ACLC members joined Unity Baptist Church Women's Ministry Bible Study

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Saturday, May 29th, ACLC members joined together at the Unity Baptist Church in Las Vegas for a very special Bible Study on the Fall of Man. Rev. Raymond Giddens and his wife Linda welcomed ACLC Biblical Family Life Education, Rev. Dan Stein, to lead the study group. The Unity Baptist Church Women's Ministry as well as three prominent First Ladies from local churches were in attendance; as well a well-respected judge in the community, the daughter of a long time ACLC pastor who has passed to spirit world.

Rev. Giddens introduced the group of 30 women to ACLC and Rev. Stein, reminding them that the Unity Baptist Church was founded on the Word of God, and that he hoped the group would be edified during the session led by Rev. Stein. In Rev Stein's introduction, he proclaimed strongly the mission of True Parents, the persecution that Father Moon received from Christians, the crisis of the Christian Church in America today, and the importance of listening carefully to find out what it was the Christians over the last 40 years did not want to hear.



He taught the Fall of Man carefully, systematically, and emphatically. There was no protest or negative reaction from the group, but instead at the end, immediate questions like: "You have told us the issue. Can

you tell us the solution?" The answer came from Rev. Giddens: "God-centered marriage is the solution." And he testified to his experience of the Blessing. Another question was: "Can we bring the fathers, mothers and youth together to hear this?" Rev Stein's response was, "Yes, we can examine certain Biblical families and see God's formula of restoration to bring healing and unity in the family, and in this way understand how we can heal our families today." Another question was: "Can I have your power point slides please? I want to study them again." Rev Stein's answer was: "No. But I am happy to meet with you again to study them together. Perhaps you have others you would like to invite."

The majority of participants said they wanted to return to hear more Divine Principle, next time focused on restoration of the family understanding core dysfunctions that erode family relationships. By examining certain Biblical families, the Principle reveals God's blueprint to resolve and eradicate selfish behaviors like rage, jealousy, resentment, betrayal, shame, manipulation and murder.



Rev. Giddens invited the group back next month for another Bible Study on Divine Principle, and welcomed fathers, mothers, and teenagers to study together.