

True Father: You should not represent me in name only, but in responsibility and heart

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Anyonghaseyo, dear brothers and sisters!

Here again some inspiration, based on the words of True Father:

True Father: "Abel's position is to represent God. Like God he should embrace and love Cain as he would his own child, with absolute faith, absolute love and absolute obedience. By having a character worthy of trust and respect, Abel should induce Cain to submit to him naturally." [1]

Representing God is not just an external thing. It goes much deeper than that:

True Father: "You should not represent me in name only, but in responsibility and heart." [2]

Just as True Parents represent God in responsibility and heart, so should we represent God and True Parents in heart and responsibility as well.

If we do not represent God, that means if we do not love like God or at least strive to do that, then we cannot be called "Abel". Abel is not the one who THINKS he or she is Abel, but the one whom others recognize as a person with a wonderful and loving heart, whom therefore others want to support and learn from and with whom they want to connect other people as well:

True Father: "When you give yourself totally for the sake of Cain, then they will be moved and inspired by heart to naturally follow you, respect you and lead other people to you." [3]

Giving ourselves totally to people means to embrace them with the heart of true love:

True Father: "You have to be able to make others feel as if they were children embraced in the bosom of their parent when they are consulting you." [4]

If we can achieve this, then certainly we are "Abel" for other people. And we can draw them to God and True Parents, by our love and heart, not by any other means. Wrong concepts in this matter may have bad consequences:

True Father: "Even our missionaries in the field may have a wrong concept. One of the major reasons that our foreign missions have not improved or really developed is because of this wrong concept and attitude – thinking that your people have to follow and respect you." [3]

We can certainly not go to others and expect or demand from them to respect us, just because of what titles we have or how much we know. We may have the title of Tribal Messiah, owner of Cheon Il Guk etc. We may pray in our own names. We may know more than others about many things.

However, if we demand the respect of others because of this and even look down on others, because we think we are better than them, then we are not winning their heart, but rather putting everyone off. Then we are not demonstrating a wonderful and loving heart, but display arrogance instead. Then we are certainly not Abel towards others. Then we are not contributing to restoration because restoration is about winning the heart of people:

True Father: "This is the law of recreation -- simply to win the heart of people."

We may do many great things, work very hard, give great speeches and whatever, but if we do not make effort to win the heart of people, by our heart and personality, then we are missing the mark. Then we cannot really pull the people. They will not really see God in us. They will not be inspired by us:

True Father: "No matter how beautiful the packaging, without [people] feeling the vibration of true love from you, it will not work... We have to embody the words through true love. Then... people will be inspired and moved." [5]

Only if people feel the heart of God coming from our own heart, then they will be inspired. Then they want to learn from us, want to support us, want to be with us, want to bring other people to us. Then we can be successful and victorious in all aspects of life. God can then support us in many ways, based on our heart and love.

Love from Bruno

1. Perfect restoration of Cain and Abel brotherhood and the ideal world of creation:

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5. Sunday morning message, East Garden, 26 Nov. 2000: www.tparents.org/Moon-Talks/SunMyungMoon00/UM001126.htm