The Seoul Western Center works on US Army Bases

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A young Englishman and several American civilians and servicemen coordinate activities of the Seoul Western Center of the Unification Church. While making arrangements for parking permits, John Price, who is president of a Seoul chapter of People-to-People, had the opportunity to meet Colonel Coffman, the garrison commander at the army base. Colonel Coffman is a strong Christian, who would like to see the Gospel of Jesus Christ spread to all the troops stationed in Korea. Once a month he calls all the garrison officers together for an early morning breakfast. He is making arrangements to invite John to come and speak about the programs of People-to-People, an international friendship organization working in Korea. John was recently elected president of a Seoul chapter.

The Seoul Western Center is also pursuing possibilities for giving the Victory Over Communism lecture series at the army base, either to officers or to enlisted men. One of the people most interested in the Unification Principle at present is a soldier at Camp Casey. He was contacted by the Unification Church leader in Tongduchon, and feels that the Principle is logical and critically necessary for the restoration of the world to God.