Navigating the New Era of True Mother's Embrace - A Journey to Rebirth

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Greetings dear members of the Family Federation for World Peace and Unification, As we navigate the Era of True Mother's Embrace, clarity on providential timing and direction becomes paramount. It can be compared to something as simple as catching a bus. You need to be at the right place, at the right time, and catch the right bus in order to arrive at your destination.

Picture the first person standing at a bus stop. They are the leader, the one who woke up early and prepared to arrive ahead of time. But what if the bus company decided to change the bus's color or the route number? If the first person is ignorant about the change and doesn't board the new bus, others will hesitate also. This teaches us that even experienced leaders can unknowingly hinder others, and often do. It's a lesson in discernment, reminding us to listen carefully to Heavenly Parent's voice, not just our own ideas.

Mother is now bringing everything to completion, and it's crucial for each of us to personally experience our role in this process -- but even more fundamentally, it is my experience that we are to be totally reborn. Those who truly become one with True Mother at this time, will experience a transformational rebirth. This is true for individuals, families, as a movement, and for humanity at large.

It is a new era, and there is a new culture waiting to be created. I've seen firsthand the remarkable impact of True Mother's love and words in transforming people's lives. Heavenly Parent is bringing something entirely new through her in this providential moment, so we must be alert.

I tried to create an environment for a natural awakening to what Heavenly Parent is doing in this time. We embarked on an in-depth exploration of True Mother's recent words, and fervent prayer at the Cheon Shim Won. During the first 120-days of my return, I personally led 21 of these workshops totaling 1,500 participants from across America. These events came to be known as the Rebirth Experience.

On this foundation, True Mother organized a national tour for Professor Kim Jin Choon and Rev. Shin Dong Mo, presenting on the true stature of True Parents the "UCI case" respectively. Starting in Belvedere, New York, my wife Yumiko and I toured with them to New Jersey, Washington D.C., Dallas, Chicago, Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Las Vegas, where Professor Kim also gave presentations to the ACLC and youth groups.

By the time we reached Dallas a vivid image came to my mind. I envisioned True Mother paving a substantial pathway across America, through which she was opening up the channel for heavenly support in facing our current challenges. The spiritual realm's help is limited when we lack understanding, so True Mother wants us to grasp the truth of the providence and our role in it.

Finally, in Las Vegas on October 7th, in front of a backdrop wall of fresh flowers, True Mother spoke with a delegation of our closest clergy. In turn they pledged a deeper substantial unity in support of True Parents and Family Federation. On October 8th, True Mother met with 1,200 -- 1,500 first, second and third generation youth, creating an electrifying atmosphere.

After True Mother's speech she invited a few leaders' upstairs for lunch. True Mother was very happy, and sat down with an air of great satisfaction. She then asked me for my reflections. I said, "It is your word; your love; your presence that brings forth all this victory. We need everyone to hear what you have to say."

To me, the essence is clear: We are witnessing a pivotal moment in the providence with the presence of God's only begotten daughter. Our true success hinges on our unity with True Mother. No other efforts match the transformative power of True Mother's heart and teachings, which have the potential to profoundly impact lives.

The era has changed. The bus has changed. It is time to personally experience our own rebirth through True Mother's womb in the Cheon II Guk Era. We will naturally find a higher dimension of attendance to Heavenly Parent, and it is from that essential relationship that new artworks will be painted and new songs will be written. New recipes will be fashioned, and a new culture will emerge.

Our triumph lies now in the profound resonance with True Mother's words which she has been longing to express. We must understand the truth of the providence that was not fully revealed, and there is no presentation more powerful than our beloved Mother's own words. Let us pay attention. Let us remove our own concepts which may have served us well in the past, but now might hinder us from receiving the fullness of God's love.

Let us trust what our Mother has to say and unite with it. This is the essence of our success in the Era of True Mother's Embrace.