# UPF UK: 12th Anniversary of Universal Peace Federation's Co-Founder Father Sun Myung Moon's Ascension

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#### 19th Anniversary of Universal Peace Federation

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Rev Dr. David Hanna: UPF North Europe President

You are welcome to join us for the anniversary of one of the Co-Founders of Universal Peace Federation (UPF). It is an opportunity to understand the original vision of Father Moon, as well as Mother Moon, for UPF. The 19th anniversary of the Universal Peace Federation, founded in September 2005, is also being commemorated...

Warm regards,

Robin Marsh and Margaret Ali

Robin Marsh: Secretary General, UPF - UK

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### Definition and Criteria

Launched in 2001, Ambassadors for Peace is the largest and most diverse network of peace leaders. As of 2020, there are more than 100,000 Ambassadors for Peace from 160 countries who come from all walks of life representing many races, religions, nationalities, and cultures, and commit to:

- · Stand on the common ground of universal moral principles, promoting reconciliation, overcoming barriers, and building peace.
- Form a global network representing the diversity of the human family and all disciplines of endeavor.
- · Promote cooperation beyond boundaries of religion, race, ethnicity, and nationality.
- · Practice "living for the sake of others" as the guiding principle for building a global community.

Below are just a few of our awardees, please click on the images to expand them:





















## Qualifications

Below are our criteria for nominating Ambassadors for Peace:

- Affirmation of UPF's principles of peace.
- Demonstration of leadership qualities in a given sphere of activity.
- Recommendation by a Senior Member of UPF or an organization affiliated with UPF.





#### **Principles**

- We are one human family created by God. The way to rise above the pursuit of self-interest is to recognize our common humanity, given to us by our Creator. Just as a parent can intercede in the disputes of children, the parental heart originating from the Creator can help us resolve the differences that exist between nations, cultures and



religions.

- The highest qualities of the human being are spiritual and moral in nature. Human beings long for truth, beauty and goodness. Life's deepest meaning and purpose can be found through their pursuit. Each person has an eternal spirit that transcends physical life. Spiritual principles are to be practiced in this life so that we are prepared for the eternal world.

- The family is the "school of love and peace." In the family, the most basic personal and public virtues are learned.
   Understanding the family as the school of love helps us to recognize that family is the most essential institution. The foundation for a healthy family is a faithful, committed marriage.
- Living for the sake of others is the way to reconcile the divided human family. By practicing living for the sake of others, we become other-centered rather than self-centered. The essence of good character is true love expressed through unselfish actions.
- Peace comes through cooperation beyond the boundaries of ethnicity, religion and nationality. Lasting peace cannot be
  achieved through political compromise alone, but requires addressing the root causes of conflict. Transcending racial, religious
  and ethnic barriers is an imperative of our time. Faith can give people the power to forgive, and the love to overcome even
  generations of hatred, resentment and violence.

You can apply to become an Ambassador for Peace and enrol in one of our Seminars which outline the vision of UPF's Founders and the role of Peace Ambassadors.

Would you like to become a Peace Ambassador?



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