South American Youth and Student Hyojeong 21-Day Special Workshop

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The South American Youth and Student Hyojeong 21-Day Special Workshop was held from February 1st to 23rd at the HJ Heaven and Earth CheonBo Training Center. This workshop, centered on True Mother's teachings and co-organized by the Training Center and the South American division, welcomed around 300 youths from 10 South American countries, including 197 from the second generation and 103 from the first generation.

Jeon Yoo-sang, Director of the HJ Heaven and Earth CheonBo Training Center, led the opening ceremony. It featured an opening prayer by Kim Sung-nam, Subregional Director for Central and South America, a welcome speech by Samuel Otta Linhares, President of the South American Youth Federation, an encouragement speech by Kim Dong-woo, Continental Director for South America, a presentation of winter gear by Choi Young-sun, President of WFWP Korea, and Song Hwa Jin, General Secretary, and a special message and blessing from Lee Ki-seong, Director of Cheonshimwon.



President Linhares expressed his hope that participants would transform into embodiments of PURE WATER. Director Kim Dong-woo thanked the Heavenly Parent and True Mother for miraculously guiding everyone to the workshop, emphasizing the importance of the second-generation leaders in the 12th year of Cheon II Guk. He encouraged them to embrace Heaven's fortune and unite with True Mother

during these 21 days.



Director Lee Ki-seong expressed his aspirations for the South American participants to fulfill the first verse of the Family Pledge, "Our family, the owner of Cheon II Guk, pledges to seek our original homeland and build the Kingdom of God on earth and in heaven, the original ideal of creation, by centering on true love" hoping they would meet the True Parents and experience rebirth during their time at the Training Center. President Choi Young-sun, in her presentation, highlighted True Mother's unparalleled concern for future generations, urging participants to internalize valuable lessons and become influential figures globally after the workshop.



The workshop participants received six days of Divine Principle education, followed by three days of pilgrimage and exploration of True Parents' life and legacy. The program, led by providential leaders and instructors, aimed to foster personal growth, instilling a spirit of absolute love, faith, and obedience towards the Heavenly Parent and True Parents.

Concluding the workshop, True Mother arranged for the South American participants and the first batch of Top Gun students to receive education on "The Value of True Parents from the Viewpoint of Heaven's Providence," reinforcing their commitment to Vision 2025.