son, Jesus Christ. He faced the most incredible difficulties and failed to restore the world. In order to restore Jesus' course, God worked for more than four thousand years. Such incredible preparation!

What about Unification Church history in comparison? God prepared six thousand years to send His own son to this earth, but when he came there was absolutely no foundation. Father has been working with his own blood, sweat and tears, building one step after another from the very bottom in order to create this victorious foundation. You cannot imagine what an incredible path God and True Parents have been walking.

In the Unification Church, the blessing is the most precious gift from God. True Parents have had to pay indemnity so that the very word "blessing" could be established here on earth. What an amazing path they must have walked in order to establish the foundation for the blessing.

I want you to know that God has been working tirelessly, day and night. He has been working secretly in the global situation to prepare for that one day. He has been working to establish one foundation, to find one son here on earth. It took six thousand years for God to find that one man. In the Bible, when God created man and woman in the Garden of Eden, He declared, "Behold, it is very good." This was the first time



Mother cutting the traditional cake for the Children's Day celebration in Los Angeles, California.

God declared that something was "very good." One man and one woman were created.

Jesus Christ came, but he alone could not fulfill his mission. He had to be in a position to welcome a bride, who would become Mother. The couple must be established. The same is true of Father. Father alone could not fulfill his mission; he needed True Mother beside him.

God spent the most incredible energy to establish the foundation for one man on earth. Through that man God worked to find one bride. The Bible says that among a thousand women, there shall be one woman chosen. By the same token, one woman was to be chosen as the bride to Father, the Messiah. Mother was chosen for that position.

True Mother's previous course

Mother's mother, Great-mother [Hong Halmonim], was spiritually open, leading a very devout Christian life. She re-

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Great-mother Hong received revelations that guided her in protecting Mother.

ceived a lot of visions and revelations at the time of Mother's birth. Over and over, there were so many spiritual events. Not only did God know that the chosen baby had come, but Satan also knew; therefore, Satan was always trying to kill Mother so she could not fulfill her mission. An incredible satanic plot was revealed to Great-mother Hong by God's angel, so that she would have extra time to protect Mother.

Korea, being the third Israel, had been chosen for a special position different from other nations. The most incredible spiritual phenomena were going on in Korea in those days. Even those who had nothing to do with Father, Mother or Great-mother Hong testified about Mother. People would visit her home and speak of the most astounding revelations.

When the Korean War broke out, Mother was less than ten years old. Two special prophets visited Great-mother Hong's home. These prophets spoke of amazing things. Great-mother Hong listened to these two men. They said, "Do not be disappointed that your child is a girl." (Korea has a tradition of favoring sons.) "Your daughter will be ten times more important than ten sons. You cannot compare this one girl baby. This baby will be reared in the most precious way. When she becomes seventeen years old, she will marry. Her husband will be much older than her, but do not be disturbed. It is the will of God." Because it was war time, everyone lived in poverty, but these prophets said that Mother would be wedded to a man to whom the entire fortune of the world would belong.

Mother heard this as a little child, but she forgot about this testimony. In 1960, Mother was chosen to be Father's bride; all of a sudden, she realized she was seventeen years old and was reminded of the testimony when she was less than ten years old. Incredible, isn't it?

Mother would like to share one more personal testimony with you. Just after the birth of Ye Jin Nim and Hyo Jin Nim, she had a special vision. At that time, the persecution of our church in Korea was very severe. In the vision Mother was walking on the most incredible mountain path in absolute darkness. The path was covered with webs, shrubs and bushes, so that she could barely move forward. One false step would take her over a high cliff on the other side of the rocky mountain. Mother was struggling with one child on her back and carrying the other, trying desperately to move forward step by step in darkness, covered with sweat because danger was right there. Any misstep would be fatal.

Mother was walking in that fashion for hours and hours, until finally she saw a light. She was so happy; she moved faster and was quickly out of the tunnel. A brand new heaven and earth, like Shangri-La, appeared in front of her—a wonderful sight after the darkness. Mother looked down at the earth. It was newly plowed, and the planting had been completed. There were beautiful green plants and flowers everywhere. An absolutely new heaven and earth!

Mother looked up and saw Father sitting there, smiling down upon her. Mother looked around and nobody else was there. After a little while, she looked around again and saw that members were walking toward her. Their faces were showing up one by one.

The dispensational role of True Parents

You have heard Father say many times that Mother walked a special path of indemnity for at least seven years. That path was almost like the dream. It was a very difficult time for Mother. You are the children of True Parents. Children cannot exist without Father and Mother being perfected first. Only upon this foundation can children come.

The work of Father and the work of Mother are equally important. True Parents' role cannot be fulfilled without both Father and Mother. Jesus' precise goal was to establish the True Parents. The era did not allow that to happen, and Jesus was crucified. If Jesus had opened enough of a path to bring Mother's position to his side and be installed as True Parents, the crucifixion would not have occurred.

Mother has suffered so much. Father has suffered so much more in order to establish God's kingdom in the dark satanic world, starting from himself alone with no allies. How difficult a path Father must have walked. He has walked through many valleys of death, and so many times narrowly escaped physical death during his dispensational course. This is the state of Father and Mother's path; this incredible condition of indemnity they have paid for the sake of humankind.

In comparison, how close are you to the heart of True Parents? How much indemnity have you paid? How many conditions have you laid? How steadfast, loyal, dedicated and abso-



Mother speaks to the members in Los Angeles, California on Children's Day, as Dr. Bo Hi Pak translates, "You are grown now—you have to inherit True Parents' lineage, heart and most important their agony. Repent and become new men and new women."

lutely committed are you to our True Parents' path? We have become complacent. You sit home and think, "Tomorrow is Parents' Day. I will go. I will be happy to be there. It is a little early, but I will go there anyway. I will be happy to bow down to True Parents and then have a good celebration." That is not enough. A celebration day like this cannot become routine.

True Mother's call to action

This is the thirty-third Children's Day. Mother asked you, "Are you a baby, a child or an adult?" You are grown up now; a thirty-three year old is grown up. That means you have to inherit True Parents' lineage, their heart and, most important, their agony and suffering. You will say to True Parents, "The time has come. We will take on all of your burdens. Now is the time for you to receive the glory and rest. We shall be in the True Parents' position. We shall become your extension." True Parents are the True Parents of the entire humankind. There are five billion people out there. True Parents are the

True Parents for everyone. Historically, fifty billion or five hundred billion does not make any difference. There is only one Father and Mother to be the True Parents for the past, present and future.

Today is a very extraordinary day for California, particularly for Pasadena House. True Parents are here celebrating Children's Day with you. Today is a special day for you; it cannot be just an ordinary day. The most important thing for you to do, first of all, is to repent. Second, you should then make a commitment to become new men and new women.

Today is a day for new resurrection. This is not an ordinary day, especially because Mother is here for the historical Women's Federation for World Peace speech. Seven is a very special number. This is the seventh speech Mother has given in America.

So today repent, re-commit, then get out and work to make Mother's event the most momentous, the most historical and the most victorious. That is the order of the day. ■

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The Liberation of the Spiritual World

has happened only in the Unification Church. If we have a satellite dish in just one place, the whole world can participate. This kind of scientific development is for us. Father is using the latest technology. For example, we have the best audio and video facilities in America. Father prepared everything. We have to complete our responsibility; that is the missionary hope. "Hope" means to have responsibility. It is very clear; there is no secret. Everybody knows, so we have no excuse. Unless you carry out your responsibility, you do not need to come here.

Father is now mobilizing women. From the Divine Principle viewpoint, the center of the family is not the man or chil-

dren. It is only the woman. From now on, the parents' family is the formula. Now the family will start in the spiritual world. This is the first time the ideal family has passed to the spiritual world. Until now, spirit beings could not have the original family. The center is woman; the nation is in Adam's position. Centering on true love, we will automatically connect plus and minus.

America is now in a miserable situation; the world is in a miserable situation. God wants a peaceful world. You are in such an enjoyable position. Visit your contacts. Share the content of your heavenly faith with them. You have very little money, so they will take you out. For three years you can survive this way.

Twenty years ago communism had taken over most of the world. Kim Il Sung sent out a spy to assassinate Rev. Moon. America is no problem; Father has done everything. ■

Restoration from the Origin and Rebirth are for Myself

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THERE is only one origin. Since we came from one origin, we must go back to that origin to be reborn. What brought mankind such suffering and misery? No one could have known the staggering consequences of the fall.

At the festival last month in Korea I proclaimed Messiahship, telling participants they must follow the True Parents. You too must have the confidence to state, "I am to bring salvation to the world. Without me, this world cannot be saved." You must say, "With my own hands, I am going to build God's house, form God's family, make God's realm prosper. I want to build God's country, God's world, and wipe all the sorrow from God's eyes." If many Unification Church members make that determination, then God will be liberated.

Explanation of the fall

Because you were born of fallen parents, you must be born again from unfallen parents. Many people do not believe that mankind has fallen. Mankind contracted an illness by eating the fruit of knowledge of good and evil. To cure that illness, we have to have an antidote. Ask other Christians what the fruit of the knowledge of good and evil means. Ask them what serious wrong Adam and Eve committed which made God, a loving Parent, chase His children away from home.

Adam and Eve ate with their hands. So the hand and mouth in that story were the only parts of the body which were used to commit the crime. But what did they cover after they ate? The lower parts of their bodies. Whenever children do something wrong, they express it. If the mother says, "Don't eat that," but the child eats it anyway, when the mother comes, the child hides his hands. He doesn't hide his lower parts.

If the problem had been eating, God could have easily found a remedy. No matter how much you try to stop sinning, you cannot do anything about the blood that flows inside you. You could cut off your arm, but so long as that bad blood is flowing in your body, another part of you will commit sin. The blood flowing in all mankind is bad blood. We inherited Satan's blood.

If the ancestors of mankind had not fallen, God's blood would be flowing through you today, and everything would belong to God. God originally owned that central root that connects every human being. If you compare humankind to a tree, we are the branches. To be saved means to go backward from the root of evil and return to the unfallen position.

Satan generated offspring by satanic love; therefore, people reap satanic love. The orderly expression of love is God's utmost value. There is an orderliness of parents, then the next

generation, and so on. Because Satan's goal was to satisfy himself, he disregarded God's order, and we see confusion and chaos, manifested in incest, free sex and drug abuse. I have been chipping away at the evil elements in you, allowing only the good to remain.

My foundation to proclaim Messiahship

I have made all the foundation to proclaim Messiahship. No matter how many people may oppose us, their opposition will no longer interfere because the foundation is strong. There are bound to be people who understand when I proclaim, "Follow the Messiah!" People wonder why I proclaim Messiahship at this time and make more barriers for myself. After proclaiming Messiahship there are no barriers. This proclamation will stop all who come against me.

Now the entire Christian world is wondering if I am the Messiah. People are now asking Unificationists around the world, "Is Reverend Moon the Messiah?" And they are receiving the clear answer, "YES!" (Yes) Yes! (Yes) Yes! (Yes) Up and down, left and right, front and rear, people are shouting, "Messiah!"

It makes my former opponents very miserable to see how many people are starting to follow me. They are coming to repentance.

My goal is to liberate God

I am wise enough to understand these age-old secrets of the Principle. My ultimate goal is to liberate God. As long as we put all of our energy into that goal, God will support us. And when we accomplish that goal, God will love everybody, not just the Unification Church.

There are many American families who don't care about other families or their country. If most Americans are like that, this country will have no future. If you expect everybody to come to you and pay respect to you, the Unification Church will never develop any further; it will wither and decline. If a person or group serves others and pushes others to serve, then God's blessing will continue to be given through that individual and group.

I am upholding God's way. Whether it brings me benefit or difficulty, I must follow God's criteria. America is very important to me, even more important than Korea, because America is more important to God and can influence the whole world. Korea has its special attributes, but God's will must be done here in America. If this country turns around and goes to God's side, everything will change. There is not so much time.

If it doesn't work, there have to be alternatives. If the United States turns against me, then South America will be the al-

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ternative. If both come against me, Russia or China will be the next alternative. I always make preparation for anything that may happen. The person who is Savior must understand every correct direction.

Restoring lineage, ownership and heart

God lost the blood lineage, ownership, and the realm of heart. Suppose Satan snatched your fiancée and married her and had children who became your enemies. That is the kind of situation God was in.

God has not begun His original work. Eventually He has to recreate His world. Restoration is like picking up something from the trash can and cleaning it up. God is far from realizing His own ideal country, let alone His ideal world. He is still salvaging discards.

Every aspect of God's creation is guided by the principle of give and take. The elder son becomes the younger son, the younger son becomes the elder son. Then they go in search of the mother. The restored Eve must embrace the restored elder son, unite with Adam and together with the children return to God.

In Satan's family, there is enmity among brothers and between parents and children. Men have deceived women's heart. To adulterate a woman's heart is the worst thing men can do, and they have been doing that all along. So women

need to be protected and liberated. Women have to meet a savior, who comes as a true man and liberates womanhood.

Restoring archangel, bride and brothers

The mission of religions is to prepare for the Messiah and help him do his work. There are three religions in the position of archangel (Buddhism, Islam and Confucianism) and one in the position of Eve, or the bride (Christianity). The archangel religions must help the Eve religion prepare everything for the advent of Adam.

All those religions received a lot of blessings from God and guidance from God and spirit world. They know that, but they do not know their ultimate goal or the interrelationships between them. Only I could teach them their mission.

After World War II, the United States helped raise up every nation it had defeated. Without knowing that was God's direction, it prepared the realm of brothers for the Parents to come. Democratic elections are a way of choosing the eldest brother.

Americans do not realize that democracy is not the ultimate goal. Do you know of any truly clean elections in any society? Everybody knows it, but there is nothing they can do. You can elect the ones who will fill the roles of elder brother and younger brother, but can you elect your own father and mother?

I have disclosed where God's dispensation is heading and



Father speaks at Belvedere with Col. Sang Kil Han translating, giving this seven-hour speech. Later in Kodiak Father asked that brothers and sisters become familiar with it.

I have done everything necessary to enable even the traditional Christians to believe and receive me. My thinking is at a higher level than these Christians. It is time to proclaim the truth. I am now a leader of the world, not just of Christians.

what each individual must do. I proclaimed the positions of True Father and True Mother, True Parentship, the Messiahship. I proclaimed everything, drawing all the attack. The Unification Church will receive no more persecution. Nobody is a match for the Unification Church in concept, ideology, dedication, or capacity to love.

Now is the time for parenthood. Who should be the parent for this country? Can we say, "Let's elect someone and pretend he is our father and mother?" Can we elect our Messiah and True Parents by consensus, at our will? Americans have never realized that parents come to them from heaven. People do not select their parents.

The central restoration of marriage

The most important element of restoration is marriage, because history originated from the wrong direction in marriage. Therefore, to keep our lineage pure is the highest human responsibility. Your ears have been soaked with the message that chastity is of utmost importance.

Before you can go beyond the level where Adam and Eve fell, Satan asks for an indemnity condition. That condition is the indemnity stick and the three-day ceremony. These conditions completely separate you from Satan's blood lineage. Do you truly realize that you have gone through that transformation of the blood lineage? After the realm of lineage changes, then the realm of ownership must automatically follow.

To uphold the Parents means to invite God down to earth. Heaven and earth have been separated, but now, through the Parents, God can come down and live on earth.

In the transition of the blood lineage, everything that belongs to you belongs to God. Whatever we own is not ours individually. Adam and Eve were supposed to be blessed under God and then experience true ownership. In restoration, we are blessed first, then we and all we own will recover the country and dedicate to God. God will perhaps give it back. The false parents seized ownership, while True Parents bequeath true ownership.

Many people want to live according to their urges. When Adam and Eve violated God's law, He had to expel them from the Garden of Eden. The same law is in effect. My position is now fully established to the world level. If you break that law, you cannot survive. You must understand the gravity of this principle. The foundation you are sitting on may look humble, but it is the result of much sacrifice and martyrdom. An enormously high price was paid so the Unification Church could stand. Can you take it lightly?

Your spouse will have certain faults. In the past, God tried to accommodate the unreasonable and childish desires of men and women. Various religions developed. We have greater knowledge, so we have to take greater responsibility.

The four realms of heart

There are four heartistic realms and three kingship realms that comprise the *shimjung* realm. When God created the first ancestors of mankind, He had a certain heartistic attitude. Fol-

lowing God's pattern, parents should cultivate a certain heart toward their children, children should cultivate a certain heart toward their parents, and husband and wife a certain heart towards each other. This heavenly mind-set and code of conduct expresses the heartistic attitudes God had when He created mankind and gave His blessing to them.

There is an orderly development of the realm of heart. First, since everybody starts as a child, there is the children's heart toward their parents. When another child is born into the family, the brother/sister relationship comes about. When the children grow up, they enter the husband/wife relationship. When the couple becomes parents, they develop a heartistic attitude toward their children as well as all the rest of their family.

God has definite ideas how each of these relationships should be. But when the fall took place, these things no longer mattered to God. God still has His long-awaited expectation for this heartistic realm: that perfect man and perfect woman will form a family and fulfill God's ideal in all these different relationships. Then God can finally say, "Yes, that's what I wanted. Now you fill me up!"

The Lord of the Second Advent comes to perfect each position and teach you all the dimensions of heartistic relationships. Adam should be the first to set the good example. Then he can recreate Eve and bring her up to his level in perfecting these four positions.

I have torn down all walls

I could have avoided imprisonment, and everybody wondered why I didn't. It would have been easier. However, the road lies straight ahead, and God cannot bend His principle. I have torn down all the barriers and flattened the path.

Now I have done everything necessary to enable even the traditional Christians to believe and receive me. My thinking is at a higher level than these Christians. It is time to proclaim the truth. I am now a leader of the world, not just of Christians. High level people are watching and following me. If I take a step, they take a step. They follow without a sound. As more join in, the sound will get bigger and bigger until at last it breaks your eardrum. After that, all will follow.

I walk the straight road without compromise. People found some fault by which they could put me into prison, but I went straight ahead. Now everything is freed. Without me where is this country going to go?

So take down all the walls of the satanic world. There is no castle of Satan remaining anywhere on the earth, no walls Satan can dwell behind. True Parents can relate directly with the families of all five billion people on earth.

Restoration of Eve

God needs a woman in Eve's position. Fallen Eve embraced Cain and Abel, and that embrace took them toward hell. At the time of the Second Advent, people will belong to their original parents. True Parents can transform all humanity through one embrace.

American women need True Mother's teaching. True Mother

*When people are perfected, they can realize God's heart,
and God gives them the power of creation—
the blessing of sons and daughters.*

er is the central mother, the central woman. True Mother's mission is to embrace three kinds of human beings: those on Satan's side, religious people on God's side, and her direct lineage.

Mother's way is first to sacrifice for the sake of the religious world. When Mother and the religious world combine, they must sacrifice for the outside world. After that Mother, elder son and Father combine into one. You need a clear direction; otherwise, you cannot reach heaven. This is the time of family reunion.

Until now, Mother followed in my footsteps, just like a shadow. Mother's golden rule was to be totally obedient to Adam. Now that Mother has fulfilled her course, I could go to Korea and present Eve and proclaim the worldwide liberation of women. Mother proclaims the liberation of all womanhood from the tyranny and misery brought about by fallen man.

Now I am in the brother's position to all the women of the world. With a protective eye, I watch over all those who have been molested and hurt by men. It is the role of the eldest brother to make sure that all the women in the world grow as daughters of God. He must make sure they are properly treated as daughters of God, given their proper heartistic position, and nurtured as a wife within God's blessing. All women should grow through the positions of daughter, sister and wife, and eventually come into the mother's position.

Women are yearning for freedom, peace and happiness. The best way to achieve these ideals is to become one with Mother. God needs to see the true daughter, true sister, true wife and true mother. So I have now allowed all womankind to become one with Mother. That door is wide open now.

Bring your family along

Restoration is like a ladder that you cannot climb by yourself. You first have to bring your sons and daughters with you. In years past people had to join as individuals, but now you can restore your family.

Women will connect to the heartistic realm of Mother and learn these four heartistic positions. Then they will come back to their family and become one with each son and daughter. Together the mother and children will become one with the father and return to Mother again. Finally, I will give my approval, and restoration will be complete.

The husband in the archangel position will gain the blessing of Adam's position, the better position. At the time of restoration, Adam and Eve can return to their positions of God's son and daughter. This is a tremendous blessing and accomplishment of restoration.

Loving the enemy

There are two kinds of children that need to be restored: stepchildren and real children. How can stepmother and stepchildren unite with the real mother and real children? Children who have the same father but different mothers become enemies.

For the real mother to harmonize with the stepmother, she

must love the stepchildren more than her own children. This is the only way to make unity among them. When the True Mother loves her stepchildren more than her real children she has true freedom. Even though she suffers, she has freedom. If she does not do that, she is fettered, and the children are not free either.

It may be easy to say that you should love Cain first and then Abel, but human beings are simply not built that way. Also I must be able to deeply care about the women in the Unification Church even more than my wife. You must love Cain more than Abel. It is like dying, but you have to do it.

God gave His own son in order to restore His enemies. Therefore, He can tell us, "Love thy enemy." Jesus loved those who pierced his side and prayed, "Father, forgive them because they do not know what they are doing." The early Christians went to foreign countries to evangelize since people in their own homeland didn't listen to them. Rome was Jesus' enemy. There are lots of stepchildren who came about, so how can God accommodate them if His children do not love their enemy?

At this last blessing I did not discriminate. I wanted to give the blessing to members and non-members. I extended the love of the family to non-family. Then they became family.

Mother and I are proud of each other

I am like the king on the throne, the center of all God's children. I represent all the good brothers and the perfected heart of a husband. Should I stand in a position where Mother can frown and say, "You are not a good enough husband"? Or should I treat her in such a way that she can always admire and respect me? Everywhere Mother goes, she wants to brag about her husband.

I also have reason to be proud of Mother. Representing all people, she obeyed me more than any woman here on earth. I am now in a position which God yearned to see, and I am bequeathing to all men and women the opportunity to become original sons and daughters of God. When people are perfected, they can realize God's heart, and God gives them the power of creation—the blessing of sons and daughters.

Heartistic training in the family

As they grow, children develop their heartistic attitude toward their parents and their heartistic position as brothers and sisters. They learn the roles of children and of brothers and sisters, always keeping God in mind. The childhood years are very important. While we are growing in our family, we need perfect training. There are hundreds of millions of families in the world. Unless you are accustomed to correct relationships within the family, you cannot relate to all of them peacefully.

The love between parents and children is vertical love. The love between husband and wife is that of left and right, and the love between brothers and sisters is that of front and rear. All these dimensions comprise a sphere. Your heartistic training is supposed to lead you to perfection; therefore, the family is indeed the training ground, the perfect textbook of all kinds

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of relationships.

Your training expands with the heartistic realms of grandparents, grandchildren, in-laws, stepchildren, uncles and aunts. Extended family relationships develop your attitude toward the rest of mankind. You should feel that people of all age groups are the extension of your family. When that is the case, you will pass all the tests of God and be an example to others. When you accomplish this extended heartistic realm, God will tell others, "You should learn from him. He is the typical example of My love."

Qualifications for marriage

Adam was in the elder brother's position and Eve in the younger sister's position. After mastering the heartistic relationships as children and as brother and sister, they would have been heartistically prepared to connect as husband and wife.

Not everybody is qualified to become a husband or wife just because they have become an adult. You have to experience the other levels of relationship before becoming husband and wife. Have you loved your parents in a heavenly way? Have you loved your brothers and sisters in a heavenly way? Are you prepared to love your spouse in a heavenly way?

The kingship of past, present and future

Everybody has the potential to experience God's position. If Adam and Eve had not fallen, God would have been the king, and Adam and Eve would have been prince and princess, on the way to becoming king and queen one day. One country would have developed centered on Adam's culture, and its citizens would all be of royal families, centering on one center.

You have to treat each other like royalty. The grandfather is the retired king, parents are the incumbent king, and the children are the future kings. Your parents represent not only your family, but the entire family of mankind, and the future king needs to inherit from them. The three great kingships—grandfather, father and son—were to be fulfilled in every family. When we live this standard here on earth, in the spirit world we would live eternally in the palace of the king. With the advent of our True Parents, all these four heartistic realms and the three kingdoms have been accomplished.

Would you prefer to be a citizen of a democratic country where the president reigns for four years, or would you rather belong to a country governed by an eternal king and queen from your own family, a country where you too will become that king and queen automatically one day? Democracy is not eternal. From the brothers' era we are moving to the parents' era. True Parents' family and fallen families now come face to face. Every family must follow True Family in order to go to heaven.

Conditions in Jesus' family

The most basic restoration is rebirth. Even though you are grown you must somehow go back inside Father's body, to a prenatal state. God used Tamar and her twin sons to set up the

perfect condition. At first the elder son was going to come out, but then the younger son pushed himself out and became the elder son.

Jesus, too, laid a special condition through his birth to Mary. "Only begotten son" are not simple words. If people had understood Jesus and supported him, within seven years, Jesus would have accomplished what I have accomplished now.

Zachariah's wife and Jesus' mother should have united. Zachariah's tribe and Joseph's tribe should have found a good bride for Jesus from Zachariah's family. Jesus' mother worried about a wedding that didn't have any meaning. Jesus knew this, and he felt so indignant, saying, "Your son, the center of God's whole dispensation should get married to restore all mankind, and you don't even think about that! You are worried about another person's wedding."

Many times Joseph asked Mary who Jesus' father was. Of course, Mary couldn't say. She just answered, "The Holy Spirit." Do you think Joseph really believed that? Mary and Joseph quarrelled so much that Mary left young Jesus in Jerusalem. Three days later she found him with the priests. Jesus was very angry saying, "Where else would I be but in my Father's house?" He was forsaken by his mother and father!

If Jesus' relatives had known what was in store for them, Jesus would have had no problem gaining a foundation. If John the Baptist had offered his foundation to Jesus, how could Jesus not have been successful in teaching the truth?

I restored sonship, parenthood and kingship

I have a tremendous foundation which is not visible. Based on my knowledge and restoration of thousands of situations and the testimonies in the scriptures, I proclaimed Messiahship.

Is there any record that elder sonship had to be restored? By my gaining elder sonship, a condition was established through which I could subdue Gorbachev. Kim Il Sung proclaimed that he is messiah on the satanic side; I have to subjugate him, too.

The restoration of parenthood and kingship will give rise to the royal family. I liberate all mankind and Mother works to liberate womankind. Together, we restore all people and establish the kingdom, which then gives rise to the royal families. Whoever becomes one within the family and one with God, instantly becomes a royal family.

Go inside the Messiah to be reborn

What does it mean to be born again, and why is it so important? A lot of people were born illegitimately as far as God is concerned. God cannot call them His own, but anyway they were born; what can you do? You must go inside me in order to be reborn. In order to do that you have to deny yourself completely.

As a result of the fall, the positions of wife, sister, daughter and mother were lost. All four of the heartistic positions were ruined. Therefore, to restore that, women have to meet one perfect man to connect to heartistically and find a way to be



Mother hugs Father after catching a king salmon on July 14, 1992, in Chignik Bay, Alaska.

restored. My position is to protect women and to restore and repair their trust in a husband, a brother, a father and to all relations.

Two thousand years ago, everyone had to find a way to go back to Jesus' body and be born again. If the wife of Zachariah had become one with Mary, fallen people would have gone through the process of being born again through women and been connected to Jesus.

What a desolate life Jesus had! What a lack of support he suffered! Nobody understood what Jesus was all about. He had no one to speak to. Even his own mother and aunt, who were supposed to support him in God's dispensation, didn't know a thing.

How difficult it is to work something out if you have no earthly foundation! Christians have come a long way, but that doesn't mean people can continue believing in the wrong things.

Christians had to go over the hurdle of life and death with a deep yearning to meet Jesus. They yearned to contact Jesus' spirit for just a few minutes, even if death was the price they had to pay. With that kind of intense prayer, Jesus and the Holy Spirit can work.

The role of the Holy Spirit

To be reborn means to come from the father's bone marrow. If the Holy Spirit says, "Do this," while a baby is still in the mother's womb, it must, because it is still a tiny being, even without life yet. It must be obedient.

There are eight layers of thick walls to stop Jesus from going down and man from coming up to meet him. Only with true love can we push through them. We spend a long time within the father and then within the mother before we are born again.

Who initiates the action of love? Just as Eve took the wrong initiative towards Adam, in restoration Eve must initiate the right action. This is why the Bible says if you sin against the Father you can be forgiven, but not if you sin against the Holy Spirit. That is the mother's spirit, and you must become totally one with the mother's spirit.

The second Messiah should reveal everything about Jesus' situation. I had to meet the founders of religions, debate them and tell them where they were wrong. I had to subjugate them and bring them into unity. Now God has said, "Everything is in your hands." With that,

the Messiah must come down to earth. I have just proclaimed Messiahship.

I built a new forty-year foundation

The four thousand-year foundation lost by the failure of Christianity to accept me after World War II had to be restored in forty years. It was forty years of incredible difficulty. Everybody opposed me, whether or not. People were on Satan's side because they didn't know what it takes to be on God's side.

During these forty years, I walked straight, bringing all eight walls down, and re-built the necessary foundation. I was the only hope America and Christianity had, but they didn't know it, so they opposed me. Only by wisdom and God's help did I escape death and come to this point.

If I die now, all that needs to be done has been done. From this time on, if countries and individuals oppose me, no benefit will come to them. There is no scholar or professor who can dare challenge me, debating any matter of philosophy or theology. I have proved that without me there is no solution to the world's dilemma. There are even voices saying, "In the

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last five thousand years of human history, we see the highest level saint living here on earth. It is Reverend Moon."

The world is moving toward unity

I know the Unification Church will grow faster now. You see the world is already moving in that direction. The world is moving towards an alliance. Europe is moving towards one passport and one currency. Unless America can make unity with Canada and Mexico, it will not survive economically. Through mass marriage, people cross over national borders, racial borders and cultural borders.

Now, from the proclamation of the Messiah's coming on earth in August, 1992, everything is settling down. God's world is definitely settling down on a firm foundation. We have a strong armament of truth that can break down anything. Peace will break out. We have no counterpart anywhere. Truth is on my side. People on Satan's side will turn around and look for me, once they understand.

You have to proclaim to all four corners of the world: "The savior is Reverend Moon. True Parents are preparing heavenly, eternal peace for everyone. True Parents' gate is open to everyone." When I proclaim to the world that True Parents are on earth, Jesus will become one with me, and the Holy Spirit will become one with Mother.

Rebirth through Mother

I inherited all the historical foundation of women and then in 1960 received Mother. The way to rebirth was opened when Hyo Jin Nim and Ye Jin Nim were born, enabling all mankind to go to Father's inside and be born again. When our children

were born, the members ate the same kind of food the children were given. Doing that established a condition that the same labor was given towards their life as was given to Hyo Jin Nim and Ye Jin Nim. This is real restoration, not just conceptual. Many, many hundreds of family members gathered together with all their heart and dedication. It was a spiritually rich time.

To bring Mother into my family aroused great opposition and jealousy, so for three years I tried to ignore her. Sometimes I would visit her, but she didn't know what was going on, and I never explained it to her. I rarely took Mother anywhere with me. Most of the time I would take along other women.

After three years the older women told me, "Mother is too pitiful; you shouldn't treat your bride like that. Let us bring her in." If I had done that at first, they would have gone in a different direction. These women all felt they were the spouse for me, but they learned that they had to serve young Mother. Finally they said, "Mother you have suffered enough for our sake; we will serve you as our Mother."

When people come inside of Mother, she comes to me, and I approve of it and give birth to them again. Now they are in the restored position. This is restoration by the root—basic, essential restoration, not conceptual or conditional. The condition to be born again has taken so much sacrifice; millions of lives were paid for the position you are standing in now.

Now is the time for Mother's settlement. She will gather all types of women from teenagers to grandmothers; all the essence of womanhood must be gathered back together in God's ownership.

Mother and I bore the cross for you

What it takes to be born again is unimaginable. Until the True Parents establish themselves, real rebirth cannot take place. I did this hard work not for myself or for God, not even for my own children. I did it for you. My family might have looked like some glorious rich family, but it is not so. None of the children ever saw their parents in a regular way. I was always worrying about the rearing of the stepsons and stepdaughters. I didn't really take care of my true sons and daughters.

When Mother suffered those first three years, she came to know a stepmother's heart. The Unification foundation has been made by Mother going through this incredible suffering and road of the cross. Just like Jesus bore his cross, Mother bore her own cross for you. She did this to give you rebirth.

I didn't walk the path of restoration for the sake of mankind; I didn't even do it for the sake of the Unification Church. Ultimately, I did it for you, so that the benefit of your work will return to the rest of mankind.

Restoration depends on you

You have to understand that restoration depends mainly on you. Such a huge price has been paid for your position! You have to understand your value before the cosmos will

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start paying attention to your position. If you think you have no position, the cosmos pays no attention, either.

Do what you must do—whether I watch you or not, whether I ask you or not. Four thousand years of effort has prepared each one of you to be here today. You must realize the importance and value of your individual position now and witness to families, not to individuals.

Because the family has fallen, the family needs to be restored now. So reach out to families. The fastest way of doing this is to become tribal messiahs and go back to your hometowns. Start witnessing to families—twelve families, seventy-two families, one hundred and twenty families—then you will have your foundation, too. The thirty thousand newly blessed couples, plus the already blessed couples, equals approximately fifty thousand couples. Then the next blessing should be about half a million.

The family system of Satan's world is completely breaking down. Your mission during the next three years is to digest your family system and take twelve families to the blessing. You need to do this so you can register for the nation of one world. This will be like a birth certificate registering you as a citizen of this new kingdom of heaven.

Will you determine to march forward to that goal? Can you ever separate from your Father and Mother? You should think, "Even though I may forsake my own husband, still I cannot let go of Father." It is your destiny to find twelve couples.

Father will pray.

PRAYER

Loving Father,

Although no one ever understood that the long and difficult path of restoration was filled with Your heartache (*han*), you have raised up this pitiful son and allowed me to feel Your heart. I am approaching the age of eighty and the fact that I was able to overcome this hill at such an age can be thought of as happiness in one way, but on the other hand it can be thought of as lamentable and mortifying.

In the last days, the Christian cultural realm was established, yet Israel and the opportunity for heavenly blessing was lost. When I think that all the things that are raised up in the midst of such ruins are the used and recycled things from the trash, I am ashamed in front of Heavenly Father. However, I earnestly pray that You can be comforted and have hope, for I raised up sons and daughters in my place to prepare the youthful era. I believe they can fulfill everything that is left unfulfilled in the world and perfect themselves in front of Heavenly Father.

I never knew that the path of restoration would have so many heartaches and be so difficult. After realizing it, I still walked this path, for it was the unavoidable way of heaven. As I walked with Your protection, I have reached this blessed position where I can be proud of the victorious supremacy representing all nations. Now I can proclaim to everyone to follow me, follow True Parents, at this time. You allowed me to have such an era as the fulfillment of the dispensational desire of history and all humankind. This is the day which Your



heart longed for. I pray that You do not abandon the land of Korea.

Now, when I go back to Korea, I have to cope with the remaining realm of struggle. Knowing that there is no one who can handle the political problem of North and South, the current economic problem, and all the cultural background, I realize that in front of me there lies an enormous responsibility which I must bear by myself.

After giving every ounce of effort I see that the day I longed for is coming closer. In the midst of hope, together with the beginning of tomorrow, I earnestly desire that You can bless Korea through Kodiak and the path of Mother who will return after going through Japan.

Father, I earnestly pray that You can bless the Unification members throughout the world to understand that they have the responsibility—for True Mother's journey—to become one mind and one body and to pray with their utmost effort.

I ask You once again, by Your will, to permit my life to end without shame. Before that day, I asked You to protect these young American children who determined themselves today. When realizing how grave this mission of being responsible for America is, I earnestly hope that they can withstand the difficult path, become patriotic warriors who are worthy of blessing, and participate in this battle.

I earnestly ask You to bless them to be a people who can be bold for Your will and for the day to come, so that they can receive the blessing of heavenly love, life and lineage and become the enforcers of heavenly authority. I pray all these things in the name of True Parents. Amen. ■■

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Women's Role in World Peace

President Hak Ja Han Moon

Women's Federation for World Peace

This speech was given by Mother on her world tour for Women's Federation for World Peace, following the World Culture and Sports Festival. She had toured Korea just before that [see Today's World August and September 1992]. The examples she gave were adapted slightly to suit cultural and historical differences in each country.

As of this printing she has given this message to seven cities in Japan, eight cities in the United States, two cities each in Germany, Great Britain, France, Italy, and one each in Russia, Australia, New Zealand, the Philippines and China. Over one million people have heard these ideas directly from her, and it continues—she is still speaking and Women's Federation members are springing up all over the world to give this tour speech again and again in smaller town and county-level gatherings. Monsei!

DISTINGUISHED guests and members of the Women's Federation for World Peace:

It is my great honor to share my vision for world peace with such an illustrious gathering of women leaders from throughout the nation. Our participation here today is truly historic. It marks the beginning of the American Chapter of the Women's Federation for World Peace, and, for many of us, marks the beginning of an active new phase in our roles as women.

We are now entering an age of globalization. Ours is a time where the conflicts between cultures and races, and the walls of ideology and language, no longer keep us from realizing the creation of one, unified world. It is not by chance that we women are holding this conference today. We are called by history. It is the providence of God.

In our audience, I see the greatness of God's handiwork in America: women of every racial, religious and cultural background. But there is one thing that binds most of us here: we are women united to build a better and safer world for our children and families.

We see the signs of decay and confusion all around us. We need look no further than our own communities to find babies born addicted to drugs, children scarred by physical and sexual abuse, young dreams destroyed by unwanted pregnancy and neighborhoods under the siege of random violence.

As women we are deeply affected by these images. Our families and our children are casualties of a culture that exalts living mainly for the self. The impact of this selfishness reaches from the individual to our families, communities, nations and world.

That is why we have launched the Women's Federation for World Peace. This year alone, I have spoken to more than one million women in Asia urging that we join together to fight this war to save our families. As women we reject the ideologies of the past that have oppressed humanity. We are all united in our desire to banish war, oppression and exploitation from this world, and to hasten the anticipated future of true freedom, peace and prosperity.

During this historic age of transition, my husband, the Reverend Sun Myung Moon, and I have advocated Godism in our efforts to overcome the forces of oppression. It is my belief that our efforts have played a role in the demise of the cold war era. Today, I would like to introduce a philosophy that ad-

vocates that we rise above racial, religious and national barriers to heal this world. This philosophy is called Godism.

How, then, is a world of true freedom, peace, and prosperity to be achieved? To know this we must first start by understanding God and His purpose of creating the universe.

Originally, God created an object of love in order to feel joy. To create one masterpiece, a sculptor, for example, works day and night, investing his youth and all his strength. Where does this heart of such a sculptor come from? It comes from God, who has the same desire in wanting an object of love through which God can experience joy.

If we look at the physical world, we can see that everything has an inherent duality. Minerals, plants, animals and people all exist in pairs. This is so that each being has an object with which to interact. In the mineral world, there is the action between positive ions and negative ions. In the plant world, we have the relationship between stamen and pistil. Likewise, in the animal world, we have the relationship between male and female. God created all things with a reciprocal partner so that all levels of creation would experience joy and love. At lower levels, the expression of God's love takes the form of harmonious laws of physics and natural instincts. At the highest level, God's love is expressed through the dynamic loving relationship between a man and a woman.

My dear friends!

We all have loving husbands and loving wives, don't we? How much do we love our spouses? If someone offered you a fortune for your loving husband, would you give him up? Is there a husband who would exchange a loving wife if he were offered a crown? When I asked my husband this question, he looked me in the eyes and said lovingly, "Not even for the world." What it all comes down to is that man was born for the sake of woman, and woman was born for the sake of man.

Who, then, is God's partner of love? It is the universe centered upon God's sons and daughters. In other words, God created the universe so that He could reciprocate and experience love.

LIVING FOR THE SAKE OF OTHERS

Moreover, if God created the universe for the sake of love, it is important to understand the nature of God's love. In our world today, we use the word love in many ways. I have heard

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some say that they love chocolate, or that they love to dance. The often heard expression, "I love you," no longer refers to everlasting love. How often has "I love you" turned into "I want a divorce" in our society today? This kind of limited or self-centered love is not God's love.

God's love is true, selfless and unchanging. True love is the act of giving without the condition of receiving. When God created us, He invested one hundred percent of everything He had again and again. The reason why God wanted to invest Himself completely is because He wanted His object of love to be better than Himself. The act of living for others means that you give one hundred percent of yourself until there is nothing left to give. Only then will the love of your object rush back to fill the void. An example of this is the earth's atmosphere. When a low pressure system forms, air moves in from a high pressure system. The air starts circulating, and can even result in a hurricane. In other words, it is the complete rendering and sacrificing of yourself for the sake of others that produces a vacuum, which will be the very source of tremendous power when God replenishes you with His love.

God's true love is such that though He loves and loves again, or gives and gives again, He does so unconditionally and unconsciously. If you consciously remember what you have given, then you will begin to calculate how much giving is enough. If you decide that you have given enough, then love cannot continue eternally. Love flows perpetually only if it is given unconditionally.

If your mind and body become one centered on true love, then each of you will become God's companion of love, and will assume the position of God's eternal object. Moreover, you will come to inherit the eternal love of God.

God created the first humans, whom the Bible calls Adam and Eve, to achieve true love and to serve as a paradigm for ideal human relationships. These relationships can be likened to a vertical line that bisects a horizontal line. In this model, God is positioned at the top of the vertical line, and Adam and Eve are positioned at opposite ends of the horizontal line. The point of intersection of the vertical and horizontal axes symbolizes true love, where God, Adam, and Eve meet in a harmonious relationship.

God is the parent of vertical true love, and Adam and Eve are the parents of horizontal true love. If we are born of the love, life and lineage of God, our Heavenly Parent, as well as of our earthly, physical parents, then our minds are vertically connected to God while our bodies are connected to the horizontal, physical realm. More importantly, when our "vertical self" and our "horizontal self" are unified, we become the true love companion of God.

If humanity had matured according to God's will and inherited God's absolute, unchanging love, then our history would not have been a history of war, bloodshed, and misery. Instead, it would have been a history of harmony and peace.

As God's true love companions, we can communicate freely with God and feel everything God feels. Our minds and bodies will resonate in unison with the original heart of God. From



this principle of "resonance," or communal oneness, we can say that God's love is my love, God's life is my life, God's lineage is my lineage, and God's creation is my creation.

THE THREE ATTRIBUTES OF TRUE LOVE

True love contains the three great attributes of "inheritance," "participation" and "equality." Thus, if you truly love God as He loves you, then you can possess what God possesses, you can participate in everything that God does, and you can share in God's infinite value. Take, for example, a poor man who did not have the means to get an education. If he is married to the President of the United States, and they are a loving couple, then what belongs to the wife belongs to the husband. He

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has the right to participate in his wife's affairs. Moreover, because the husband and the wife each love the other more than themselves, they are equal in value.

Ladies and Gentlemen, which do you think comes first, love or life? A person's life is conceived from the ideal of love, therefore, it is love that comes first. The essence of life is love, and life is the embodiment of love. Thus, life, from the moment of conception, has infinite value and should be lived for the sake of others.

If we claim that our lives are to be lived only for the sake of ourselves, and for no one else, then we would never experience love. True love starts only when we sacrifice ourselves for the purpose of loving others. This is captured by the classic Charles Dickens' tale in which Mr. Scrooge, who, despite all his riches, was never able to experience joy until he learned to live for others. When Mr. Scrooge sacrificed himself for the sake of his community, he became the initiator of love among his neighbors. Likewise, when a person sacrifices herself for the sake of her family, she becomes the initiator of love in her family.

When we sacrifice ourselves for the sake of others, it may seem as if we will lose everything, but actually the opposite is true. Not only do we become the subject and master of love, but we also transcend to a higher realm of love.

It is the principle of love that the more we sacrifice for the sake of others, the higher our level of love becomes. When we sacrifice ourselves for a greater purpose, we will not simply be absorbed by it, but rather will come to hold a central position within the greater purpose where a higher level of love will be realized. A good example of this principle of love can be seen in the history of Christianity. The very reason that Christianity became a religion of resurrection lies in the fact that its princi-

pal teaching extols the virtue of sacrificing oneself for the sake of others. Jesus himself practiced this very principle of love. Even as he was being sent to die on the cross, his heart of sacrifice and love was captured by his last words, "Father, forgive them for they know not what they do."

Jesus' life was the paradigm of God's true love. His life of love and sacrifice resulted in the attainment of a higher level of life for many Christians around the world.

Another example of this principle of love is our beloved Mother Teresa. She herself may be small and fragile, but as a woman of God, living for the sake of others, she becomes the strongest of all. The reason is that if a woman loves and gives one hundred percent to others, then God's love will fill up the vacuum that is left after she has given everything, and the power of God's love will replenish her. Thus, if a woman resembles God and becomes the subject of love, a tremendous force will be unleashed and the power of that love will give life to the family, to the nation, and to the world.

Last year, in November, my husband and I traveled to North Korea—a Communist society closed to the outside world. There we met Kim Il-Sung, the president who has ruled that nation for forty years.

Forty years ago, before we were married, my husband spent nearly three years in a communist labor camp for preaching the word of God in North Korea. Since that time, my husband has been in the forefront of the effort to educate people about the error of communist ideas and the tyranny of communist governments. Because of this work, the North Korean government did its best to propagate misinformation about my husband and even threatened his life on several occasions. But Reverend Moon and I felt called by God, and went to North Korea, relying only on God's protection. We put into practice

Left: *Mother speaks at the Manhattan Center in New York, New York.*

Right: *Mother speaks at the Leonardi da Vinci Congress in Milan, Italy.*



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the words of Jesus, "For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will save it."

We preached God's truth to the communist rulers of North Korea for the first time in that nation's history. Furthermore, we told Kim Il Sung that "the unification of Korea can only be brought about through the ideology of Godism." In reality, we put our lives at risk by speaking out so boldly. Nevertheless, we were willing to sacrifice everything for the reunification of our homeland. It is precisely through the power of true love that one gains the ability to conquer even hell.

GOD'S STRATEGY OF LOVE

Throughout human history, God's strategy for the salvation of humanity has always been the way of true love. Satan, on the other hand, uses force, for he does not possess the capability of true love. God's strategy is to receive the first blow but ultimately emerge victorious, while Satan's way is to strike first, but lose everything in the end.

Look, for example, at the First and Second World Wars, and the third world war between the ideas of communism and the free world. In each case, the side of evil was the aggressor, and in each case the evil side was defeated. God is omnipotent and has the power to strike and take back what is His at will. God, however, does not do so, because to strike first is not the way of true love. God always remains true to the principle of love. God works patiently to win the world back by continually pouring out His love and by allowing those who are closest to Him to suffer for the sake of the world. God has deep compassion for those who are persecuted for doing His work. Being persecuted for doing God's work is one way to inherit God's blessing.

The history of the prophets shows us this principle at work. The prophets who came to teach the word of God should have been revered and honored as great teachers, but instead they

were bitterly persecuted and wrongfully beaten. Some of them have even lost their lives at the hands of their accusers. But do you know what happens in the end to the beaten and persecuted prophets? They eventually receive all that they had lost and more. Moses was driven into exile by the Pharaoh of Egypt. Confucius and Mohammed both received heavy persecution during their lives. Joan of Arc was burned at the stake, and Jesus was crucified as a criminal. But as time passed, history revealed their greatness as men and women of God. God has let my husband and me experience this many times in our lives. My husband is one of the most persecuted religious leaders of our time, yet God has allowed us to prosper.

If we truly come to understand God's heart, we would never seek revenge on our enemies. On the contrary, we would move heaven and earth to help them. By embracing and becoming one with your enemy centered on love, you will come to stand in front of the gates of the Kingdom of Heaven. There, God will be moved to tears. He will exclaim, "You are just like Me!" and He will be overcome with joy. This is the secret behind the words, "Love your enemy." No amount of money, power or knowledge can ever match the infinite power of true love. Moreover, God knows that even His enemies have parents, spouses or children who still love them. Since God Himself has gone through the valley of tears, He understands the loving hearts of His enemies' families, and so withholds His punishment.

TRUE LOVE, TRUE LIFE, TRUE LINEAGE

God has true love, true life and true lineage. Since we originated from God, we also have true love, true life and true lineage. Centering on the true love of God, we were born to achieve a perfect union with God through the ideal relationship between parent and child. Just as the mind and body of God are naturally unified through true love, the mind and





body of men and women also should have been naturally unified.

Because of the fall, however, humankind has inherited Satan's love, life and lineage. Satan seduced the first man and woman and prevented them from harmonizing their mind and body centered upon true love. This is why our body, controlled by Satan, fights with our mind which is on God's side. The self-centered love that we see around us today does not originate from an individual's mind but from his body. The mind was to represent heaven as the subject over the body, but the body has become another subject, centered on Satan, challenging our mind.

This is why religion teaches us to overcome the self-centered desires of our physical bodies through fasting, sacrifice, and service. Moreover, religion teaches us how to strengthen our mind through constant prayer, faith and devotion. Guided by religion, an individual can develop the ideal harmony of mind and body, and live as an enlightened being of true love. Philosophy, knowledge or conscience alone is not enough.

How, then, did Satan prevent man's mind and body from becoming one with God's ideal? The Bible tells us that Adam and Eve disobeyed God by eating the fruit of the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil. What part of the body, however, did Adam and Eve cover after they had eaten the fruit? If they were ashamed of eating the fruit, they would have covered their hands and mouths. But instead the Bible says that they were ashamed of their nakedness and covered their lower parts. Indeed, the fall was an illicit love relationship centered upon Satan.

According to God's plan, the embodiment of true love, true life and true lineage is man and woman's reproductive organs. The act of love was meant to be a husband and wife's most holy possession. Because of the fall, however, the act of love has been considered shameful. Adam and Eve, the ancestors of humankind, fell when they were still immature teenagers. Influenced by Satan's initiative, they sowed the seeds of false love, false life and false lineage.

Today throughout the world, young people like Adam and



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Eve are destroying the ethics of love and living lives of corruption. Many of our youths are abandoning their hopes and dreams and pursuing lives of promiscuity, drugs and violence. How many more times must we bear the news of teenage pregnancies, of newborn infants addicted to cocaine, and of schoolboys getting shot and stabbed in our schools? When we see these phenomena, we know that the age of Satan's dominion has reached its climax.

Throughout history, any city or country that has ignored God and engaged in wanton behavior has been destroyed. Sodom and Gomorrah were destroyed by fire and brimstone. Rome was destroyed because its citizens became morally decadent.

Look at America, Europe, Japan and the other developed nations of the world. Who can control the hedonistic way of life that only seeks to stimulate our carnal desires? We have to realize that this life, based on the desires of the body, will ultimately lead us into ruin. This decadent path is not what our minds want. In fact, our original minds are crying out in despair.

Humankind, which fell and became allied with Satan, is like the wild olive tree. Therefore, the wild olive tree must receive the branch of the true olive tree through which the wild olive tree can be adopted into the true lineage of God. God has prepared the religious people, and people of good conscience, of the world so they may be adopted into the true family of God when it appears on earth. Only as part of God's true lineage can we fulfill God's original ideal of true love. This is the reason the Messiah must come.

Ladies and Gentlemen, what is the Messiah?

The Messiah is the True Parents of humankind. God's original plan was to establish perfected Adam and Eve as the true ancestors of humanity. Satan, however, invaded this ideal, and God, ever since, has been working toward the emergence of ideal True Parents

through which all humankind can be restored. As True Fathers and True Mothers ourselves, we must vanquish Satan, liberate humanity and build the Kingdom of Heaven on earth.

As God's sons and daughters we must inherit God's love, life and lineage. Moreover, we must also inherit True Parents' love, life and lineage. Then we will have achieved unity between heaven and earth, vertical and horizontal, and mind and body. This will be the starting point for the eternal world of peace.

My dear guests of the Women's Federation for World Peace!

Starting now, in this year of the woman, we must be the model movement of true love for the whole world. We must begin with ourselves and unify our minds and bodies and become vertically connected with God's true love. We must then live for the sake of others to bring about love and understanding with those around us.

The Women's Federation for World Peace recognizes that the moral and spiritual roots of this great nation are still alive. Let us help each other; let us commit our time; let us share our ideas and our strengths to accomplish this noble cause. Centered on our leadership then, ideal families will join together and create the ideal nation and world. Upon this foundation, the Women's Federation for World Peace soon will initiate the Family Federation for World Peace:

My dear sisters, let us pledge to shed our blood, sweat and tears for the purpose of creating a world centered on God and true love.

Let us all rise up and take the lead in completing this historic mission.

May God bless all of you, your families and your nation.

Thank you very much. ■■

Top left: Mother receives a Tiffany globe from Nina May, founder of Renaissance Women, a network of God-centered, well rounded women. The occasion is the Washington, D.C., WFWP speech.

Top right: Mary Ann Wright presents an award from the Mary Ann Wright Foundation proclaiming Mother "Mother of the World" at the speech in San Francisco, California.

Left: The members in Germany speaking to Father over the telephone while Mother holds the telephone up for him to hear.

Right: The members in Chicago shouting "Monsei."

