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Let us become true owners of Cheon II Guk who practice true love in resemblance to our Creator, the Heavenly Parent!



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#### CHAPTER 1 LET'S MAKE SÃO TOMÉ AND PRÍNCIPE HEAVEN ON EARTH



This is True Mother's Opening Address at the 2019 African Summit on September 5 in the National Assembly Building of São Tomé and Príncipe

DISTINGUISHED GUESTS FROM HOME AND ABROAD, VIPS AND FORMER VIPS, PEACE AMBASSADORS, THE president of São Tomé and Príncipe, government ministers and distinguished guests from the continent! You have come here today to reflect on how we can achieve a peaceful world.

When we look at human history, so far, there has never been a time when we didn't strive for a peaceful world. That is how much humanity has wished for peace, but starting with ourselves, if we cannot unite our mind and body, we cannot hope for peace. Throughout the history of human civilization, many righteous people and righteous religious leaders arose. But the day they all sought to realize never dawned. Why was that so? Today, we know that human thinking and will have limits. Thus, we must know God's original nature and essence as the owner and the Creator of the universe.

God created all things in heaven and on earth in his image. Lastly, he created a man and a woman who were to become humankind's ancestors. God gave human beings responsibilities. During their growth period, they had to grow to perfection, but failed to do that. As a result, today's fallen human race is a people without a relationship to God.

Since God, our Creator, made all things with eternity in mind, he cannot change his creation simply because his children had made a mistake. Since God cannot abandon fallen humankind, he began the providence of salvation. He carried out this salvation until his chosen people were able to lay and expand their foundation from the individual level to that of the family, tribe, people and finally a nation. Only after a long four thousand years was God finally able to send Jesus Christ, his only son, a son he could directly talk to and relate to and one he speak of to humanity as "my son."

Unfortunately, the Israelites, God's chosen people, failed to recognize Jesus. Even though God finally sent Jesus, his only son, after four thousand years, among Mary, who gave birth to Jesus, Jewish leaders and the Israelites, none knew who Jesus was. They ended up putting Jesus on the

cross. Jesus promised to return as he died on the cross. On his left and right sides were two thieves. The thief on his left mocked Jesus while the one on his right rebuked the one on the left saying, "We are punished justly, for we are getting what our deeds deserve, but this man has done nothing wrong." Then, Jesus told the thief on his right, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise." He said "Paradise."

God, the Creator, made his creation in his image. In this light, Jesus, who was born as a man and as God's only son, should also have God's only daughter by him. Sadly, such an environment could not be created. The kingdom of heaven is a place where only a perfected man and woman can enter as a couple. Jesus said he would return, but those in the Christian cultural sphere, which formed after Jesus' crucifixion, did grasp Jesus' essence.

#### True Parents must emerge

After Christianity became officially recognized as the Roman Empire's state religion in 313 ce, Christianity could move on to a new page. Beginning from the Italian Peninsula, it spread across Europe all the way to the island country of England. Then, people from many countries, with England at the lead, went out to the world with the Bible. I call this period the Era of the Atlantic Cultural Sphere. Sadly, they did not grasp Jesus' essence and ended up taking an egoistic direction in their endeavors. Jesus' essence called for the practice of living for the sake of others and for true love. That was not the kind of mission work they carried out at that time. All countries connected with the Era of the Atlantic Cultural Sphere were blind to Jesus' essence and prioritized their national interests instead. Such egoism caused much damage, particularly on the African continent.

The truth about God's providence must now be known. The six thousand years of history described in the Bible until now has been characterized by walls of wars and conflicts, walls of religions and cultures, walls that prevent us from uniting. This is due to the failure to know God. There are four great religions in this world today, but they too do not know how to meet and become one with God.

#### God's only daughter was essential

God had to find and prepare a nation to recieve his only daughter and the True Mother of humanity for the returning Messiah to be able to fulfill his mission. The only daughter could not be born in Israel to a people that had not fulfilled their duties. That is because they still had indemnity left to pay.

So, for the completion of God's providence, God sent his only daughter to Korea, in Asia. If God's only daughter hadn't appeared, we would neither ever see the fulfillment of God's providence nor that of human history.

Our Creator, God, made a man and a woman in his image. Therefore, to see the completion of

God's providence, victorious human ancestors, True Parents, must emerge from among fallen humanity. Two thousand years ago, God sent his only son Jesus Christ without any connection to the fallen lineage, in the same way God's only daughter must be born without a connection to the fallen lineage for True Parents to finally emerge on earth. Only then can we witness the fulfillment of the providence.

That is why wherever you search in history today, you cannot feel any hope. However, since God's only daughter has been born, humanity has hope. After six thousand years, God could finally bring forth True Parents, who through the blessing movement open the door for all 7.6 billion people to come to Heavenly Parent's bosom. Because fallen humanity can now be in the position of children to God, the Lord of Creation.

#### Let's make this nation a model of heaven

There are around two hundred countries in the world today. In Africa alone are many big and small nations. Up until now, people lived here in an environment in which they could not unite. However, thanks to True Parents, through the families that received the blessing, the people of Africa can now become one. Through the blessing that we will hold tomorrow, by receiving True Parents' blessing, you will be in a position of true children that God can embrace and to whom he will manifest all his love. Heavenly Parent has longed to see this day for the past six thousand years; it is the day Heavenly Parent will say, "Now you have finally become my sons and my daughters." He fill his children with his love, shedding endless tears of joy. This is that blessed day.

Since God created the universe to last for eternity, for only a father and mother to receive the blessing does not suffice. The children too need education so they can enter Heavenly Parent's bosom. In the past, the first human ancestors, Adam and Eve, did not prepare well and fell during their growth period. Children of the blessed couples receiving the blessing tomorrow must keep their chastity until the day God can finally say, You too have grown up well; you are now ready. Only then can you become precious sons and daughters whom God can embrace. Therefore, I plan to bless this country's president and its government's personnel. I will give Sun Moon University scholarships to three people that the government chooses as future leaders of this country.

When True Parents have blessed all humankind, the world will become a place of blessings where Heavenly Parent can directly commune with humanity. If all blessed families fulfill their responsibilities, we will be able to see that day during our time on earth. As blessed families, work to create heaven on earth; if all the nations here become one, it will not only become heaven on earth but will also create the road to pass freely into the eternal kingdom of heaven in heaven. All of you here today can bring São Tomé and Príncipe to attend our Heavenly Parent and become heavenly São Tomé and Príncipe. If all its citizens become blessed families and blessed children whom Heavenly Parent embraces, this nation will become heaven on earth.

I want to say this again: Responsibilities are always present when you receive blessings from Heaven. Heavenly Parent has blessed São Tomé and Príncipe as heavenly São Tomé and Príncipe. So, when you are able to fulfill your responsibilities on earth and realize Heavenly Parent's dream, you will be able to proclaim to the world that São Tomé and Príncipe has become a model of heaven on earth. That will be a day of glory, blessing and endless joy. Will you do your best to make this happen? I would like to particularly thank the president of São Tomé and Príncipe and all cabinet ministers for their cooperation and support in making this day possible. Let us determine to make São Tomé and Príncipe heaven on earth.

## CHAPTER 2 PURE WATER WILL CLEANSE THE NATION



This was True Mother's message at the YSP Special Rally in São Tomé and Príncipe on September 6 at the Pestana Hotel

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p until now in your life, who is the person that you wished to meet, see and love the most? Oh! You love Heavenly Parent and then you love True Parents. You also love True Mother, God's only daughter and want to see her, right? Is that it? Is this your first time meeting me? I can understand your "Si" [Yes] You are in the process of becoming pure water. If you hear what I say, you will know what I mean, but the wider world today has no connection to Heavenly Parent. It is a fallen world. During the six thousand years of history described in the Bible, Heavenly Parent has been yearning, searching and longing for his beloved children. It has been a history of suffering and tears. Meanwhile, fallen humanity also continued to pursue goodness through the influence of the conscience. People sought to attain a position in which they could receive God's blessings, investing much effort into gaining that position. This brought about the emergence of the world's four representative religions. Their founders were men. As a result, religions have been bequeathed while being somewhat lacking and representing only one side.

In his image, God, our Creator, created all things. He created a man and woman to become the ancestors of humanity. He gave his blessings, a special privilege, to humans. They were to grow in purity and beauty from a position of absolute oneness with God, our Creator, during their growth period. They had to grow to a state in which God could say, "Ah! You have finally become perfect! I bless you." Unfortunately, that did not happen.

Today, here in São Tomé, blessed families, whom Heavenly Parent can bless and call his beloved sons and daughters, will be reborn through True Parents. And you are in their second generation, aren't you? I mentioned that you have a growth period to go through in the process of becoming pure water. As of now, you are pure water, united with God's only daughter, True Mother, who can grow

into people who can receive blessings. You must keep your purity.

For the first time today, here in São Tomé in Africa, a blessing ceremony will be conducted in unity with True Mother, God's only daughter, who attends Heavenly Parent. Under your promise of bringing about the completion of God's providence, São Tomé has even more hope because of you, who are growing into pure water. This pure water will purify all bad conditions that have made São Tomé's pure water muddy. Do you understand? When this happens, the kingdom of heaven on earth that Heavenly Parent has longed for can come about in São Tomé. That will be a day of great excitement, gratitude and glory. I am happy to see you. You are all beautiful. Could you all see well? Is True Mother, God's only daughter, beautiful? Thank you. I love you!

# CHAPTER 3 GUIDE THEM HOME HEAVENLY PARENT



This is True Mother's blessing prayer at the 2019 Hyojeong True Family Festival on September 6, 2019,

in the São Tomé and Príncipe National Assembly Building

Our most high and noble Heavenly Parent! How long did you wait and what did you endure for this one day! Based on the ideal you envisaged at the time of the Creation, you wanted to embrace, love and live with humanity as your children. But because Adam and Eve, who were to become humanity's ancestors, fell, you ended up waiting for the prolonged period of six thousand years, constantly worrying about the day you could embrace your beloved sons and daughters once again.

The ideal creation you intended was to last for eternity. But because victorious True Parents must emerge from amidst fallen humanity for your ideal to be achieved, how many diverse difficulties you had to take on and endure! Heavenly Parent! About six hundred or so new couples are receiving the blessing today.

At this very moment, they are resolving to create true families and to become the original ideal people you had envisioned your children to be in accordance with your will. For the past fifty years or so, True Parents have raised many blessed families around the world. Now, many blessed families who want to attend and live with You, our Creator and Heavenly Parent, are being born in all countries across the world.

Please enable the six hundred couples receiving the blessing today to realize that they are blessed families that are to lead this nation, though a small nation, toward becoming a heavenly São Tomé and Príncipe that lives with you, Heavenly Parent. Through living up to the principle of living for the sake of others centered on true love, this nation can become a nation you can embrace, a nation you want to love and bless.

As a nation, it that can also set the example for the whole of Africa as a nation that attends and lives with you. Please remember all your sons and daughters receiving the blessing today. I sincerely



## CHAPTER 4 FOCUS ON EDUCATING THE YOUTH!



## True Mother's Message during the Joint Celebration of the Victory of Her World Tour to Establish a Heavenly World and the Chuseok Holiday

September 13, 2019, HJ Heaven and Earth Cheonbo Training Center

Now, IN FRONT OF HEAVEN AND HUMANKIND, WE HAVE CREATED A MODEL NATION THAT CAN FULFILL Heavenly Parent's dream. But we cannot just be satisfied with creating it. When any new life is created, when a baby is born, it needs a growth period. Likewise, something remains to be done in the Democratic Republic of São Tomé and Príncipe. The very first and most important sector we must address here and that is sustainable and guarantees an eternal future is young people. In the past, Christians took the Bible throughout the world, and without properly introducing God, they governed and exploited people without even knowing Jesus' essential mission.

But when it comes to this movement, which FFWPU is now leading, they are focusing it on creating Cheon II Guk with True Parents at the center. After the six thousand years that have passed, Cheon II Guk, in which we can fulfill our Heavenly Parent's dreams, has finally started. We need to show the Democratic Republic of São Tomé and Príncipe to the world as a model nation and create an environment that all the countries in the world can duplicate. The most important thing is working with youth. We need to train them to grow up and take responsibility.

I will make some changes with the YSP leadership: Since World YSP President Robert Kittel has been primarily focusing on Asia due to his health, I am appointing him chairman of YSP International and in his place, I appoint YSP Vice-President Matsuda as president of World YSP. Fortunately, Matsuda has extensive experience and can speak foreign languages, so I want him to focus on educating young people not only in the Democratic Republic of São Tomé and Príncipe but in other

countries that have the potential to be restored. We will provide all the necessary support through the FFWPU International Headquarters.

The situation is the same in Korea, Japan and the United States. Blessed families as well as young people are our strongest assets for the future. Our FFWPU leaders must use their last ounce of strength to ensure that young people become children who join the central ranks, which are centered on Heavenly Parent and True Parents, and take the lead in achieving national restoration and world restoration and become children who can receive blessings.

Korean leaders must take the lead in challenging themselves. To be able to work on the world stage, Korean leaders should make the effort to become fluent in English or at least one other foreign language even if they have to give up some sleep in order to have more time to study."

## CHAPTER 5 LET US MOVE TOWARD OUR VISION



True Mother spoke on August 10 at the HJ Heaven and Earth Cheonbo Training Center's Main Hall to

Japanese women, most of whom have Korean husbands, and to a few Japanese men—all of whom have the

status of missionaries in Korea. This is what she said that day.

How long will you continue applauding? I will show to you all the fulfillment of providential history, the fulfillment of history itself. You've just heard of the providential work and the global providence. After listening to this, can you now see in your mind the work we will conduct to complete the providence? Can you picture it?

If Jesus Christ, who was born as God's son after four thousand years, had completed his mission, you and I today would not have a relationship, would we?.. The Israelites lived as God's chosen people, yet from God's point of view, they did not properly understand God. They did not know why Jesus Christ had to be born. Finally, after paying tremendous indemnity and sacrificing for two thousand years, Jews founded the state of Israel on May 14, 1948. Israel's land area is only as big as Gyeongsang Province and 60 percent of it is desert. It is undeniably true that they have achieved miraculous things in an area like that.

Jerusalem is a holy city where both Jews and Muslims live. They share Abraham as their ancestor. God's providence has gone through the Old Testament Age, the New Testament Age, and the Completed Testament Age. And today, True Mother, God's only daughter, has opened the doors of Cheon Il Guk. We are already in the seventh year of Cheon Il Guk. Meanwhile, a movement to accept True Mother, God's only daughter, is arising among Muslims. If humanity had not fallen, Heavenly Parent's providence of salvation would not have had to take place. Messianic thought would not have existed either. According to God's principle regarding the Creation, he created man and woman to live with him on the foundation of having fulfilled their responsibilities. You could say that True

Parents are such a man and woman, completely victorious in that respect. Jesus came two thousand years ago to form the True Parents. Unfortunately, the prepared environment did not welcome him.... As a result, Jesus died, leaving a promise that he would return.

#### The current age

God's only daughter, whom God could not send two thousand years ago, must also emerge with the advent of the returning Messiah. In other words, the returning Messiah can fulfill his responsibilities only if God's only daughter emerges on earth. Given that I have continually spoken of and revealed the truth about history, you will all be familiar with this. When you look at the problems that the world and Korea must solve today, have you felt that Heaven is somewhat mysteriously yet profoundly working on the side of his only daughter, True Mother?

At the rally held by Sub-Region 5, I said, "I will complete the Divine Principle." It is not complete. I said that the Divine Principle must explain Heavenly Parent. The Divine Principle shouldn't have simply tried to address the issue of the Second Advent but should have included True Parents' theology. From this perspective, we are now ushering in the seventh anniversary of True Father's Holy Ascension. As the Mother, I am seeking to fulfill the responsibilities we had not yet completed when Father was alive. Am I wrong for doing that? The reason I must speak about this today is because you must clearly understand who Heavenly Parent and True Parents are.

#### The universal dream

Only True Parents can achieve Heavenly Parent's dream.... Even the True Children have responsibilities. Their responsibility is to become people who can receive True Parents' blessings in the end.... Who launched Foundation Day and the first year of Cheon II Guk? Only those who become one with True Mother, God's only daughter, can emerge victorious in this Cheon II Guk era. You are all wise and your assessments correct. Right? The longest time a person can live is about a hundred years. Compared to the eternal world, this is just like a speck. Hence, how precious is your time on earth, particularly this time spent with the True Mother, God's only daughter? There will only be one set of True Parents for eternity within providential history and human history.

Vision 2020 alone is not my entire plan. Heavenly Parent dreams of having one big human family under him. The same goes for fallen humanity. To achieve that dream, we need to consider that there are more than two hundred nations today. And Korea, the homeland of our faith, has still to become a central nation in the world. Even if the 7.6 billion people from the two hundred or so nations around the world are unaware of Heaven's providence, they all wish for a world of peace. Yet, human history until to this day has been filled with wars, conflicts and endless discord.

#### Much depends on you

Even today, I can clearly see what the superpowers, such as the United States, Japan, China and Russia, are doing. At times, it is quite a sight to behold! When will you let them know God, our Creator and Heavenly Parent? You, the blessed families, who have received True Parents' blessing, are the only hope.

During the Chungcheong rally, I used the term, "chosen blessed families." The Israelites, who were the first chosen people, did not fulfill their responsibilities. Christianity was also supposed to move into the position of a chosen people, but they did not fulfill their responsibilities. Now, all blessed families, who have received True Parents' blessing, must fulfill their responsibilities as God's chosen people. To do that, you must complete your responsibilities as heavenly tribal messiahs. As blessed families who are registered in Cheonbowon, shouldn't you be going beyond your nations and heading toward the world? Will you do that?

#### Looking to the future

How old am I? Forty-six! That would be great if it were true. I have prepared a token of my appreciation for you all today. Initially, I prepared seventy-six of these because I am seventy-six years old, but I decided to provide twenty-four more to make it a hundred.

Why did I do that? Don't you want to know the reason? Or did you simply regard it as something True Mother always does? This time, however, it is a bit different. To prepare for our eternal future... I have taken into my hands the task of raising those in the third generation. We need to put them in the central position. To do that, however, I need your commitment and cooperation.

That's why I will be making an exceptional declaration during this seonghwa anniversary. If I do it today, the declaration may lose its allure. I hope to be able to transition everything to the third generation, at least within my lifetime, in a state of good health. To do that, I must remain in good health until I am a hundred years old at least. This is not for me, but for you. It is for your future descendants. I will make the announcement in 2020, and I will bless True Grandchildren in 2023. Unlike in the past, I will raise them myself. My hope is to raise—into people who are better than I—spouses for the True Grandchildren, those who can establish the eternal foundation of Cheon Il Guk, upon which Cheon Il Guk will prosper for eternity. If among your children, you have sons or daughters who can meet my expectations, please apply.

I am God's only daughter, the True Mother. I am the mother of the universe. The mother of the universe! Hence, I hope that you can raise your children well with such hopes and dreams.... How many people are celebrating their birthdays today? Those whose birthday is today please come forward.

# CHAPTER 6 TRUE MOTHER'S LETTER TO TRUE FATHER



One of the highlights of the Seonghwa Festival Commemorating the Seventh Anniversary of True Father's Holy Ascension was this letter that True Mother wrote to her husband and earthly companion of fifty-two years,

True Father, which Wonju Jeong McDevitt, chief of True Mother's Secretariat read aloud.

Beloved Father! How we miss you! Father you are always with us! Seven years have already passed since your Holy Ascension to the heavenly realms. There is no place in heaven or on earth untouched by your sweat and tears. On this day, we particularly long for you.

Father, one year before your ascension, even though you were more than ninety years of age, you visited the United States eight times. Refusing to care for your health, you invested yourself completely for the sake of the world and for humanity. What you had said, "Once we finish this task and there is little else to do, let us take a short break," never came true on earth in the end. Father, you worked day and night, and since I lived my life in attendance to you, I did not sleep more than three hours a night throughout my life.

During the sweltering summer of 2012, you entered the hospital for the final time, but even then, you rebuked those who recommended you stay in there, saying, "There is still so much to do. Why are we spending so much time at the hospital!" You then hastened to return home. You gave the instruction, "Today, set the table for two, with Mother facing me." Hearing you say this puzzled the members because whenever we sat together for meals, I always sat by your side.

Although the lunch table had been set, Father, you did not once lift your spoon. Instead, all you did was gaze into my face. Father, I think that you were most likely engraving my face in your heart. I smiled, placed a spoon in your hand and some food on your rice. Then, I continued to gaze at you as you ate. Father, I also engraved your face in my heart.

The next day, a day when the rays of the sun were particularly strong, you carried an oxygen tank the size of a full-grown person and toured the Cheongpyeong Lake area, beginning with the Cheongshim International Middle and High School. Then, after returning to Cheon Jeong Gung, you prayed, "Heaven, please give your blessing. I beseech you to allow me to conclude things." Then, you asked someone to bring a voice recorder. You offered your last prayer with me, saying, "I have completed the mission of the providence of restoration."

Then you said, "Mother, thank you! Mother, take good care of everything." Father, despite the difficulty of your condition, you kept saying, "I am so sorry and so grateful." I held your hand more firmly, looked at you gently and spoke with a soothing voice, putting you at ease. "Do not worry about anything." Father, you then returned to Heavenly Parent's bosom and you are resting in Bonhyangwon, at the foot of Mt. Cheon Seong.

Father, following your Holy Ascension, I came to Bonhyangwon at dawn every day. There were countless justifications or reasons why I might have rested and not visited you; but whether it snowed abundantly in the winter or rained torrentially in the fall, I came to Bonhyangwon each day in those early morning hours. For forty days after you ascended, I prepared breakfast and dinner for you. When I missed you, on numerous occasions, I came to Bonhyangwon and talked with you. Through those conversations, your thoughts became my thoughts and my thoughts became yours.

Whether the sun beat down, the wind blew, or thunder and lightning suddenly struck and torrential rain poured down, or whether snow blanketed the land, for 1,095 days following your ascension I carried on offering my devotions in remembrance of you. I also retraced the 5,600 kilometers you had traveled from Las Vegas to New York in the United States in the 1970s. I climbed the twelve mountains we had climbed together in the Alps. Then, I resolved to fulfill the promise I made you to "return to the spirit of the early days of the church and revive the church in spirit and truth."

Then, on the third anniversary of your Holy Ascension, I beseeched you to freely ascend to the eternal Bonhyangwon, to attend and comfort Heavenly Parent who had been lonely until then and to be free from all burdens. Then, for you, Father, and for Heavenly Parent, I resolved to succeed in the restoration of seven nations by 2020.

East to west, south to north, I ran with all my might, seeking to embrace the world. My mouth was sore, my legs were swollen.... I could barely stand, yet I could not rest. This was because however difficult realizing the will may be, I had to keep the promise I had made to you that I would conclude everything within my lifetime. I lived each day reaffirming my resolve that I would "fulfill this without fail" and that "to do so, I shall not change." Every time I desperately missed you, I looked to the moon for companionship and spoke with it, reminding myself of the promise I had made to you as I stood before your holy body, "I will firmly establish Cheon II Guk by the time I ascend." Living this way, seven years have already passed since your Holy Ascension.

Father, you know, don't you? Following your Ascension, I felt lost for words, in a position in which I was the only one remaining. My heart felt as if I were in a vast desert amidst a sandstorm, having to find a needle yet unable to open my eyes. Nonetheless I found it. I had to find it.

My resolve to absolutely restore seven nations by 2020, my resolve to register all blessed

families in Cheonbowon as Heavenly Tribal Messiahs, these are my gifts to you, Father. I pray that your gift, your life of hyojeong for Heavenly Parent, will radiate rays of hope throughout the world. Father, I love you.

## CHAPTER 7 OUR TASKS IN THE MONTHS AHEAD



True Mother spoke at the Cheon Il Guk Leaders' Assembly Closing Ceremony and Victory Celebration on August 19 at the Hyojeong International Culture Center. This is what she said on that occasion.

YESTERDAY, AT THE LEADERS ASSEMBLY, I SAW LEADERS WHO CONFIDENTLY EXPRESSED THEIR RESOLVE to boldly push ahead to realize Vision 2020. Vision 2020! Has the victory you promised to Heaven and to True Father become your victory? I think that's good.... Originally, God the Creator made the whole universe in his image. He created a man and woman, Adam and Eve. He then gave them a period for growth. They were to become one with God through their absolute faith, absolute love and absolute obedience during that time.

In complete unity with Heavenly Parent, they were to grow and attain perfection. The day they reached perfection would have become the day they emerged as humankind's true ancestors and they would be with Heavenly Parent.

Yet, this did not happen due to the mistake they made. I say this repeatedly because we are now in the era of completing the providence. According to the principle of creation, the Creator, Heavenly Parent, must reveal himself. Until now, however, this could not happen. What has been lacking, therefore, we must fill in.

The second part of the Divine Principle should show that the True Parents, who are the victorious human ancestors, absolutely must emerge to realize Heavenly Parent's dream and humanity's wish, instead of it focusing theoretically on the returning Lord, the Second Advent. In other words, the Divine Principle must be able to speak about the [actual] True Parents.

In this regard, we now have only a few months left until Vision 2020, the day we promised (in Heaven's presence) to realize. After that, I will work on establishing the foundation for the eternal Cheon II Guk. I will reorganize and support all areas connected to building that future. 2028 will mark the sixtieth anniversary of True God's Day. If the Christian foundation had served as an

environment for True Parents once they emerged, True Parents' Holy Wedding and Heavenly Parent's emergence would have happened on the same day. However, because no one had established that environment, True Parents emerged in 1960 and only later, in 1968, did we establish God's Day.

This was a time of deep remorse for us, particularly in front of Heaven. Soon, on the foundation of having successfully realized Vision 2020, that is, national restoration, as we advance toward the sixtieth anniversary of True God's Day (Heavenly Parent's Day), you will see miracles demonstrating that Heavenly Parent is with True Mother, God's only daughter, as she works on earth for Cheon II Guk.

For you to get over your stereotypes took a long time. When I spoke about Africa as the frontline of the providence, many people recommended I refrain from doing that, saying that Africa lacked a prepared environment. Others said only that they would prefer I not do it. In the end, you have seen and felt that wherever God's only daughter, True Mother, goes, Heavenly Parent goes with her.

#### **Caring for Christians**

While I am still on earth, I have much work to do. Throughout their history, Christians have been unable to comprehend God's essence and Jesus' essence. We must do something to mend this so that their hard work will not have been in vain; we must teach them. Being the True Parents, we have opened a way for them to be able to go to God as his true children. Isn't that right? There is hope for them if they believe in True Parents, accept True Parents and become families who have received the blessing. Heaven conducted the providence for six thousand biblical years to see this one day, and many righteous people around the world are working hard for God. I am saying this to you because I would like to find them and give them the chance to fulfill their responsibilities in relation to completing God's providence.

#### Structure for earthly heaven

By 2020, I would like to see some substantial developments and see the five [governing] branches of Cheon II Guk in full operation. Meanwhile, as I have said before, I will also be on the frontline leading the work needed to achieve global restoration by 2028. To do that, I will combine the Cheonjeongwon [administrative branch] and Cheonjaewon [financial branch] into one branch and have the Cheonbo providence [Cheonbowon] be the other branch. The Cheonbo Training Center as well as the café and its educational centers will be under the Cheonbowon. In other words, I have upgraded them. The Cheonbobwon [the Cheon II Guk judicial branch] will continue to operate, though it still needs augmentation in various areas. I'll work to make it better. As for the Cheoneuionn [the Cheon II Guk legislative branch], FFWPU is working well with UPF in each region. Hence, I will continue to manage members using the current people in charge.

#### Securing a good future

I will establish my grandchildren, directly guide and teach them to be central figures. Just as Heavenly Parent—the owner of the universe—is the one and only Heavenly Parent, True Parents are also the only True Parents for eternity. As I said, I must remain in good health until these grandchildren I am teaching and raising become forty years old. When I came onstage at the Seonghwa Festival, I had two grandsons, one on either side, helping me. Wasn't that good to see? I will give them time to grow into perfected, mature men, as well as to build mature families. I will also ensure that they have many diverse experiences.

#### **Increasing effectiveness**

I recently told high school students to go to Sun Moon University. Even the world-famous Harvard University began as a theological seminary. Sun Moon University's Department of Theology has been weak. That is why I said I will extensively develop it by making the Department of Theology into an academy that produces public leaders. Then, what should we call Sun Moon University? How should we rename it? The Cheon Il Guk National University! I will make it into a global university to which all second- and third-generation members around the world want to go.

Right after Father's ascension, the first thing I focused on was raising talented young people. As you know, I sold the helicopter Father used to ride in to create the Wonmo Pyeongae Scholarship. Consequently, I could help educate many second-generation members. I will directly manage the system to ensure that they receive a thorough education from now on. Those who graduate from the Department of Theology will get the Cheon Il Guk certificate [literally, "the Cheon Il Guk seal."]. Wouldn't that be an honor? I will ensure that Sun Moon becomes a university to which all parents, from generation to generation, want to send their children. In order to do that, I will establish a committee to promote Sun Moon University's development and will pay attention to every step of its management and operations.

#### **Future central figures**

I will proclaim worldwide that I am looking for wives for my two grandsons, Shin-chul and Shin-heung. I will accept recommendations. I am looking for precious granddaughters-in-law that can attend as well as develop Cheon Il Guk's future central figures. All those who are confident that they have or know just the right person, please recommend her to me. Then, they will have their engagement ceremony in 2020 and their wedding in 2023.

Please prepare and wait with a heart of gratitude for that day, the day God can trust and love us. I

mentioned that I will make the Cheonbowon one of the five branches of Cheon Il Guk. I should add that the director of the Cheonbowon will come from the True Family. Do you understand?

To True Parents, the world's 7.6 billion people are our children. Those I put in charge of something should throw away their self-centered selves and deepen their unity with God's only daughter, the True Mother. Only in doing that will you not make mistakes. You are now under one system. I would like you to take great interest in how this foundation, which True Parents established, works, especially to how it serves the world.

#### True Mother's Message at the Fortieth Anniversary of the Founding of the World Tong-il Moodo Federation

August 28, 2019, Hyojeong International Cultural Center

Congratulations. This year marks forty years since the founding of Tong-Il Moo-Do. Forty years in human life marks the point when man becomes most mature and perfect as an individual. Right? If the world today were the ideal world God, our Creator and Heavenly Parent, had originally envisioned... Sadly, the first human ancestors ended up falling into a state of immaturity and imperfection while they had still not united with Heavenly Parent. They became fallen human ancestors having no relationship with God.

Today, there are many large and small countries in the world. They all dream and strive to bring about a world of peace and happiness. Many religions have emerged through the actions of the original mind desiring to return to God. They invested great effort and worked hard to guide fallen humanity toward goodness. They particularly strove to attain body—mind unity by undergoing physical training. Unfortunately, they did not know the original owner of the universe, God, our Creator and Heavenly Parent. They did not know what God's dream was.

#### **Expansion and conflict**

In the meantime, human efforts gave rise to many civilizations. Yet, these civilizations ended up going the way of war, conflicts and disunity. For Heavenly Parent's dream to have the Kingdom of Heaven on earth and in heaven become reality, human ancestors that have indemnified all the world's past mistakes and emerged victorious as the True Parents, the true ancestors, must come to earth.

Only then will the way open to the peaceful world desired by all people. The world's population is now over 7.6 billion. Yet, they still do not know why they were born and where they are heading! Looking in the Bible, God's providence to save fallen humanity took a long time, four thousand years.

This was a period through which God indemnified all mistakes and was then able to send Jesus Christ, the sole person whom He could call His son.

Sadly, however, the Israelites failed to become one with God's only begotten son, sent by God after that long time, four thousand years.... God's providence, however, cannot be completed with God's only begotten son alone. If God's only begotten son could emerge, God's only begotten daughter must too. Unfortunately, God's only begotten daughter did not emerge two thousand years ago. Jesus, therefore, said that he would return to conduct the marriage supper of the Lamb.

#### Christianity's role

God, however, cannot work through the Israelites, who failed to fulfill their responsibilities.... God had to find a new chosen people to whom He could send His only begotten daughter. That is the Korean people, which you all know! It is Korea. Humanity now has hope of being able to go in front of Heavenly Parent through the emergence of the True Parents among the Korean people. Those on the Christian foundation that God prepared in this way, however, did not know of God, our Creator. They did not know what kind of person Jesus Christ was.

They simply believed that they receive salvation through the blood Jesus shed on the cross. The Christian environment could not become an environment for True Parents. As the True Parents, we have earnestly sought to reach out to fallen humanity, trying to bring back one more nation, one more life, to Heavenly Parent during our lifetimes on earth, as well as guide them to a position in which they can receive blessings as true devoted children of Heavenly Parent.

#### Tong-Il Moo-Do's role

With such ardency we created Tong-Il Moo-Do. Unfortunately, the body does not follow what the mind desires. To bring unity in the family, nation and world when the individual still struggles from body—mind disunity is tremendously difficult. However, we know God, the Creator, our Heavenly Parent. We also know that True Parents are our True Parents. The place in which you reach absolute unity with True Parents is the place in which your body and mind becomes one. I sincerely hope that through Tong-Il Moo-Do, you can live not only for yourselves, but also for your neighbors, tribe, nation and world.

Celebrating forty years today, Tong-Il Moo-Do is in a position of maturity and manhood. What should you do that position? Shouldn't you expedite your efforts? I sincerely hope and ask you all not to stop until you take your last breath, to boldly advance until you attain the position in which Heavenly Parent can bless you, saying, You are sons and daughters of whom I am proud!

# CHAPTER 8 HEAVEN RAISED KOREA TO FULFILL PROVIDENTIAL HISTORY



This was True Mother's Message on the thirteenth anniversary of True Parents' coronation and entrance into Cheon Jeong Gung, which she delivered on July 15 at Cheon Jeong Gung.

When we look into Heaven's providential history, if Adam and Eve, who were to become humanity's ancestors, had fulfilled their responsibilities, as God, the Creator, originally had planned, human history wouldn't be what it is today. There would not be a providential history of restoration through indemnity or a providence of salvation.

Regardless of the Fall of humanity's ancestors, God had to fulfill the ideal he envisaged at the time of the Creation. Hence, God had no choice but to conduct the providence of salvation.

As you are well aware, God established a people that he called his chosen people. He worked hard to establish this people, raising them from the individual level to that of the family, tribe, people and nation. Imagine how difficult it must have been that it took God four thousand years to conduct the providence of salvation centered on the first chosen people. Finally God sent to them the long-awaited Messiah, Jesus Christ.

And yet, what happened? The first chosen people, the Israelites, failed. Jesus died on the cross, though he promised to return. The providence of salvation that unfolded after Jesus' promise is the two-thousand-year Christian history that we are aware of today. Unfortunately, adherents of Christianity were unable to completely comprehend God.

#### God is our father and mother

Furthermore, they did not understand why the Messiah had to return. This was the issue. God's only son was born through the first chosen people. God created a man and a woman. What you need to know is that the creation of the universe was possible because God, our Creator, exists as God the Father and God the Mother. In his image, God created the first human ancestors. He created a man and

a woman. This was the principle by which God created the universe! God created our universe to last for eternity. Hence, a man and a woman, able to fulfill their responsibilities—a man and a woman with no fallen conditions whatsoever—must appear from among fallen humanity.

Two thousand years ago, God's only son emerged from among the Israelites. God's only daughter, however, did not. Heaven does not continue working through a people that does not fulfill its responsibilities. Why? Because their remaining indemnity must be paid....

The chosen people! A chosen people is a people blessed by Heaven. However, this position comes with responsibilities. They are accountable. Heaven must conclude providential history. God's only daughter was born on the Christian foundation, through the Korean people in 1943.

#### Age-old Korean faith

These days, I'm watching *Jumong* again [A historical drama series that aired beginning in 2006] to educate my grandchildren. The term, "cheon ji shin myeong" [gods governing heaven and earth] comes up many times in the series. The mediation of female priests is vital in this relationship. The Korean people, ultimately, are a people Heaven raised to conclude providential history. They are his chosen people. The issue, however, is that responsibility comes with that position. True Parents, who finally emerged on earth after six thousand years, opened the door through which fallen humanity can now go to Heavenly Parent as his true children.

The Christian foundation could not become an environment for True Parents. Even now, Christians in this nation are unaware of the providence. They do not know what they should wait for. They do not know what mission the Messiah will bring with him. True Parents laid today's global foundation from scratch [from nothing]. Unfortunately, Korea, which should become the providence's flagship nation, remains in the dark, just as a lamp cannot illuminate its own base. This is why, for seven years, I have worked on creating an environment that people can see and verify with their own eyes.

In Las Vegas, I brought Christian pastors together and declared in front of them, "I am God's only daughter." What is the path Christianity should take? What is at the end of that path? To save humanity, until now, God has allowed different religions to emerge that fit the people of their respective regions.

We categorize religions roughly into four main types; however, what is their conclusion? Their conclusion is also God's only daughter, the True Mother. Do you understand? Giving birth to a life cannot happen with only a father. A mother is needed. A life is born through the mother.

The same applies to Christian history and to human history. Hence, this nation and this people must fulfill their responsibilities as the chosen people.

This means that while I am still on earth, the day should come when this people, this nation's people, attends the True Mother, the True Parents. Do you understand? You are the central figures of



# CHAPTER 9 THE VALUE OF CROSS-CULTURAL BLESSINGS



This was True Mother's message at the Chungcheong Hyo Jeong True Family Hope Festival 2019 on July 21 at Yu Gwan Sun Sports Complex, in the city of Cheonan in Korea's South Chungcheong Province.

DISTINGUISHED GUESTS, BLESSED FAMILIES WHO HAVE RECEIVED THE BLESSING HERE TODAY, AND members of the Chungcheong Family Federation!

This year marks exactly a hundred years since Christian leaders and students arose and shouted for Korea's independence, particularly inspired by patriot Gwan-sun Yu. Their hope was to establish a Korea with God and protected by God. However, when you look at the reality today, Korea is not the unified nation that they had hoped for. Today, I would like to talk about what the mission of the chosen people is.

When you look at the six-thousand-year human history, the first human ancestors were not able to grow according to God's will and ended up falling. As a result, humanity has followed a path having nothing to do with God. However, since God, our Creator, formed his creation with an eternal vision, he could not do anything other than conduct the providential history of salvation to restore humanity. To do that, Heaven chose the Israelites from among fallen humanity as his chosen people. He had to raise them from the individual level to that of the family, tribe, people, and nation.

How difficult must it have been that it took God four thousand years to do that! Not just forty years but four thousand years! It was only after four thousand years that God sent Jesus Christ, his only son, whom he could call, "My son!" Unfortunately, the chosen people did not know God, the Creator. They also did not know that Jesus Christ had come.

It was after the extended period of four thousand years of restoration through indemnity that God was able to send his only son, whom he could call "My son." What path did the Israelites end up following after failing to become one with him? Jesus lost all the prepared environments and ended up dying on the cross. Yet, faithful followers of Christianity today sincerely believe that they are

saved through the blood Jesus shed on the cross.

#### **Find inspiration in history**

While dying on the cross, Jesus promised to return. He said he would return and conduct the marriage supper of the Lamb. Christians, however, did not grasp the true meaning of those words. We are in a time when we must see the completion of human history, a time when we must complete the providence. The Korean people are also a people God has chosen. You all know that to bring back the flamboyant history of Gojoseon [ancient Joseon] they founded Goguryeo. They were a people that revered Heaven, whom they also called Cheon Ji Shin Myeong.

Originally, God, the Creator, created plus and minus, pistil and stamen, male and female, and a man and woman who were to become the first human ancestors. He created them in his image. God gave humans a portion of the responsibility and a period of growth. Through these, they were to fulfill their responsibilities and attain perfection. That place of perfection is the same as God's.

The first human ancestors were supposed to grow in absolute unity with God. Their failure to do so has produced today's fallen humanity. As a result, human history cannot be eternal.

We have had large, small and successful nations throughout history. Yet none has lasted for eternity. This is because the original owner is God, the Creator. Since our Creator created man with an eternal vision, he needed to restore humankind, which had lost its way. That was the providential history of salvation. Through the first chosen people, the Israelites, God sent Jesus Christ as his only son.

#### A new chosen people

The chosen people, however, were not able to fulfill their responsibilities. In accordance with God's Principle of Creation, God does not work again through a people that failed to fulfill their responsibilities. That is because they have indemnity left to pay. Heaven then selected the Korean people, Asians, as his chosen people. As a people who revered Heaven's will, this chosen people always attended Heaven first in their daily lives. As they waited for the returning Messiah, who had promised to return, the Korean people needed to make preparations for God's only daughter (whose birth could not take place two thousand years ago) to finally be born on the Christian foundation. God's only daughter was born in 1943. God must also give his only daughter a period of growth. Korea's liberation came in 1945. The Korean War broke out in 1950 and Korea became divided into North Korea and South Korea. It took some time for South Korea to form a mature democratic system. In contrast, this was a time when North Korea had already established one system and was making plans to invade South Korea in one fell swoop. Since God had to give his only daughter a period of growth in accordance with the Principle of Creation, God had to protect me. So he made me go to the South.

During the Korean War, UN forces from sixteen nations intervened and protected democracy in

South Korea. Under Heaven's protection, Korea today has joined the ranks of developed nations in the economic sector. Yet, this nation remains divided into North Korea and South Korea. We know that unity will be difficult to attain through political power, economic power, or other human-centered methods. What should we do? In this era, even superpowers cannot survive alone. This is a time when we must all live in harmony with one another.

#### Korea and Japan need cross-cultural blessings

However, at the center of it all, a movement to attend God, our Creator, must arise. The True Parents, who are responsible to complete providential history, emerged in 1960. Fallen human beings cannot enter God's presence by themselves. They can only do so through rebirth and the marriage blessing from True Parents. True Parents, who foresaw the problems and future this nation would face, began to conduct cross-cultural marriage blessing ceremonies a long time ago. It has been almost thirty years since we began to educate the young people of Korea and Japan, enemy nations, and to conduct blessing ceremonies that will bring them together in marriage.

Today, we see children of some Korean politicians or other leaders who are trying to evade mandatory military service. However, more than four thousand young people born to couples from our blessing ceremonies have either begun or have completed their military service even at the cost of giving up one of their nationalities. Many blessed families are following True Parents in this way in about 190 nations. And their hope is to realize one great world of peace that is within Heavenly Parent's bosom, the kingdom of God on earth. If blessed families fulfill their responsibilities, that dream will surely come true within your generation.

All couples that receive the blessing today, as well as all blessed families here with us, are chosen blessed families who are to complete history and Heaven's providence. There cannot be a nation that is an enemy to a chosen nation or family. This is because we are all one family centered on God and True Parents. I sincerely hope that you all become blessed families of the Heavenly Chungcheong nation, who attend Heavenly Parent, practice True Parents' teachings in your lives, and fulfill your responsibilities as blessed chosen people.

## CHAPTER 10 THE VALUE OF CHRISTIAN ROOTS



True Mother spoke at the Family Church in Busan on July 25 following the Subregion 3 rally.

IAM TRULY HAPPY TO SEE YOU ALL. I HAVE SOME GOOD NEWS: MY AUTOBIOGRAPHY WILL BE PUBLISHED this November. An interesting set of circumstances comes out on the first page. True Father once said that God's only daughter, the one to become the True Mother, must come from a family in which three generations followed Christianity. When the Independence Movement arose in 1919, my grandmother, Won-mo Jo, took part in the movement that shouted Mansei for Korea's independence, while carrying my mother Soon-ae Hong (Dae-mo nim) on her back. I was born in 1943 and Korea's liberation came in 1945. Then again, Grandmother Won-mo Jo carried her granddaughter on her back and shouted mansei for Korea's liberation. Isn't that somewhat odd? This is because ours was a family Heaven had prepared.

#### Christianity and God's only daughter

Two thousand years ago, God sent his only son, Jesus Christ, to become the first victorious human ancestor and True Parent. However, neither Mary, who gave birth to him, Zachariah's family, nor Judaism recognized him. God had finally sent the long, long-awaited Messiah to the Israelites whom he had worked so hard to guide and raise for four thousand years. If those Israelites failed to recognize Jesus, how should we view that?

Though the Bible does not fully express it, Jesus brought up the issue to Mary of him needing to get married several times during his thirty-three years of life. Mary did not fulfill her responsibility. How could she have many children between her and Joseph? She married them all off, yet did not fulfill her duties toward Jesus. Jesus, who had lost all environments, had no place to advance to anymore. But at least, he was able to open the way to spiritual salvation through the cross. That is why he promised to return as he died on the cross. He clearly taught that he would return to have the

marriage supper of the Lamb.

The two-thousand-year history of the Christian faith begins in earnest after Jesus' disciples received rebirth through the Holy Spirit. For the Bible to come out took some time, and this resulted in many mistakes being repeatedly committed.

The Bible became available to the laity after it was translated from Hebrew into English in the seventeenth century. This gave rise to a movement advocating religious freedom.

A good representation of this movement is the United States of America. It was through the United States that God made preparations for the returning Messiah. The path Heaven took to find humanity after humanity had become lost was tremendously difficult. The course was deeply painful. For God's only daughter, who was to have become Jesus' partner in marriage at the marriage supper of the Lamb, to have emerged through the two-thousand-year Christian providence was essential. Without the birth of God's only daughter, the returning Messiah could not emerge as a True Parent, despite his having returned.

I was born in 1943. Korea received its liberation in 1945. Back then, True Father was in southern Korea. God, however, told True Father, while he was in the south, to go north. Do you understand what that required? It required absolute faith, absolute love and absolute obedience. This was the process of firmly establishing the position of God's only son.

#### God's only daughter completes the providence

Heaven had to give me a period of growth, the period during which I became mature. Back then, Korea was in an environment from which the nation could easily have become communist. When Korea was liberated, I was living in the north, because our family believed the Messiah would return in Pyongyang. We were members of a group that offered tremendous devotion, guided by the Holy Spirit and the truth. We were waiting for the returning Messiah, well aware that he would return in the flesh and not on the clouds.

Many men headed south; they would be forced to join the North Korean army were they to remain in the north. Our family did not consider going to the south until we heard news of my uncle. He was studying pharmacology in a Japanese university. After Korea's liberation, we thought he would return home. Instead, we received news that he had joined the army in South Korea. Since we believed that the returning Messiah would return to Pyongyang, we were not even thinking of going south. However, upon hearing that my uncle, who was also the only son in the family, had entered the army in the south, all three women in the family, including my grandmother (Daemo nim) and I made the southward journey, moving only during the nighttime throughout the journey. Many dramatic incidents took place during that journey.

Two years after I moved south, the Korean War broke out. God's only daughter, who can rise to the position of a True Parent and is to restore lost humanity, was born after six thousand years. Hence, she had to be protected. Heaven had to protect me until I became mature enough to speak on my own volition. Not many among you went through the Korean War. We experienced the miracle of having

God with us amidst those circumstances. Though I was young, I felt it was not right to make Heaven wait for much longer, so I decided to take action, thinking, "I am the only one who can do it." Hence, no person needed to educate me.

When you look into the Bible, Adam and Eve were able to speak with God, one-to-one. I did so too. No person taught me the Principle or anything else. Even Father did not. I made my own decisions.

The Principle is not perfect. The section on the Second Coming in the second part of the Divine Principle had to be about the True Parents' ideology. Don't you think so? The Principle of Creation must also be rectified. The Bible says God conducted the Creation for six days and rested on the seventh day. It is also mentioned that evening passed and morning came, and that was the first day. This, however, does not refer to an actual concept of time.

As you all know, when a couple marries and conceives a child, the child is in the womb for ten months. The baby is born after those ten months. Likewise, God's creation didn't appear simply from God's verbal command. There was a process. Furthermore, life is not born from man alone. A man alone cannot give birth to life. That is why God created a man and woman. However, it isn't that way in the Bible.

Following True Father's holy ascension, I waited and waited before I declared in front of American pastors, "I am God's only daughter." The religious leaders all applauded upon hearing it, saying, "Why didn't we know of something so reasonable and right?"

Catholic priests aren't literally brides. It is God's only daughter that must emerge in front of the returning Messiah. In other words, a woman must emerge.

Sadly, women have been ignored. That is why the providence could not be completed. The completion of the providence begins from God's only daughter.

#### May Shin Gyeongsang advance

Before coming here today, you were able to offer devotions again at the Busan holy ground. It must now be revealed that Father began his course here and prepared to meet God's only daughter. Did you know that, or not? In 1960, we emerged as the True Parents. The first thing we did after that was conduct the blessing ceremony. Heavenly Parent's dream and humanity's wish is for us, humanity, to interact with Heavenly Parent as our own parents; that is, become beloved children who can enter their presence. The Fall, however, blocked that path, and it is True Parents alone who can re-open that way.

As the True Parents, it is embarrassing that the True Children do not know how True Parents emerged. God's creation is the same. After Adam's and Eve's births, God gave them a period of growth. That was a period of education. If they had grown and attained perfection, focusing only on God in absolute unity with God, not looking to the side, and listening only to the word, from God, that place of perfection would have been one with God. That place would have been one in which Heavenly Parent and True Parents attained unity.

Heavenly Parent, who remained in spirit for a long time, wanted to embrace and love his children as true parents of this visible, physical world. However, that tremendous grace was lost through the Fall. And it is True Parents who restored that grace!

There are no second or third True Parents. There is only one couple, True Parents. Your secondand third-generation children also call us True Parents, True Mother. It is essential for the long-time members to digest this well. True Parents were established for eternity. Hence, if you refrain from looking elsewhere and become one with God's only daughter, the True Mother, you will be victorious!

You have responsibilities as blessed children in front of True Parents, in front of Heavenly Parent. You must achieve national restoration. The Heavenly Gyeongsang nation needs ascend even faster. Will you do that? [Yes] I'll put my trust in you. I love you.

#### CHAPTER 11

#### BE EXEMPLARY PEOPLE

### TRUE MOTHER DELIVERED THIS, THE FOUNDERS' ADDRESS, AT THE OPENING SESSION OF



African Leadership Conference 2019 at the Hilton Sandton Hotel in Johannesburg, South Africa, on June 7.

World Leaders from all Walks of Life Attending this African Summit Ladies and Gentlemen!

We believe in God. And God particularly loves Africa. The Lord Jesus Christ said, "Love your neighbor as yourself." [Matthew 22:39] Nevertheless, the six thousand years of human history has been chaotic, with endless wars and conflicts. After Jesus went the way of the cross, looking at the Christian environment, even though he taught us to "love one another," the countries that arose in the Christian sphere did not understood his true meaning.

When we consider the current reality, the endless conflicts in every part of the world and all the problems that arise, no one knows which direction to take. For this reason, I want to state that the only way forward is through knowing God, the Creator. Those in the Christian realm did not understand Jesus' essence. Originally God created all things in his image. From the mineral world to the plant and animal kingdoms, God created everything in pairs. Ultimately, he created a man and a woman to be humanity's ancestors.

God gave human beings a period of growth. God's dream was to become humanity's parent through perfected human beings. But because the first human ancestors, Adam and Eve fell, Heavenly Parent's dream went unfulfilled. Fallen history brought bitter pain to Heavenly Parent, of course, and for human beings.

Since God endowed with eternity what he created, God had to save humanity by leading the providence of restoration through indemnity. How difficult must this historical providence of indemnity have been! After four thousand years, he established the chosen people, Israel.

It took him four thousand years before he could send his only begotten son Jesus Christ. Mary, in

whom he was conceived, and the Jews, the Israelites, should have understood what kind of person Jesus was. However, the Israelites failed to provide an environment for Jesus to accomplish the will. So what happened after Jesus went the way of the cross? After four thousand years, Heavenly Parent, the Creator, wanted to realize his dream through Jesus. But once again, due to our mistake, it became a story of bitter pain.

#### Jesus' tragic death

During Jesus' crucifixion, a thief was on his right and another was on his left. When the thief on the left derided Jesus, the thief on the right said, "We are punished justly, for we are getting what our deeds deserve. But this man has done nothing wrong." [Luke 23:41] What did Jesus say at that moment? Jesus answered him, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise." [Luke: 23:43] Here's something you need to understand: he said "Paradise," not the kingdom of heaven. Originally, God, the Creator, prepared the kingdom of heaven for perfected human beings. After living as true families on earth, they would enter the eternal world. This world is the kingdom of heaven.

Jesus came alone and went alone. That is why he said he would return. Christianity began with the Apostles, guided by the Holy Spirit after Jesus' crucifixion. In the beginning, it was much persecuted, but in 313, Rome officially recognized Christianity. From the Italian Peninsula, it expanded to Europe, into England and from there it spread to the world. Nonetheless, they too did not understand Jesus' essence.

[In Mark 12:31], Jesus instructed us, "Love your neighbor as yourself," yet as they set out into the world, they created a culture of taking, instead of giving compassionate love. The African continent in particular went through much hardship because of that. Jesus taught us that God is love and preached about love, but ignoring its essence, fallen people pursued selfishness (giving priority to one's national interests) leading to the present fallen humanity. Jesus said he would return.

#### The daughter is the key

It is written that he would return to celebrate the marriage supper of the Lamb. What should the Christian world seek? Creation consists of male and female. Two thousand years ago, the only begotten son was born, but there was no only begotten daughter, so the Christian world should have searched for the only begotten daughter. God could not send the only begotten daughter to a people that didn't fulfill their responsibilities—the Israelites.

So, God chose a new people. In 1943, in Asia, in the nation of Korea, the only begotten daughter was born, with a Christian background. God had waited six thousand years for the only begotten daughter's birth. Without fail, God must fulfill the purpose of the Creation. The Second World War had come to an end, but Korea was divided into democratic and communist countries. My birthplace

is in North Korea, a place with a strong and important foundation in spiritual Christianity. They North Koreans didn't expect the Lord in his Second Coming to appear on the clouds; we had spiritualist groups who expected the Messiah to be born, to have a physical body.

Since some believed the return of the Messiah would happen in Pyongyang, we didn't think of going south. However, according to the principles of creation, God had to give his only begotten daughter time to mature. Given that there would be many dangers on the communist side, we went south. Two years after going to South Korea, the Korean War broke out.

South Korea did not have the necessary strength to face North Korea. Miraculously, God mobilized allied forces and protected South Korea's democracy. Who do you think that was for? God gave the only begotten daughter, born after six thousand years, time to mature and receive the divine will.

Even though I was a young girl, I knew God's providence; in 1960, I rose to the position of True Mother. Heavenly Parent waited six thousand years for True Parents. The Christian sphere waited 2,000 years for True Parents. Christianity, however, did not understand the providence. As a result, they could not create the right environment for True Parents.

However, True Parents know God's providence, God has been wanting to embrace humanity, knowing [and understanding] that love from God, for the past 60 years, we carried out the blessing movement, which gives birth to blessed families that can stand in God's presence.

As fallen human beings, we can't come into God's presence.

The blessing of marriages is the act of passing through a ceremony of rebirth and resurrection by True Parents. It is a miraculous gift of love that God gave to us.

After nearly sixty years of conducting worldwide blessing campaigns, now, about 150 countries, have pledged to support the only begotten daughter, True Mother, advancing True Parents providence, transcending religious barriers and race and aiding true family movements. It is the only way to achieve God's dream, the dream of one human family.

#### A closer look at true love

All the countries in the world, as one great human family under Heavenly Parent, should take care of each other with love. The blessing movement is the only way for us to become one. Surely you have children. As parents, your love towards your children is unconditional. You want your children to do well. This parental heart doesn't say that since I sacrificed for you to be successful, you must now make all your efforts to repay the debt.

Heavenly Parent's love, True Parents' love, is a love that gives and then forgets what it has given; it is true love. If all humanity can create true families that fulfill their duty of filial piety toward God and if they solve all the complicated problems that are currently emerging on this planet, it will return to the original state which God, the creator had intended, and we will be able to live in the kingdom

of heaven on earth, attending God.

Even though the physical body limits humans, God's providence is eternal. We must educate our children well and establish one world centered on God's providence. We must continuously be exemplary people.

This is the point we are at. I want you to understand that. We, the people of today, don't just live for the present. All our ancestors, and our descendants too, must gain liberation through True Parents. Especially you, top leaders of different countries who gathered here today, must be responsible for the future. There is only one path—the true family movement!

Only through the blessing movement, can we solve all the problems and unresolved issues that need solving. In that position, our eternal Heavenly Parent works with us. Understand how blessed we are to be in this position. It is written in the Bible, [Matthew 19:30] that "The first shall be last, and the last shall be first". From Christian sphere's viewpoint, Africa is among the last. But from True Parents' perspective, as heavenly Africa, this is the first continent. The more you share joy and blessings, the greater they become. Will Africa settle for the African continent alone, or will you go out into the world? I pray that you will be an Africa whom God can love and be thankful for, of which God can say, "On the African continent I have sons and daughters that I truly love!"

### CHAPTER 12 TRUE PARENTS' PRAYER AND

LIBERATION CEREMONY IN SOUTH AFRICA



True Mother conducted a prayer and liberation ceremony at the Hector Pieterson Museum, in Orlando West in Soweto, South Africa, on June 7. Hector Pieterson was just twelve years old when a bullet snuffed out his life on June 16, 1976. True Mother prayed for the liberation of South Africa, which is still emerging from a centuries-old struggle for equality. For more on Hector Pieterson, please see page 34.

In front of God, the Creator, there is no color. There is only one color. Because of the Fall, humankind had a long history of indescribable suffering and bitter pain. Yet for God, to save fallen humanity, he led the history of the providence of salvation and established a chosen people. Until God could send his only son to fulfill the purpose of his creation, took four thousand years.

Once again, his dream could not come true as the people who had to take responsibility did not create the right environment. After that, Jesus Christ had to take the path of the cross. How can anyone understand Heavenly Parent's painful situation? As Jesus Christ went to die on the cross, he promised that he would return. He promised that he would return, yet the providence of restoration, which began with the Apostles, took two thousand years.

Nevertheless, Christian countries did not understand Jesus Christ's heart. Even more, they did not understand the heart, the essence, of the Creator God. Jesus Christ said to "love your neighbor as yourself." [Matthew 22:39] But the people who went out as missionaries all over the world, in Jesus Christ's name, did not understand Jesus' essence. They had such selfishness, only thinking about themselves. Instead of thinking of giving love, they actually took love from those nations, but today, in Soweto, in this nation, in the name of Christ, we stand here.

All those people who came in the name of Christ were missionaries. In front of God, humanity is one family; we all are brothers and sisters. How can it be that in history, human beings selfishly discriminated against one another? How will we ever receive forgiveness for murdering that young boy, ending his future? The youth... How will they ever receive forgiveness for doing that, especially

in the name of religion?

However, Heaven is with us. As humanity is seeking equality, peace, freedom, we seek historical truth. It is hence a miracle once again that Heaven could bring True Parents to earth. Through sixty years of history on earth, the earth has known this truth.

#### Our beloved Heavenly Parent,

Finally, your painful history will now be healed. All Your past sorrow and pain will be healed in this place. You will bless this land and open a new path of blessing here. Heavenly Parent! Thank you very much!

This blessed youth who sacrificed his life here, had a beautiful dream, Heavenly Parent's dream, humanity's dream of one family under God. And the blood that he shed here, will clean the earth, this nation and usher in a new history centering on Prophet Radebe.

Especially with the responsibility of political leaders and other religious leaders, and centering on Heavenly Parent and True Parents, they will proclaim True Parents. And we will be able to establish and move towards the day of creating a great hopeful future.

Please remember this day, Heavenly Parent! All those who have led lives of suffering, please remember them, resurrect them. May this country, the African continent, be one that can fulfill Heavenly Parent's dream. May this continent become the leading light of the world.

Heavenly Parent, please bless this continent.

In the name of our True Parents, we pray. Aju

#### UNTITLED

#### The Role of the Chosen People According to Divine Providence

True Mother delivered this speech at the American Clergy Leadership Conference's Unity Banquet on

June 21 at the Tropicana Hotel in the city of Las Vegas, in the US State of Nevada.

Good afternoon, everyone. How are you doing?

After the fall of Adam and Eve, God allowed religions in different regions of the world to pursue goodness in order to create the conditions for him to embrace humanity again.

God originally created heaven and earth and everything in creation in his image. Finally, he created a male and a female, who would become the (good) human ancestors. He gave humans responsibilities to fulfill during their time of growth. However, as they grew up, Adam and Eve fell into a position separate from God. God, in his desire to embrace humanity and fulfill his dream, established fundamental principles of creation, so he had no choice but to lead the providence of salvation.

Thus, he establishes a chosen people and has been leading the providence of restoration through indemnity from the individual level to the national level. You gentlemen, by means of the Bible, know what kind of lives the Israelites led and how difficult the course of redemption must have been that it took Heaven four thousand years until he could send Jesus Christ, of whom he said, This is my beloved son [Matthew 3:17]. Then, after such a long time, God sent his only son, his son who could fulfill the purpose of the creation as God wished. But the Israelites did not recognize Jesus. They did not know Jesus' essence.

In short, they did not know what kind of being God is either. Thus, Jesus could not fulfill the whole purpose for which he had come. Before he went through the crucifixion, he announced that he would return. And what happened to the Israelites for leading Jesus to crucifixion? They paid a tremendous price for it.

Christianity arose with the Apostles, who while waiting for Jesus' return, gained rebirth through

the work of the Holy Spirit. At first, however, they were severely persecuted. Later, having received official recognition in Rome in 313, Christianity spread from the Italian Peninsula to Europe and crossed into England.

At that time, England went out into the world and people said [of the British Empire] that the sun never set on it. They went out into the world ostensibly doing missionary work. However, being ignorant of God's essence and Jesus' essence, they finally ended up with a culture of looting, of selfishness, of prioritizing their national interests. And although they managed to be an economically rich and powerful country, in the inner aspect, on the spiritual side, they created many difficulties. From among believers in Christianity communism arose, with some asserting that God had died. Jesus said [Matthew 22:39] "Love your neighbor as yourself," but as a result of living a life opposite to that and when being in the situation of not being able to progress further, in the seventh century King James had the Bible translated from Hebrew to English thanks and this gave rise to The Puritans. The migration of these Puritans, desiring to worship God without the restrictions of the old system, gave birth to what is now the United States. God wanted to create the foundation for the Lord's return through this democratic country.

The beginnings were good, but when the United States had economic abundance, abundance in every respect, it turned away from God and was in a situation of family disintegration, juvenile delinquency and communism was threatened it; in a situation of not being able to do anything to prevent it, and since to save the world it was first necessary to take America to God's side, we crossed over to the United States and performed providential work there for forty years. I am speaking of the True Parents.

Jesus' hope was to be a True Father. To do so, he had to find God's only daughter, who had not manifested at that time. God chooses another people among whom he can give birth to his only daughter. So God's only daughter was born in Korea in 1943 through the Christian foundation that God had prepared for four thousand years. Those days were before the end of the Second World War.

World War II ended in 1945. Korea had been under the Japanese government. Its liberation came in 1945 but the Allies divided it into North and South. Divided with the northern part being a communist country and the southern part a democracy. The North had completely Sovietized and was preparing to invade the South. At that time, I was born in the North when the history of Christianity there had been brief. But from all over the world, those worshiping in spirit and in truth, knew very well about the Messiah. All Christians expected the return of Jesus Christ coming over the clouds, but these spiritual groups knew that only by being physically born could the purpose of the divine Creation come to fulfillment. This is how I was born, amidst God's special protection through these spiritual groups. God had to protect me for me to grow up safely. Because of the faith that the Lord's return would occur around Pyongyang, my family could not think of going to the South. But God, foreseeing the future, put us in the situation of having to go to the South. Two years after arriving in the South, the Korean War broke out. At that time, the democratic system in South Korea had not yet

stabilized. How could God not do anything when seeing that situation? Although it was a country unknown to the world, sixteen UN member nations mobilized and protected democracy in the South. Why do you think that happened? Because of my mission, because I was the only begotten daughter. God's hope is that the only begotten daughter would grow up, find the one who came to take on the only begotten son's mission, and both would become True Parents.

Seeing the world's situation, I could not continue to doubt and although I was still close to being a child, in 1960 I came into the position of True Mother. In 2020, sixty years will have passed since that day. Since its inception, the work of the blessing is to give rebirth to fallen humanity through True Parents. We started with three couples and today there are thousands and thousands; we created countless blessed families. I told you that the title was the "Role of the Chosen People." The chosen people! People God had chosen! Who are the chosen people in the twenty-first century, in the age of the True Father? It's you. All of you here today, as chosen people of the twenty-first century, have responsibilities to fulfill. In the past, for not fulfilling theirs, the Israelites paid a tremendous price. You, today's elect, must fulfill your responsibilities. What will they be? You must be the messiah of your congregations and of your tribe. Only through the blessing in marriage is it possible for you to become messiahs. Are you willing to do that? I want to talk about you to God with pride. Enduring infinite sadness and pain in search of his lost children for six thousand years, God waited all this time for True Parents to emerge on earth and take control of his situation. He wanted to fulfill his Will two thousand years ago through Jesus Christ, but because the chosen Israelites did not receive him, it took two thousand years for the birth of the only begotten, the True Mother, to fulfill humanity's hope, God's dream of the united human family. If the 7.6 billion people who make up humanity attend God, God can embrace them and become true sons and daughters of loyalty, of filial piety there will be no more wars, conflicts or obstacles that prevent unity. All the clergy gathered here today are messiahs of their clans and congregations. A messiah has to save people. Right? That is achieved through the blessing, through the Movement of True Family. Will you do it that way? I hope you will work very enthusiastically for America to fulfill its filial duty to God, who has waited so long for this country to

embrace the world.