

A TIME LINE OF PRAYERS By

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1966

Please Let Us Fulfill Completely The Mission Of The Victorious Lord Of Dominion

Father! We know that you and our ancestors have toiled in order to go against the current of the course of truth which had become false while going through the long course of history.

We know that the long course of history includes the labor of our ancestors for the sake of establishing a standard for the character which had become false. Accordingly, we cannot help but thank you, Father, for having directed our many ancestors up until now towards the true truth, towards

the true character, and towards the world of the true heart. Father! We must spread the words of the truth of heaven in this land where truth has run dry, and we must establish many destined relationships in this land with true children of heaven.

Through your beloved children, we have come to the stage of forming new families, new tribes, new peoples, and new nations. And we know, oh Father, that centered on the true kinship formed by the destined relationship through your heart, it will not do unless there occurs a new beginning of the people or a great move of the people which will be a new part of world history. Therefore, please be together with us.

Now in these Last Days, in this world, please let us be able to subjugate the historical enemy Satan through the true words of truth, true character and true hearts, and through this standard, please let us be able to purify the evils of society. Please allow us the grace of being able to represent the overall authority of heaven, and we earnestly hope and desire, Father, that you will add to us the strength and power to be able to establish the authority of the victorious Lord of dominion.

We know clearly that you will, without fail, hand over and bequeath the entire universe to your beloved children. Therefore, we earnestly hope and desire that you will not let us become exhausted in that process, and you will let us be people who endure and remain until we can sing a song of victory to you, our glorious father.

Since we are now beginning this year, please bless us, Father. We know that there will be many sad things, and we will run into lonely and difficult situations. We earnestly hope that you will lead us to the garden you are hoping for and that you will embrace us with the glory of victory in this year.

Asking that you will let the rejoicing of the victory you are hoping for and the glory of eternity be with us, we have prayed in the name of the True Parents. Amen.

January 1, 1966

Please Bless Us As The Third Israel Of Hope

Father! You have to remember many peoples. But because this Korean people is to be pitied, please give this people your blessing at this time. By comforting this devastated Korean peninsula, please make its people able to go forward towards the new world and gather them in the realm of the side of heaven.

Korea is the nation of the new covenant, the nation where you can come. We know that it is the nation that must prepare the altar of Abel in relation to your new will, your desire for this nation is for it to offer total devotion to you, Father, and that is the duty of this nation in relation to you.

We know well that that is the duty of this land, the many nations and the many good spirits. Please pour out your love and compassion so that this people and this nation may stand properly in relation to your Will. We earnestly hope that you will make this people become a people necessary to the building of the Kingdom of Heaven as the third Israel of hope.

May all nations follow the example of the duty of loyalty and filial piety towards heaven which this nation has established. We know how much you have longed for the day to come when humankind will offer its loyalty to you, your many children who are gathered here feel those things deeply in their hearts and are eagerly desiring for that Will to be realized.

Father, please protect and raise them up to be victorious in the final battle. We earnestly hope and desire that you will allow this people and this nation to be able to attend you when you come into your glory.

In that way may the new world history which you will realize through Korea be offered to all humankind. At the same time please allow humankind to reach the goal it has hoped for and may you reach the goal you have hoped for. Please let this nation and this people fulfill their responsibility and be able to open the way for all humankind.

We earnestly hope and desire that you will allow them to become a nation and people like that. We know well that the people on earth, of course, and centered on the earth, the many spirits in the spirit world are participating

in the returning resurrection, and they are eagerly anticipating the resolution of their grief.

In that way, with their cooperation, we will attend you, Father, in the place where Cain and Abel have become one and where the world of your glory is realized. Please let the entire heavens and earth come to live in the midst of your love and joy. We earnestly hope and desire that you will give

us greater strength and ability so that in a place of peace we can realize a nation and a cosmos that celebrates your glory.

We have humbly prayed all these things in the name of the Lord. Amen. January 2, 1966

Please Let Us Become True Filial Children Who Attend You Offering All Our Devotion

Father! We must not become a group that is just following. We earnestly hope and desire that you will let us become people who appear as those who are leading the way, in front of you, in front of our people, and in front of humankind.

Father! You have the grief of having worked so hard in sorrow for many grief-filled days, and since it was the grief of many people betraying heaven and becoming enemy groups, we know well that it is we who must take on the burden of this grief-filled day and these grief-filled situations.

We earnestly hope and desire that you will let us become your sons and daughters who are able to rejoice of our own volition about offering ourselves as heavenly sacrifices for the sake of the universe and all things of creation by taking on the responsibility for that burden.

Now at this time we are hoping that we can report honestly about everything of our past days and on the foundation of pure and clean minds, we hope that our minds can be filled only with hearts that long for you and affection that adores you. By doing that, we earnestly hope and desire,

Father, that you will allow us to be true filial sons and true filial daughters who are able to attend you with devotion, and not mind no matter what kind of situation you are in and no matter how you appear.

Now we earnestly hope that at this time you will let each one of us have earliest minds which bind together all our various kinds of devotion and offer them, and bow down humbly and are able to call out to you, and are able to weep endlessly held in your embrace.

The father who has come to us until now has not been someone else's father. Since we have understood that you are my father and our father, we earnestly hope and desire that you will once again hold in your embrace these sorrowful children who are standing on the way of the destiny of restoration and who have to form a destined relationship with you, Father.

We have humbly prayed all these things in the holy name of the Lord. Amen.

January 12, 1966

Please Let Us Become True Filial Children And Fulfill Our Responsibilities

Father! We did not know that you are our father who for billions and billions of years could not stay apart from us even if we wanted to stay apart from you. What was your sorrow, Father? We did not know that it was your sorrow to have lost your children and to have lost history. But now following the ardent wish of your sorrowful command, we have bowed down before you in this place and are sincerely grateful to you.

We earnestly hope and desire, Father, that you will let us become true filial sons and daughters who know that as long as historical grief remains, your grief remains as well, and as long as historical sorrow remains, your sorrow remains.

The time has come when your children must appear who can block this kind of flow of history, and who feel keenly that there remains the path of the world-level Golgotha where the building of an altar for you must be passed on to the people and the world.

Your children who have gathered here, for whom have they lived until today? And what are they looking to as they go forward? We have the mission of having to be responsible for the entire destiny of history left by heaven, and since we have walked forth having determined ourselves and having pledged to do that mission, please do not let us hesitate or give up along the way.

We earnestly hope and desire, Father, that you will not let us become a group that fights with the evil enemy and in the end is defeated and brought to its knees.

We earnestly hope that you will remember the lonely group which is bowing down at your altar representing many peoples today. And even more, we earnestly hope and desire, Father, that you will remember your children who are shedding tears and looking up to this place today also, and who are struggling, saying that they will take on the lamentations of the people and who are concerned about heaven and humankind even while on their lonely paths of being driven out in every corner of the peninsula.

We have come to know that all these things were destined relationships in your sorrowful history. As long as the sorrowful relationships and sorrowful history which remain before us are not cleared up, please do not let us become ungrateful children who flee from this path or avoid this path. We earnestly hope and desire that you will let us become your true sons and daughters who are able to learn the duties of filial children and learn the fidelity of loyal subjects.

We have prayed all these things in the name of the Lord. Amen. March 13, 1966

Please Let Us Know Your Will For Leading This People Through This History Of Sorrow

Father! We know that Korean history has been a continuous flow of sorrow. We know that you have been directing us along this path of the worst Golgotha from the beginning until now because that was the destiny of this nation.

Father! When we think that each time this people appealed to you and each time their eyes could have been opened their history has continued on as a history of defeat, we think that from the August 15th liberation until now, we have overcome difficult circumstances and we have entered a realm where we can give ourselves to you completely.

There is no new hope in front of this people, and if you had not been their source who established their beginning, you would not have been there for them, and this people would have met a tragic end.

Father, you have allowed this people to lose their nation, and have allowed them to lose righteousness, and furthermore, you have divided this people completely at the 38th parallel. But we have come to know that all this was your will in order for us to be able to find absolutely everything.

We know that behind this people is your providential guiding hand. Now once more, please allow us to straighten ourselves up and to raise before you an altar for our atonement, and after we have received forgiveness for all the sins of our ancestors, please allow us to appear before this age in new full attire.

Earnestly hoping that you will allow us to appear as people of courage in this age when the Promised Land is calling, we have humbly prayed all these things in the name of the True Parents. Amen.

March 13, 1966

Please Let Us Go The Path Of Filial Piety And Loyalty For The Sake Of The Foundation Of Rest For Our Father

Father! We know that you are hoping that we will become true sons and daughters of filial piety. Now please allow us to understand that we must make true families, true tribes, true peoples, true nations, and a true world.

Father! Until today, where in heaven and earth has there been a land where you could place your foot? Has there been such a clan? Has there been such a nation, or has there been such a world? You were always a foreigner. We know that if the wind blew from the East, you were driven to the West, and if the wind blew from the North, you were driven to the South, and you have continued to live this kind of phantom-like existence for 6,000 years.

We know that due to the mistake of one day of our human ancestors, you have had to go through this complicated history. Father! Since we have the Unification Church which looks forward to the true concept that the fallen history must be recreated and reorganized, please remember us.

We know well what kinds of results were brought about throughout the course of history by all the historical mistakes of our ancestors, and we also know well that a history of great grief and sorrow has come down to us. Father, we have experienced and felt keenly to the marrow of our bones that this kind of history must not be repeated again.

Please let only the path of loyalty and filial piety which can be for your sake become the highest purpose of our lives. Please let us become your workers who are able to be grateful for this kind of position where we are determining our loyalty and filial piety to you.

Please don't let Satan, who has been following us, follow any more, and please let us separate from him. We earnestly hope and desire that you will allow us to become your sons and daughters who are able to joyfully go over the high, steep mountains which we must go over in the future.

Father! We thank you that you have established this holy day and this nation on this earth. Since we know how much you have worked until this day came, and how much all the things of creation, which have been lamenting, longed for this day, please receive all these things in joy. And

earnestly hoping that you will act so that we will be able to quickly realize the day when the world-level victory can be obtained on this earth.

We have humbly prayed all these things in the name of the True Parents. Amen.

June 19, 1966

We Thank You For The Day Of All Things Which You Have Restored

Father! Today at this time we dare to consider your heart when you were creating all the things of creation. It is the purpose and the hope of the original creation that the destined relationship of one family be formed in relation to the entire universe on the foundation of your heart which is the center of happiness and rejoicing and is the center of all things.

When we think about that, we realize that today this earth has repeated the history of the fall without having become united, centered on your heart, on your hope, or on your situation. Please guide us to become people who are able to repent once again for all our historical inadequacies, while thinking about all these kinds of things.

Please have compassion, Father, for the many people who must run along the way of the battle for the sake of the hope of tomorrow, while not having been able to cast away the world of death as yet. And we earnestly hope that you will have compassion for the many believers who, kicking aside the present age, are rushing forward today in the direction of the land of the original homeland which is the land of the ideal of creation which you wanted to accomplish.

We know, Father, that there is a great deal of grief in your heart, in the heart of our Father, who has gone through the most adverse situations among adverse situations, while acting and taking responsibility for the past, the present and the future.

When we consider the sorrowful past in which people ended up pounding nails into your heart, in spite of the fact that they should have sung songs praising your eternal idea and heart in front of your heart and your ideal, please let us bear deep in our minds once again that we are people who must bow our heads and kneel down before you, while feeling how sorrowful your heart must have been, and who must raise up an altar of atonement.

Father! In the long course of history, many days have flowed by, but were you able to be happy for even a single day among them? In this kind of flow of history, you have sought and established a true day of parents on this earth, and you have found and established a true day of all things. Father, today is the very Day of All Things which you sought by working so hard.

Father! We cannot help but have minds that are filled with deep emotion as we greet this day today, while reflecting once again on the providence which you have worked hard on and carried out.

Along the course that has flowed by, you have walked forward through the miserable adversity of sorrow and anguish, we come to feel once again that these were days that you prepared while promising the one day of certain victory in relation to the Will of your mighty providence.

Father! We earnestly hope and desire, Father, that you will awaken us to the fact that we are people who must be grateful thousands and hundreds of thousands of times when we think that the greater the adversity was in the past, it appears as a condition for greater gratitude today. Desiring that you will fill all with ample grace today on this day which is a day of joy and glory, we have humbly prayed all these things in the holy name of the True Parents. Amen.

June 19, 1966: the fourth Day of All Things

Please Let Us Consider How Much Pain You Felt As You Sent Out Your Children

Even the hearts of parents of the fallen world feel more love in their minds after spurring on their children than they felt before spurring them on, and want to comfort them. But please let us understand how greatly your heart desired to comfort us when we were beaten and driven away from the place where you commanded us to take responsibility along the course of restoration.

And please do not let us forget that it is your mind to want to let us praise you eternally in the world of heart. You want to establish us as filial children who are able to comfort our father and call you "Father" in such a place.

Until now the course of the Unification Church has been a sorrowful course. I know very well how solitary were the footsteps of those following your commands in the midst of other people who were unable to understand.

How hard you must have worked until this religious body could be mobilized and this unification movement gathered! We know that you urged and encouraged the people who were playing, and awakened the people who were dozing, and commanded them to go. Please let us determine ourselves even now in the midst of such adverse circumstances. We understand that you are still in a situation of having to send us out.

We know that this kind of anguish will remain as the universal history of the course of indemnity. Please let us understand that you must command the individual who sets the family in good order, the family that sets the tribe in good order, the tribe that sets the people in good order, the people that sets the nation in good order, and the nation that sets the world in good order, to go out in their stead.

And please let us know how miserable your position is as you look upon the course of restoration that remains and the course of bitter indemnity which cannot help but be gone through along that path.

We understand your heartbroken mind which is not able to command anyone even if you wish to because there is no filial child who is able to

understand your position. Please let us become your true children who now follow your bidding and go towards the goal, who prepare ourselves before your command, and who are able to call you "Father."

We have humbly prayed all these things in the name of the True Parents. Amen.

July 3, 1966

Please Let Us Become Unification Church Members Who Comfort Our Sorrowful Father

My Father! I know that you, Father -- I am calling out to you -- have been so wretched.

Father! The great majority of humankind understand that you are clothed in glory, you are ruling for ten thousand years, and are held in glory as you proclaim that you love all people, and all humankind want to be held to the breast of such a father, and want to cling to such a father.

Until now that has been the ambition of humankind. But the father that the Unification Church members are clinging to has been a father who has endured going forth gritting his teeth, looking towards a future of hope day and night in the very center of the point of death. The hope that Unification believers are longing for is to shed the tears of your painful heart, holding your hand which has been wounded along the path of thorns and the path of so much suffering and so many false charges.

No matter what anyone of the world says, our image and prestige are not the problem. We must become a group who know for sure how to go to that point gratefully even if our bodies are ripped apart and our dignity trampled upon, even when your laws of the family, become crumpled, and clouds cover everything before your Will.

We earnestly hope that you will not allow us to become a group that forgets how much you have struggled to find and establish this kind of group inside the Unification Movement.

We have humbly prayed in the name of the True Parents. Amen. November 6, 1966

Please Let Us Become A Unification Altar That Struggles While Moved By The Will

Father! How could the way that you are going be the same as the way that we individuals are walking? And how can we feel that your internal feelings and our individual feelings can communicate with each other?

Our Father, who has endured and gone forward even in the midst of sorrow and grief-filled complications! We are people who cannot even look up at you. We earnestly hope and desire that you will pardon the days of our foolish past when we rushed forward without knowing you.

Now we know the attitude of life that we must have as individuals and the direction we must go, centered on the immense mission of having to judge the world and of having to create a new history. Therefore, we earnestly hope and desire that you will not let us forget the heart of our Father who has been waiting impatiently for that kind of day.

Father! You have worked very hard in order to drive the Unification Movement to this point, haven't you? Now we know that there are many trials left on the path that we must go. Each time we grope for the heart with which heaven endured in the midst of such complications, even though we hold on to you and struggle, we know the fact that we are not able to keep it, and we are calling out to you while shedding tears.

Father! Please let your many children become able to understand your situation. We earnestly hope and desire, Father, that you will not let us forget how impatiently you have been waiting for children who can be

proud after having received the blessing as princes and princesses of victory by having followed the movement you established and having subjugated the enemy.

Even if the seat of the religious services of the Unification Movement doesn't look like anything and is very shabby, please let it become a place where people are struggling to be centered on your heart. And we earnestly hope that you will let dwell, here in this place, a destined relationship that we cannot avoid and cannot separate from if we are centered on your situation.

Even though we are naked people who have nothing at all, even if we collapse due to the groups that are ostracizing us on this earth, we know that if this becomes a place where we fall on our backs, while holding on to your idea, your heart and your love alone, that is a place where you will be able to come to us without fail. Therefore, earnestly hoping and desiring that you will not let a single one of your children who are following this destined relationship, fall away, we have humbly prayed all these things in the holy name of the True Parents. Amen.

December 4, 1966

Please Allow Us To Realize The Precious Value Of Being Your Children

We know that it is the common course of humankind to come and go here and there on the earth while alive and then without fail to have to go. We earnestly hope and desire, Father, that you will not allow us to become pitiful people who are born as human beings, but when seeking God are not able to have a standard which we are able to follow on our own.

We know that in order to possess a treasure that others cannot have, we have to go through a course of trials which others do not go through. We have to recognize clearly through our relationships with the world of creation and our lives in society that it is a fact that one cannot raise one's standard without going through trials and tears.

Please allow us to attain the title of holy filial children who are famous in history for having fulfilled completely our duty of filial piety in relation to you. Please let us hold the treasured position of being able to remain as representatives of heavenly value, representing the whole of history centered on your heart.

In the center of our breasts there are no trees or grass. The center of our breasts is a hollow place among hollow places. It is an empty place among empty places, and a dry place among dry places. But there is one thing that we have.

We have hearts that want to call out, "Father!" and hearts that want to meet you, and hearts that want to attend you. We know that those hearts alone are something precious which could not be exchanged even if we were given the heavens and the earth. We earnestly hope and desire that you will allow us to have hearts that will become the totality of that value until the very end.

Since we know that that has extremely precious value, please do not allow us to forget the fact that in order to do that we will have to have heroic hearts and make blood-curdling efforts.

We have humbly prayed all these things in the name of the "True Parents. Amen.

December 11, 1966

We Offer Thanks And Praise For Your Having Chosen Us

Father! Each time we bow down and pray before the majesty of our sacred Father, the more that we consider the fact that you are not joyful, there is no way to keep ourselves from feeling ashamed and remorseful. Father, in the midst the vastness of heaven and earth there is no people worse than our Korean people, but you have chosen this people. Among the many persons of humankind there are none worse than we are, but you have come to us.

When we consider that you have protected and kept us a hundred, a thousand times even though we are behaving so foolishly, we come to feel once again that you love this people, and you love us unconditionally. You have come to us immature, ignorant people and granted us the concept of the blessings of heaven and earth which are so hard to be equal to. And we are grateful that you have allowed us to have this day in which we can call you, "Father," with hearts that overflow like never-ending springs on a foundation of holy grace which others cannot even imagine. We feel all this as the caress of your love.

When we consider how you have raised us up until now and what you have done to have us become standard-bearers who can carry out your commands, and when we consider how your path must have been as you went forth in order to prepare the way of restoration setting aside complaints and enduring the sorrows of the past, we cannot help but repent once again for the past when we have been unworthy children millions and millions of times. Please establish in front of this nation and this people a movement that, even as it is driven out, is able to go forward to the standard of final victory which you have gone over until today.

Please let us become people who are able to bow to you of our own accord, feel ashamed and urge ourselves on. When we realize again that you have come filled with your mighty Will, we earnestly

hope and desire that you will allow us to feel on our own that there is no way for us other than offering gratitude and more gratitude, and hymns and more hymns thousands of times before our glorious Father.

Father! We were people without a country. We were refugees who had lost their nation. We were beggars who were starving in order to find the nation we had lost. Since we have come to understand that your will to find and establish a new hometown, a land of the original homeland, is the truth, we will have to find the land of the original homeland and the original family which we have lost, and take revenge against Satan.

And we will not stop there. We have realized that it will not do unless we retaliate and indemnify everything, no matter what kind of difficulties or what kind of suffering there is, combining every authority we have inherited as heavenly means of blessings which Satan cannot take advantage of, we will face Satan, who is our historical enemy, our enemy in the present age, and our enemy of the future. Therefore, Father, please give us strength. We

earnestly hope and pray that you will give us the ability to offer all our loyalty and filial piety to you.

We have humbly prayed in the name of the True Parents. Amen. December 18, 1966

The Mission that is Left to Us

No one is willing to devote himself for the Nation and the Will. We judge Father based on our own self-interest and opinion. We must long to be like children, forgetting everything but that which we long for to run into your bosom.

Father, please guide humanity all over the world so that they may have such a heartistic foundation. We do not value the holiness and nobleness of being able to shed hidden tears. There are many who are willing to shed tears for themselves, or to die for their family's sake, yet no one is yearning to die for the sake of the holy ideal of the Messiah, who came into this world.

It is Father's mission to rekindle and revive this failing light. Allow us to realize that it is not by our own merit that we understand this but by Your blessing. Let us unite in mind and body observing this Pledge that You have made. You have pushed us into this desolate race of people to follow our Father's example.

Father, we look at this land and its people who are so blind to the path that they should be taking. I realize that it is the mission of the Unification Church to substantially show these wandering youth the correct path, and to pioneer the foundation for their lives. We pledged with utmost determination to fight with our tears for this purpose and to offer our blood so that You may be consoled.

In this seventh year of the seven-year course after 6 years of heart-ache in this year of 1966, Father, allow us the victory and let our untold blood and tears be the condition to liberate Your heart. I pray that all our earnest devotions can be the victorious foundation that will free You and lead You into the land of true freedom.

We understand the mission that needs to be accomplished to liberate the unsatisfied desire of Jesus who walked through the period of suffering in his own life into the period of ideology. Father, I pray that these children can have such a frame of mind, reminiscing about their past, thinking about what they have done for You, Father, so that they can see their current position clearly, re-checking their attitude and every aspect of their lives.

Father, I pray that before this last remaining year of the seven-year course passes, we may continue this lost story, through which we can fulfill the responsibility of being recognized by Father.

Father, if today there are lonely, scattered children shedding tears looking at the teacher here, please bless them. If there are those who pledge loyalty to follow the path You long for, please love them as You have loved me and guide them as You have guided me.

I pray all these things in the Holy names of True Parents. Amen. December 31, 1966 Korea

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1967

Please Let Us Have The Qualification Of True Sons And Daughters

Please let us appear as sons and daughters who are able to promise filial piety to you, Father, and who are able to dwell in the midst of your heart.

Father! In addition to having minds that adore you and minds that long for you so much that we cannot endure without loving you, please let us

become sons and daughters who long for you, Father, even if we lose consciousness, collapse, or are on the verge of death. We did not know that you are longing for many children who are able to feel ashamed about their inadequate selves even though they have given all kinds of devotion and sacrifice for the purpose of realizing your will.

We earnestly hope and desire, Father, that you will allow us Unification children to become your children who know how to make efforts to see our Heavenly father look joyful while we cover our faces and suppress our joy for fear that our own joy might show in front of you. Father! Please do not let there be anything in our real relationships that holds us back as brave people in the vanguard standing before the will. Since we know well that we are all precious brothers and sisters who were born with each individual receiving one blood lineage centered on the love of you who are perfect, please let us become children who know how to stop and go together with your sorrow.

We earnestly hope and desire, Father, that you will let us become true filial sons and daughters who are able to shoulder your yoke in your stead and release you from it.

Oh Father! Your children who have gathered together here are children who have already pledged themselves to you, Father. Since they have pledged millions of times to offer their minds and bodies to you, please allow them to offer their bodies to you in purity. We earnestly hope and desire that

you will allow us to become your children who sanctify our bodies and offer them eternally to you, Father, and who make efforts to become sons and daughters who reveal your love in place of you.

We have humbly prayed in the holy name of the True Parents. Amen. May 14, 1967

Please Let Us Become Children Who Seek The Original Homeland

We must recognize anew and respect of our own accord the fact that we exist in order to seek and offer the joy that you desire and the victory that

you desire. And through all the beings we must realize an environment that is able to glorify you. Since in order to do that, it will not happen unless we have something of the subject partner nature. Oh Father, please protect each of our minds which feel your love.

As we look at the remaining course of restoration, please let us feel that you are anxiously appealing at this time, too, Father, asking who will take responsibility for this course. Therefore, we earnestly hope and desire that you will allow us to become your sons and daughters who are able to sing songs of victory before you, having carried this responsibility to the end, no matter what sacrifices accompany it on the field of battle.

We earnestly hope and desire that you will allow us to become your sons and daughters who can be praised by you, as you stand us up before all of creation and all the people, after we have taken the glory of victory on the battlefield of restoration. Therefore, we earnestly hope and desire, Father, that you will allow each one of us to feel that we must not just sit here like this; we must advance along the course of the battle with grim decisiveness and determination, which is able to mobilize heaven and to mobilize the earth.

Please let us be able to find the land of our original homeland, and please let us be able to find our original brothers and sisters. And please let us become your sons and daughters who are able to have parents and children of the original nature. Please let us become your sons and daughters who are able to realize for you the purpose of joy which you hoped to govern through love.

We have humbly prayed all these things in the holy name of the true Parents. Amen.

May 28, 1967

Please Allow Our Minds To Long For Our Original Home

We did not know that a historical end was calling to us from afar, and we did not know that you had set us up high and were urging us along the path

we have to go. Father! Each time we went in ignorance onto a side path, you guided us back to the path ahead. We feel once again how very much you have toiled, guiding us until this point at the end of history today.

Oh Father! Where do our minds want to dwell? And where do our bodies want to dwell? Since we have come to understand that the place where our minds and bodies should dwell is at the center of your original, deep love, Father, please encourage your children who have not been able to arrive at that point.

Without your love, Father, we cannot rest, and without your love, we cannot feel your heart. Therefore, please let the waves of your love flow down into our lacking minds, and bring about in us the blessing of rebirth.

We must long for that position until our eyes grow cold, and we must yearn for that position until our minds ache with the yearning. And furthermore, in order to find that position, we will have to go through miserable struggles, and even if we are destroyed and collapse a thousand, ten thousand times, and experience the anguish of the vanquished, we know that it is our duty that we must rise up again and go forward fighting. Therefore, our Father, please personally direct our minds and bodies, and please do not allow us to become the vanquished in this battle.

We have humbly prayed all these things in the name of the True Parents. Amen.

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