



Jeong Og Yu: Understanding the Divine Principle: A Peek into the Mind of God

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The Divine Principle is an English translation of the original work, *Wolli Kangron*, written by the Rev. Dr. Sun Myung Moon based on revelations from God which were given to Rev. Moon on earth and as he traveled through the Spirit World. According to his autobiography, "As a Peace-Loving Global Citizen," Rev. Moon started writing down these revelations in January of 1951 and finished the book by May 10 of that year. (p.116)

Rev. Jeong Og Yu, Lecturer, Original Substance of Divine Principle Workshops, explains the Principle this way:

The Principle is the atomic bomb of True Love, the atomic bomb of eternal life, the

Words of salvation, the words of eternal life, the words of unity, the words of peace,

And the words of blessing that appeared in the 20th Century.

In the conclusion of his groundbreaking book, "A Brief History of Time," the eminent physicist and cosmologist, Stephen Hawking, asks "... why it is that we and the universe exists[?]" He goes on to write that "If we find the answer to that, it would be the ultimate triumph of human reason --- for then we would know the mind of God." (191) Hawkins' words are prophetic. However, it is not the triumph of human reason but rather the triumph of God's revelation which has given humanity insight into the mind of God.

For the Divine Principle teaches humanity why they and the universe exist. It also teaches humanity to know the mind and heart of God as well as why the world is in the mess it is in and what it is that needs to be done to help bring the Kingdom of God to earth.

As the New World Encyclopedia notes:

The content [of the Divine Principle] starts with God's purpose in creating human beings, the Fall of man, and redemption—the process through history by which God is working to remove the ill effects of the human fall and restore humanity back to the relationship and position that God originally intended.

Jon Halsey, attending a recent monthly prayer breakfast of the American Clergy Leadership Conference in Dallas, Texas, explained the Divine Principle as "the Miracle Whip on the sandwich of salvation."

It is in studying and understanding the Divine Principle that we can come closer to knowing the mind of God and in so knowing move closer to the heart of God.