

## Transcription of Belgian TV documentary about the February 2015 Blessing

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Until 00.23: Korean MC

0.14

Korean MC: Let's begin the 2nd Anniversary of Foundation Day with a big round of applause, all together!

AS: So now you two are a couple for the rest of your lives?

K: Yes, and beyond

AS: and beyond? What is 'beyond'?

K: After this life...for all eternity

AS: Have you already kissed the bride, Kristof?

K: No, not yet. That's not needed yet.

AS: You don't do that yet?

K: No, not yet. We'll wait a little longer with that...

AS: another few weeks? So kissing is also not allowed yet?

K: A little kiss on the cheek would be no problem I guess, yes.....what do you think Mommy?

Laughter...

K: it is not really the right time yet. To us, love is not just a physical thing...

(1:10)

K: To us, the meaning of love is more a spiritual and a mental thing ...the physical aspect is less important basically...

AS: and a little kiss on the cheek?

Groom kisses bride on the cheek

Interval

Mansei!!



(2:16)

(Korean talking, no subtitles here)

*Voice over =VO*

VO: Seoul, South Korea's capital, is a very modern city that has expanded at an enormous speed into a giant metropole over the last decades

Having close to 10 million inhabitants today, it is now one of the busiest cities in the world.

2:39

Today, thousands of young couples will be arriving at Seoul International Airport, to be married in the Moon church within a few days ...

These mass weddings have continued to make international headlines over the past decades



Here I am supposed to meet with nurse Kristof from Belgium and his Philippine bride Marylene, who met in the Moon church in Belgium

(greeting 3:11)

Hello!

K:... a familiar face!

VO: in the nineties the Moon church was referred to as a cult in our country and it had a very bad reputation...

I am curious to know how now, three years after the church's founder's passing, the Moon church is doing.

And who the young couples are, that will be wedded within days in this mass wedding

3:26



AS: That big group of people over there, are they couples as well? I wonder if they are all blessing candidates...

K:...that is very well possible..., hm, mommy?

AS: you call her Mommy?

K: Ja, ja ....

K: that is: Mommy with an O!...m-o-m-m-y

AS: and do you call him Daddy?

M: No, I call him Pappie

AS: Pappie? .....oh....Mommy and Pappie! Wow!

(talking to Korean brothers)

K: we are here for the Blessing

Brother: you are heading for the Hanwha Resort?

Go to him and ask ....No, no, no,

Go to him and tell him your name, and where you came from...

AS: The president of the Belgian Moon church, Philippe, has followed the Moon faith from the early days...

AS: He wants to attend this upcoming mass wedding at all cost!

Meeting Philippe

AS: How was your journey?

PJ: thank you! ...a bit tired, but I am doing fine now!

AS: I know, it is a long trip!

PJ: Yes, very long. But I am used to travel to Korea. I have come here for more than twenty times

AS: Really? So you come every year?

PJ: Yes, every year, and sometimes two times a year...

Talking to the Dutch couple

AS: And you are also coming for the Blessing Ceremony?

Yes

(MA is Marylene)

MA: He is from Italy and she is from Holland!

PJ: that is a good mix...

AS: is that a good thing? ....

AS: is that a good one?

PJ: Yes! Italians they are very warm... they like to speak like that ....

PJ:...and the Dutch: they are more like Germans...like the Flemish also...

PJ: so together they make a good mix...

AS: and how long have you known each other?



Stefano: ...actually...just about a year... a bit less...

5:16

AS: Was it important to you to come to the Blessing here?

ST and ME: Yes, it is a precious thing!

ST: for me personally also: my parents came here in 1982 to be blessed, and my brother came here... in 2012

ST: It is a very personal tradition... we like it this way!

ST: It feels very special to come here...

6.00 arriving after bus ride



Voice over (VO): The Moon movement has 15 million followers worldwide, who are asked to donate a part of their income

VO: In this way the church has built quite an imperium worldwide, with a lot of real estate and capital

VO: this hotel is also a Moon asset ...

VO: Moon adherents follow strict precepts in their daily lives

VO: tobacco and drinking alcohol are strictly forbidden, and sex before marriage is not allowed

VO: so the young men and women sleep in separate rooms

(no subtitles during the walk to the rooms)

K: Wow, nice, isn't it?

AS: How many persons are in one room?

ME: Five people are in our room

K: so you better hang your dress out already ...

K: ... a big dress for a small lady...

K: this one can hang also there..

AS: and what is your name?

AM: Amalia... AmaliaEscalona

AS: and where are you from?

AM: I live in Northern Ireland, where I was born... my father is from Venezuela and my mother is Japanese

MS: and how did you meet your fiancé?

AM:...we met through our parents...

AM: friends introduced us... and from then we started to meet ...

AS: and when did you meet for the first time?

AM: the first time? ... in person we met exactly last year, in February

VO/AS: While the young couples get settled in the hotel, I make my way to the site where the mass wedding is to take place, together with Philippe



He himself married a young Japanese woman in 1992, during the biggest mass wedding ceremony ever held under Moon's auspices

8:16

PJ: The first time I came here was in 1982. Then there were no buildings yet, absolutely nothing was there.

PJ: It was very wild....We could go to the top of the mountain, and with a little boat we went across the lake

PJ: You can see there the Museum... where reverend Moon and Mrs. Moon were living...

AS: I see, so it is there residence?

PJ: Yes they were living there. It is a museum, but it is also a place to stay for them.

AS: It is like the palace of a king or of a Caesar!

PJ: Actually they were never living alone there, there are always a lot of people coming, many leaders, many VIP's ....

PJ: a lot of conferences being organized there... rev. Moon did not ask to build it

PJ: we built it because it was needed... it is our Vatican!

AS: and there we will come for the Blessing Ceremony...

PJ: you will see many buses coming... it will be very nice!

AS: how many couples will be there?

PJ: I heard 3.400 couples will attend ... that's about 7000 people almost

AS: that is a big amount of people, but it is not anymore like in your time...

AS there were many, many couples... how many?

PJ: yes there were 30.000 couples then....

Bo Hi Pak: Ladies and gentlemen, we'll commence the Unification Church International Holy Wedding

BH: officiated by the reverend and Mrs. Sun Myung Moon.

BH: The total of 60.000 brides and bride grooms, assembled from some 130 different nations of the world

BH: .... beyond color, and nationality... are joining this sacred global wedding, this is a first time in human history

PJ: Reverend Moon is always trying to match people from enemy countries .....with very different characters and of different races

PJ: because the children that come from such a couple cannot hate the other race – as they have to find harmony with both parents

PJ: and that is a shortcut to make peace in the world: to mix all those races, all the nations



For the brides and grooms receiving the Blessing, hurray!

True Father shouting Mansei: For the brides and grooms receiving the Blessing today, hurray!!!

10.50

AS: and reverend Moon. Who is he for you?

PJ: Reverend Moon had a vision from Jesus – and Jesus asked him to continue his mission.

PJ: so he is like the returned Messiah – I can say ... for me he is...

PJ: as you know Jesus was the Messiah, for those who follow him

PJ: it is the same for me: reverend Moon is my Messiah, and I can be the Messiah for others also

AS: so for you Mr. Moon is what Jesus is for many people? Really?

PJ: Yes, this is what we believe. The Messiah is some one who brings people to God. Like a prophet....

11.38 – 12.12 MUSIC

VO: In the early days reverend Moon himself did all the matching

VO: he did that either making use of pictures, or arbitrarily putting blessing candidates in a row and then match them.

VO: Often this was done one day before the Blessing ceremony

VO: since the passing of the founder new followers can make use of an online dating system

VO:...a system in which Susan makes the final decisions.

SC: I am very, very clear about it that I am not like Reverend Moon

SC: I do not have that kind of vision into the spiritual world, or look in the face and understand the character of somebody like that.

SC: My main ability is that I am a pretty good listener – and I help people cooperate and communicate well with each other

AS: But in fact ...you decide about lives?



SC: ..... we ask the young people to fill out a very detailed form: what are their hopes and dreams? what kind of person they would like to have for their partner?

SC: then we consider that and we talk amongst the staff – and we search for a suitable person for them

SC: and we take them through a process of education.....

AS: and that process of education... what is it? What lessons would they get?

SC: Before someone can be a matching candidate they have to understand the Divine Principle

SC:...and understand the meaning of this Blessing

SC:...and then they need to be active in some aspect of our movement

SC:...they have to demonstrate that they give financial offerings

SC:...and they need to show that they have good character

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SC: this young couple... he is from Albania and she is from the Philippines

SC: usually we ask them to have three weeks of e-mail communication or Facebook

SC: and then – as soon as possible – they should meet one another

SC: but in this case their families are poor, so we made an exception for them. They did not have to do that.

AS: it is only some days ago that you met for the first time?

JN: Yes, we met each other yesterday

AS: Yesterday?

JN: Yes. When I arrived from the Philippines

NA: (Albanian man) To meet here is something special. A more high feeling!

JN: sometimes we have a language difficulty understanding each other



JN: but of course ....as True Parents and God are with us, we have a heartistic connection

JN: so we can understand each other – though we may not understand what words we say

JN: like that... just through our hearts – because he is first of all a son of Heavenly Parent, a son of God

JN: so I look at him in that way, God's way, not in a horizontal way

JN: I am in love with this man in God's way – from Gods viewpoint

SC: I noticed that this man has such good hands, you see? You can judge a person like that, their body .....a little bit

SC: you know ....

SC both of them have very ... homely faces ... lovely!

SC: but they are not movie stars... like me...

SC: if you look at the hands, there is something so good in these hands... so I said to Jennifer: see, this is a good man!

SC: You can tell by his hands, look! The finger nails, everything is so good! So.. you can trust ..... he is a good guy!

NV: Actually my promise which I want to give to Jennifer is ... my parents ... eh -- first I...then my

parents can love her like their daughter

NV: also I am living because I have good parents, and...I'm going to love her like her mother can love her

NV: I have one picture of my parents... if you want to see.

NV:... you want to see it?

AS yes, yes please ...

NV here are my parents...

AS when they were young ...!

AS They were your age!

AS where are you going to live now? You are from Albania and you from the Philippines, you are now staying in Korea...

NV Actually we discussed, but not a lot, about this

NV I need to choose the way that is more well for God of course ...and for True Parents, which we believe in a lot

NV we have to discuss more... because we have a few days here, and need more to discuss



AS: you only met yesterday, there is still much to discuss...

16:43 song

Taking pics

K: we can do anything we want

K: I will lift you ...

M: No!

K: you do not like it? .....allée, it's OK...

VO Dutch Melanie grew up in a Moon family, and met Stefano from Italy during a youth camp of the Moon church

VO they want to introduce me to Melanie's best friend, Alexandra

AS: who is your fiancé?

AA: His name is William Aso, his father is Japanese and his mother is English, he lives in England, in Newcastle ....

AS: ah, you blush a little when talking about him!

AA: ja...right –that is probably so ...

AS: are you in love with him?

AA: I cannot say that it is 'that kind of being in love'. It is more... it feels more like... love!

AA and that is a much better feeling, because I sense that it really comes from my heart

AS: how about sexual abstinence? Is that something you really choose for? Because it's totally opposite to the life style of many young people these days

AA: yes you are right in that point. As for me, I think it is very important to keep things this way until after the Blessing ceremony

AA: God very clearly gives His permission then ... like: 'OK now you guys can really share this point together, because now you are really husband and wife'

ME: I feel that I really support this point .... the fact that you really set yourself apart for one special person

ME: very often people are being misused and hurt when it comes to this point

ME ...when they share this aspect with someone who does not really care for them

ME ... and not really want to grow old with that partner



ME therefore I think it is very beautiful to save this point for one special person and only share this with him

AS: but kissing and cuddling ...is that allowed?

AA: A bit of cuddling is allowed, but kissing is not allowed...

AS: kissing is not allowed?

AA: not yet, .... no kissing yet!

ME it is the simple fact that once you move in that direction, it is very difficult to hold back and draw a line

ME because you tend to move very quickly towards a certain line and then also cross it

AS it is about kissing, Amalia

AM: I was trying to figure it out!

AS: I wanted to know if you can kiss before the Blessing

AM: as far as I know: NO!

AA: But I do not have a problem with that actually

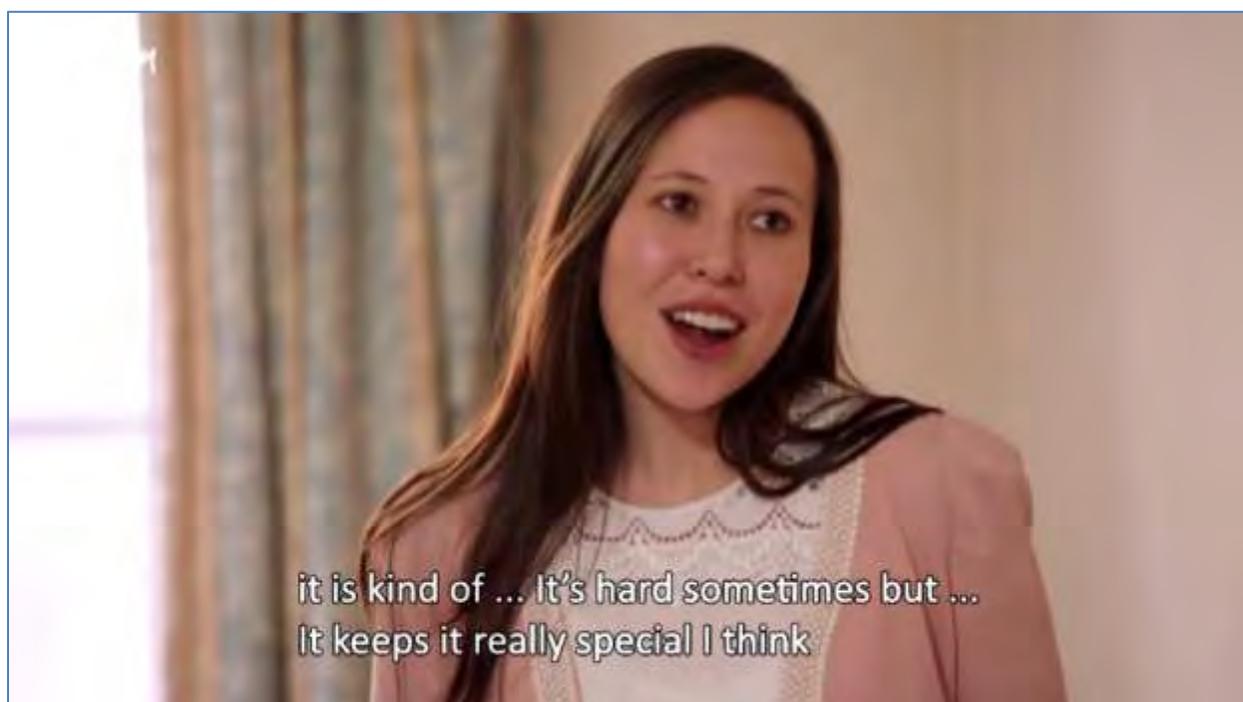
AM: we don't mind... we don't even hold hands yet

AS No?

AM: No, we don't walk hand in hand. We decided to leave it till later on. Because we thought... yeah, of course there are moments that we really want to

AM ...sometimes we were holding like this or like that but... we don't walk... holding hands

AM yeah... so we decided to keep that for ... a bit later... like after tomorrow



AM it is kind of .... It's hard sometimes but .... It keeps it really special I think

AS But even after the Blessing Ceremony you keep a period of forty days?

AM: that is a... that is optional

AS Ah ... OK!

AM So there are couples who want to do that... as a final thing...

AM but 40 days is actually nothing compared to all the time we spent preparing

AM...so it is up to the couples...

AS so what did you decide?

AM.. we decided to do forty days

AS and you?

AA: Yeah we are waiting

AS ah ya!, ... so 40 days more ... and you Melanie?

ME: no, not us ...

AS: I see, so that is possible?

ME Yes



AS So you have decided: after the Blessing ceremony we are allowed to come together closely?

ME: that's right

21.00

OV one day before the marriage there is the Holy Wine ceremony

OV During this ritual all the young couples and also their descendants become direct descendants of Moon

OV after much insistence we get permission to film this ceremony .... until ten minutes before the start

Korean: it is a NO

AS and why? Why is it a NO?

Korean: it is an age old policy we have

David Hanna: the Holy Wine ceremony is a ritual of infusing God's body into your body with new love

DH: the fact that you participate in the Holy Wine ceremony means that you receive the blood of the Blessing

It means you are joined in a relationship with True Parents through their love, life and lineage ...

Philippe telephoning

PJ: OK ...OK we are waiting ...you think you can call soon cause actually it will start now...

AS what do they say?

PJ: they say 'no' to all TV crews, so why say 'yes' to you?

AS but where are they afraid of?

PJ because of bad experiences in the past I guess... I don't know

PJ anyway, as they say: it's the policy ...

AS the policy..... we'll watch it from here

DH it is only when you drink the Holy Wine that I can bless you

DH In distributing the blood of the True Parents the Holy Wine ceremony is the ceremony

DH to change your lineage and it thereby removes the original sin that occurred at the Fall

DH In other words it is a ceremony to transform your flesh and blood ... it really changes who we are

Couples reading 23:25



K: The realm of the royal family means that we all become relatives of one great family. Everyone in the royal family has the dignity and grace of kings and queens, princes and princesses...

Hey, these vows are also nice...

'What is true love? We do not refer to the selfish love that is...'

AS: what are you doing?

K: we're somehow reading a book with extracts of the words of True Father...

AS: so you are really preparing yourselves for the ceremony tomorrow?

K: and we're really interested in all that we're reading here. It's not only a preparation, it's really interest

AS: I see...and how was the Holy Wine ceremony, as we were not allowed to come in to film, we just watched you from the doorstep – how did you experience it?

M: It's very solemn, that's why we need it really quiet, so that we can reflect ourselves, that we can feel deeply .....

K: yes, that's our deepest feelings – also with each other, that was the first true 'heart-to-heart connection' that we had there, with God in the center..

AS: you also got a little bag – let me see!

M: here's the veil K: nice he? M: I'm going to look like a queen here, it's like a crown

K: you don't need that to be a queen!

M: I think it's like this...

K: no no no...you have to put it higher so that you can see – like this I think – I don't know, I'm just doing

something .....

M: no no no, it's not like that – it's somewhere like here I think – and we have here the shawl with the symbol

K: this is the symbol of the Family Federation

AS: I see! And do you also have rings?



M: yes, we have also rings

K: you have them always with you, right?

M: if you see someone wearing a ring with a symbol like this, you know they are blessed

K: that's important for us also -- that's going to be our wedding ring – or Blessing ring

AS: and I also talked with some young girls about the abstinence – why is it important?

M: we first have to prepare ourselves internally

K: yeah, that's important

M: because it's very important for the lineage, then you can have children that you can offer to God

AS: and how many children would you like to have?

Laughing...

K: we don't know – as many as God gives us

M: why not... it's family, husband and wife, and then the children, and God is in the center of the family

K: there should be no boundary..... every child is welcome in our family – if it's one or ten, they're still all equal to us, they are all true children from the lineage...

VO: in the nineties the Moon Church was heavily discredited – Moon was accused of fraud, corruption, sex scandals and constituting a sect. Through all this commotion Philippe -- who only met his wife one day prior to his marriage – got a lot of criticism, a trauma that has been troubling him for a long time

AS: in Belgium you were not known as the Moon movement, but as the Moon sect .....

PJ: ja, that was very pejorative

AS: did it hurt you?

PJ: Yes, somehow it did. And people were also afraid of us, even thinking that when they are looking into our eyes they will be brainwashed.

PJ: For me, if the people criticize us because they think we do something against the law, the justice system is there.

PJ: So if we do something against the law we'll be in prison, or we will have a court case – but that never happened.

AS: but I read the biography of Rev. Moon, and I think he finds himself so divine! For me that's difficult to accept

PJ: I understand this. You also have to know the character of the Koreans;

PJ: in western countries by showing a humble attitude, you will be accepted.

PJ: In Korea people respect you when you put yourself on the stage – and for me in the beginning it was very difficult to see...

PJ: .... but in Korea they really appreciate this, and they respect people who have a lot of titles.

AS: and is it the same with a palace like that?



PJ: in his first 40 years he had not even a room to stay in, he was always in a miserable place, I can say.

PJ: But after that the church grew, and then of course we offered him more than just a simple home.

PJ: And it's not that he asked for that, but the people ..... that's normal when you love somebody, and you recognize him as a prophet or a saint or the Messiah you want to do everything for him, and want to offer everything you have to him...

VO: the Moon church grew especially in Asia, but it also prospered in America where they were supported and financed by conservative, right wing America

VO: With the money of all these donations the Moon church built not only the stadium, but also a training center, a temple and a hospital.

VO: This location became an important pilgrimage site for Moon's followers

VO: ...Nertil has been here before, and wants to introduce the Moon religion more deeply to Jennifer one day before their marriage.

Nertil / NR: True Father made five Holy Trees; this tree is the Tree of Love, we need it to receive love from God and from True Parents, like True Love. We're in the center of the world here..

AS: the center of the world!

Nertil: ...of the world, yeah. For us it is so important, you know. True Parents prayed a lot to find a place which is the most – how to say – the most beautiful and pure

JN: They invested a lot of blood, tears and sweat in this place, not just the money, but their heart – so that's why I feel so grateful that I am here

JN: What is there inside?

NR: inside is the photo of True Parents, and rooms for lectures of the seminar... such a beautiful place! I like it so much!

NR: here is the...

JN:...Water of Life

NR: we know that water is the most important thing for life

JN: can we drink that water?

NR: yeah, we can drink

JN: .... that water comes from the root of the trees and those stones?



NR: ... actually, to be serious I don't know... maybe from Heaven

JN: ... in the Philippines we also have the same idea, like near the river there is some water coming from the stones like this, and they say it is coming from heaven ....

NR: this is the top of all the trees and all these buildings, which represents that God wants to bless everything, you know...

PJ: As you know, when we were just matched, two days before actually, we could not have fallen in love yet. We did not love each other because we didn't know each other, so it took a lot of time, but I could reach the heart of my wife

AS: the two of you, you found each other

PJ: yes

AS: but the chance is bigger that you don't find each other

PJ: maybe my wife did not like me at that time because we did not know each other

PJ: ... but I think if both have the same ideal, you know,... and this is very important that we put God first

PJ: .... and we really want to look into the same direction, not look at each other, with the same philosophy and the same ideal ...

PJ: ... so it is much more easy to create some relationship. That's why many couples are successful ...

AS: but I can imagine that there are also many divorces – because it's so difficult, so many problems to overcome ...

PJ: yes, but there are not so many divorces, about 5 percent, I heard – because even if people have difficulties together, they don't divorce.

PJ: It's a commitment, so they stay together and they try ... until they pass away.

PJ: I can say that their whole life long they really try to find unity ...

VO: meanwhile it's time for the last preparations for the marriage. All night long the brides receive help from a large team of hairdressers and make up specialists

VO: Each bride is appointed a certain time – but each nightly hour has its advantages and disadvantages

AS: at 12:00 pm the make-up, and at 00:30 am the hairdresser, that's a difficult time, isn't it?

KR: you are going to have to sleep straight up .....

MA: well, right now it's 08:00 o'clock pm, then I still have like three hours to sleep

AA: what time is it, do you know?

AM: now... it is 10 past eight... so we have time – four hours to sleep

AS: will you be there when the make-up is done?



NR: maybe it's more to be a surprise, when I see you tomorrow it's a surprise... just a moment! Here: see the photo

AS: oh it's nice! This picture, you can later show it to your children. Do you want to have children?

NR: the most important reason why we are here is about family...

NR: and True Parents say if you don't have a good family, if we do not create a good family, we cannot create a good society

AS: so children are important!

NR: not just important, but very important! ...and also, I like to have many children!

AS: how many?

NR: if I say to you... it's like... many... I don't know how to put like... I like ... more than seven!

AS: and you Jennifer?

J: for me... I just like three or four

Make up specialist: you can choose any color!

J: any color that she can lay up is okay

VO: Jennifer is one of the first... once her hair and make-up are done, she'll have to stay up all night

AS: you're looking forward to tomorrow?

J: yeah... a little bit excited

AS: are you also a little bit afraid?

J: Yes, but not for the Blessing, but for the future, because he lives so far from my country.

J: and I think I'm going to follow him of course, if we... like start family, so I don't think I can go to my country easily

AS: Do you think he is the right husband for you?

J: Yes, I think so. Because he is given to me by God. And also because we have like the same thinking ...

J: ... that even though we are totally different and we have many struggles together, we still need to overcome those things.

J: So that's why I think he's the perfect husband for me

37.14

VO: after a much too short night, all couples are ready by 05:00 am for the day of their lives

K: what time did you have your make-up?

M: twelve o'clock...

K: so you could sleep a little bit afterwards?

M: no, impossible -- just sitting...



M: nobody slept in our room

AS: and how do you feel?

ST: amazing – I'm in the clouds! I cannot imagine anything more beautiful – I cannot! I'm serious!

AS: Good morning! You look beautiful! What do you think of your bride?

NR: What to think? – when I think that this is her..... it is like a miracle ... what happened...

AS: what do you think of your bride?

Amalia's spouse: when I first came out I was actually surprised, I wasn't expecting her to look that good!

Amalia's spouse: ... I guess she got the right person to do her make-up!

AS: yes – you're beautiful! And are you in love?

Amalia's spouse: Yes!

AM: yes, I can say that now I am. It's been something that we've built up together,

AM: Of course overcoming certain misunderstandings, different backgrounds, way of thinking, personality ...

Amalia's spouse: and everything both of us have been developing ever since our teenage years, and even beyond that ....



Amalia's spouse: ...that is like coming together, everything, character wise, material wise... everything.

Amalia's spouse: Heartistically, spiritually, all that coming together

AM: Yes, I think something that keeps us strong is our belief, our faith, also the purpose of why we're coming together

AM:.. we want to contribute for world peace; this is our way that we believe we can overcome different cultures together..

AM: we can learn how to love the other ...

VO: at 6 o'clock in the morning the three thousand five hundred couples arrive in the gigantic stadium.

VO: In the presence of some 20,000 guests they will receive the divine Blessing of the True Mother, Moons' widow.

VO: But we still need to have some patience, as the real ceremony will only start in about 4 hours

AS: you guys are sitting in the very first row! What an honor! Why is that?

ME: We are what is called a 'representative couple'. There are three couples chosen to be representative for Europe.

ME: I don't know what the criteria are, but we were chosen...

AS: and are you going to kiss afterwards? .... The first kiss?

ST: ... eh, yeah!

AS: ...the first kiss?

ST: well... the first official!

00.41.30

AS: what do you think of her, Kristof?

KR: She's gorgeous! ..... really, that's the truth!

KR: Amazing, astonishing, really a big 'wow' factor! ..... And now you can blush!

00.42.00 KOREAN MC

MC: The Cosmic Blessing Ceremony will now begin.

00.42:11



True Mother: Do you promise to become ideal families who aim for Cheon Il Guk through the tradition given by the True Parents of Heaven and Earth?

00.42:35

True Father: Such a family is linked to the tribe, from tribe to the nation, from nation to the world.

00.43:06

True Mother: By the grace of Heavenly Parent and True Parents, I declare in front of the Cosmos that it is established!

00.43:23

Crowd: ....True Parents....Hurray!

00.44.00

AS: may I congratulate you! Can I kiss the bride...



ST: when I'm with her I really feel I can become better, she inspires me,

ST: like the best part of me shines when I'm with her, so I hope to give her the same

AS: that's nice! I wish you all the best...

AM: many emotions, many things going through the mind... yeah, it was very special for me

Matthias: When they proclaimed that I... yeah I couldn't – I actually did not believe it

AM: it was like almost unbelievable

AS: did you already kiss your bride

Matthias: I gave her on the cheek a kiss...

Jennifer: it's really a big happiness in my heart, because, you know, it's just a once in a lifetime experience

SC: I'm witnessing the birth of the miniature True Parents for many communities

SC: so this is very special for me also.

SC: They're challenged to love and serve each other...

SC: ...face the real problems in the community and help people to become happy

KR: it was all so deep and so meaningful, it was just so blissful

AS: you are touched, Marylene?

MA: yes I'm so touched! Especially when they showed all the sacrifices of reverend Moon in the video .....

MA: so I feel... we are so grateful! Because of his sacrifices we received this Blessing .....

MA: so that's why we have to hold on with our promise, we make a vow that we will love each other for eternity!

*The end*