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Father's Instructions

REVEREND SUN MYUNG MOON
AUGUST 6, 1993
1993 MISSIONARY WORKSHOP
KODIAK, ALASKA

1. Headquarters must consist of a man leader and also a woman leader. If a man is national leader, then the vice-president should be a woman.
2. Through Mother, we must connect the United States of America, Japan and Korea through various fields of human life centering on the Women's Federation for World Peace (WFWP).
3. We must have joint operations with local government and the federal government to save each country centering on the Women's Federation for World Peace. The final result is that everyone will be blessed.
4. The activities of the WFWP should start from the family.
5. We must have activities community by community centering on WFWP.
6. All tribal messiahs must go and act in their hometown and prepare one hundred sixty families for the blessing.
7. Teach all contacts to be one with the True Parents.
8. Lecture by reading the *Divine Principle* book. Emphasize testimonies in workshops. Have a campaign to read the *Divine Principle* book. The church's sole mission is saving the country.
9. The Unification Church makes it possible for Cain and Abel to be one.

The Completed Testament Church means the completion of the Old and New Testament and the introduction of the Second Messiah.

The True Parents' Church is the school to teach people about True Parents and about the time of the heavenly kingdom on earth and in heaven.

Try to restore the established churches.



Father (l.), Mother (r.) and Shin Won Nim (c.) pose under the biggest Alaska Pine tree in Long Island, Kodiak, on August 12, 1993.

Guide the established churches to change their sign board to the Completed Testament Church. ■

PHOTO: COURTESY OF YOSHIHISA INOUE

Father's Fishing Conditions During Mother's American Speaking Tour

Yoshihisa Inoue
Kenai, Alaska

FATHER fished for king salmon [also known as chinook salmon] from June 21 to June 30 in Kenai, Alaska. Early on June 21, Mother had left Anchorage for Phoenix to continue her American speaking tour. Father had planned to return to Kodiak, but his flight was canceled because of heavy fog. He decided then to go fishing for king salmon on the Kenai River, determined to make a record catch. Father said, "Let's catch a seventy-pound king salmon."

Last year at the same Kenai River, Father had decided to catch a king salmon weighing over fifty pound. Five days later he caught a fifty-five pound fish. I recalled that story when I heard Father had decided to catch a seventy-pound salmon.

Father arrived at Kenai after a three-hour drive from Anchorage and immediately asked, "Where is the river?" Even before we finished checking in at the ho-

tel, Father had left for the river. The Kenai River is about a hundred meters wide, and Father cast his line again and again into the river. He caught a Dolly Virden, a small fish, and after that nothing happened. Then Father returned to his hotel room to hear Mother's speech. Mother's speech was really successful. Father said to Mother, "*Omonim, Kamsahamnida. Sugohashussoyo*" ["Mother, thank you for your hard work and accomplishment"] and really encouraged her. Then at 10:30 p.m. he went back to the river.

The sky was still bright, and at about 11:30 p.m. Father's line arched. I realized that it was a king salmon. The river current was so fast and strong, it was not easy to bring the salmon close. The fish headed down river until the line was almost gone; then, with one brother, Father looked for a good landing place to bring in the fish. A good place was not easy to find and,

unfortunately, after about fifty minutes the hook came loose. The brother apologized to Father, who gently responded, "Don't worry."

The next day Father returned to the river in a very new boat. From morning to night over the course of three days, Father's boat went back and forth on the river, but no fish were caught. It was the end of the first salmon run, so there were not many fish, but here and there other boats were making a catch, so my heart was not so calm. On the third day when I heard Mother ask Father if he had caught a big fish, I was really frustrated that we were not yet successful.

Father's smile

On the fourth day, June 24, over three hundred small boats had gathered on the river, but by 11:30 p.m. Father's boat was alone on the river. Father dropped the an-



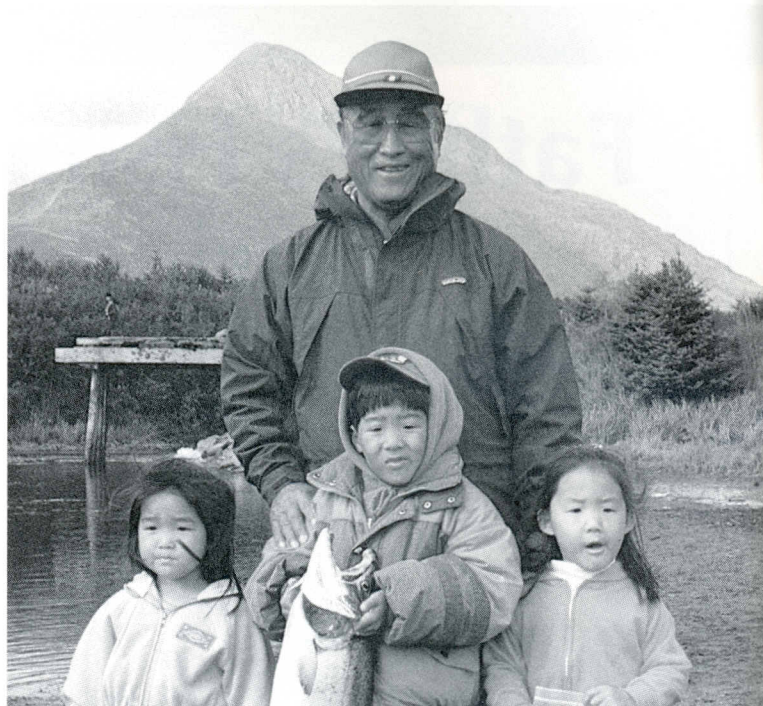
Father listens to Mother's speech over the telephone from the King Salmon Inn on June 21, 1993.



Father (c.) poses with the king salmon he caught on May 27, 1993.



Father (l.) and Mother (r.) pose with Kwon Jin Nim (c.) and the king salmon Kwon Jin Nim caught on June 15, 1993, while fishing in the Karluk River.



Father (back) poses with Shin Yeon Nim (front l.), Shin Won Nim (front c.), Shin Eh Nim (front r.) and the fish Shin Won Nim caught fishing in the Buskin River on September 1, 1993.

PHOTO: COURTESY OF YOSHIIHISA INOUE

chor and waited. When one of the lines became taut, Father immediately took hold of that line. We pulled in the anchor, and Father fought with the fish for about twenty minutes. Finally we could make out the king salmon's shape, but it would appear and disappear again under the surface. Father said, "It's really a big one," and all the crew became excited and tense. Father began to carefully reel in the fish,

and finally pulled it in alongside the boat. Father set up his reel, and the fish floated on the surface, but as the net was lowered to lift it up, the fish jumped. Everyone could hear the sound of the fish dropping in the water and thought it was lost, but the line was still taut. Father again carefully pulled in the reel, and this time successfully netted the fish. It took two people to lift the fish into the boat. This was a

really big king. It was still evening time—not so bright, but not so dark—and we could see Father's beaming smile.

The fish was fifty-three inches long, much bigger than the last big king Father had caught. We returned to the dock and the fish weighed in at just seventy pounds. Father's word was accomplished.

The next day Father reported the story to Mother, who was also very happy. It

PHOTO: COURTESY OF YOSHIIHISA INOUE



Father (l.), Koo Bae Park (second from l.), Young Hyun Moon (second from r.) and Yoshihisa Inoue (r.) pose with the forty-four pound king salmon Father caught on June 27, 1993.



Shin Won Nim (top) and Shin Yeon Nim (middle) compare themselves to the forty-four pound king salmon Father caught on June 27, 1993.



Father smiling after fishing for silver salmon at Old River on August 19, 1993.



True Parents praying at the pledge service on the Day of Heavenly Parentism, September 1, 1993.

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seemed to me that Father would really have liked to call Mother to come to Kenai River.

Enthusiasm and diligence

Until June 30, Father stayed in Kenai, returning to the hotel only to hear Mother's speeches. Otherwise, from early morning until midnight, he focused on catching king salmon. He caught one or two every day. About 10:30 p.m. on the last day, we heard the sound of Father's

line on the Kenai River. Father fought, calm and composed, for twenty minutes and caught another king. This one weighed sixty-two pounds. Father was very satisfied, and said to go back home.

A manager from one of the main sport shops told me that Father's seventy-pound fish was the second biggest caught on the Kenai this year.

When I look back over the past ten days I see how Father really focused on catching a big king salmon. He forgot

about eating and resting, and the result was that he caught three big fish—seventy pounds, sixty-two pounds and forty-four pounds—as well as two weighing around thirty pounds. This is Father's brilliant accomplishment, brought about by his enthusiasm and diligence. We cannot help but admire this kind of diligence.

Father returned to Kodiak from Kenai on June 30, 1993. ■■■

Translated by Megumi Ueda

PHOTO: COURTESY OF YOSHIIHISA INOUE



Father posing with the seventy-pound record-setting king salmon caught June 24, 1993, around 10:30 p.m. on the Kenai River.



Father (second from r.) and Mother (second from l.) pose with Soon Ju Nim (l.), Kwon Jin Nim (r.), Shin Won Nim (front r.) and Shin Yeon Nim (front l.) while fishing for king salmon on the Karluk River on June 14, 1993.

Mother Testifies about Father's Workshops

NOVEMBER 11, 1993
OSLO, NORWAY

At the end of the August Kodiak workshops [see the November issue of Today's World] Father continued with a new series of workshops for Japanese women. When Mother finished her speaking tour of Japan [see the November issue of Today's World] and went to Korea to speak at the universities there, Father moved these workshops to Cheju Island where he continued teaching until the end of the first year of the Completed Testament Age.

Another wave of fifty thousand Japanese sisters began coming incrementally to Cheju Island on January 3, 1994, for workshops.

Translator: Peter Kim

IN Korea right now. Father is educating eighteen hundred woman leaders from Japan. Each team goes through three nights and four days of training. After each team leaves, another team comes. By the end of this year, Father will complete educating up to fifty thousand Japanese women leaders. Father himself is giving personal, special training—Divine Principle and teachings for life of faith in general. Think about it. Father, at the age of seventy-three, sleeping less than two hours a day, speaking fifteen to sixteen hours every single day. On top of that, Father and the participants are staying up at night to listen to my speech. Right now in Korea it is 6:10 a.m. In order for them to listen to my speech, they have to stay up, because they started listening from 4:00 a.m. until now, 6:10 a.m. Father will probably have something simple for breakfast and then go out and talk for another fifteen or sixteen hours. Think about it. These teams of Japanese leaders come and go—three nights and four days. Then a new team comes, but Father stays there every single day, without rest he keeps going on. We are really praying for Father's health. Of course, Father's spirit is higher and stronger than anyone else in the world, but Father's physical body has limitations. We must send our support and prayer. Next year Father may come. ■■

Special Workshops for Japanese Women Leaders

World Mission Department
Seoul, Korea

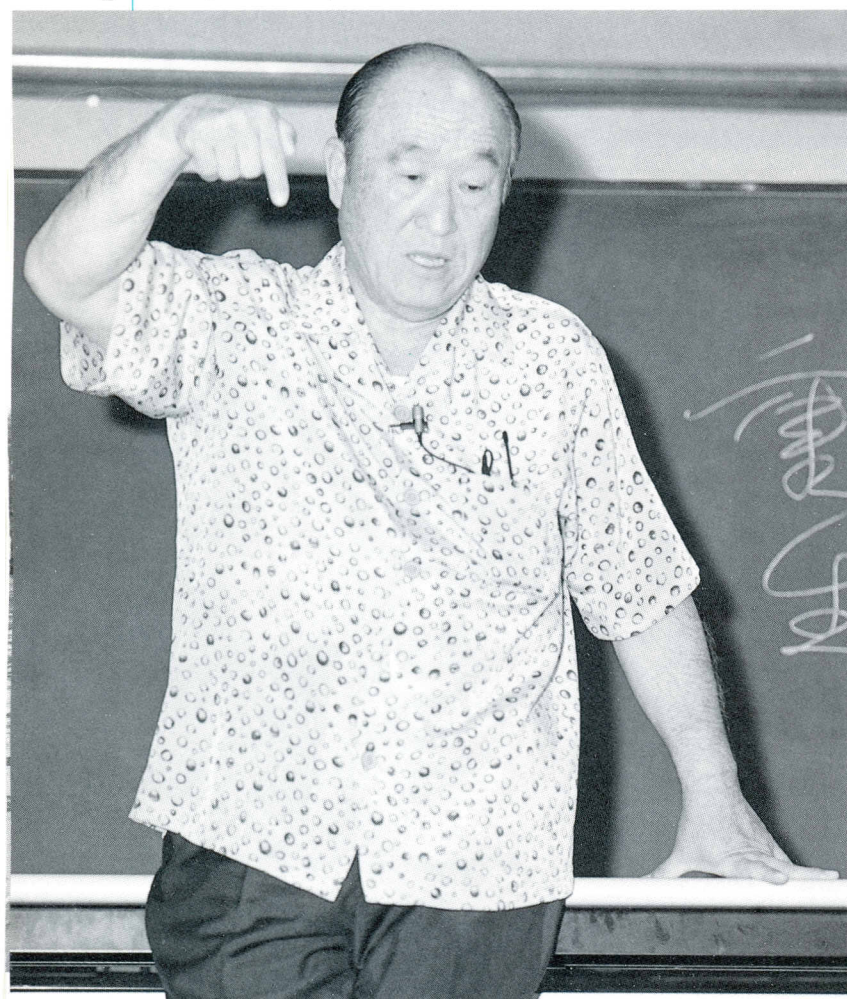
SINCE October 6, 1993, there have been on-going special workshops for women leaders at the international training center on Cheju Island in Korea.

With each workshop lasting four days, nine hundred fifty-two women attended the first, and fifteen hundred eighty-five attended the second. Up to the twenty-third workshop, forty-three thousand, seven hundred and ninety-three women have attended these programs. It is projected that over fifty thousand will have participated by the twenty-fifth workshop concluding on December 22, 1993.

The workshop with the most participants was the twenty-second one, with thirty-three hundred ninety-four women present. Especially at that workshop, Father stayed right at the training center, not resting even one day, giving words of life around the clock.

Now the Japanese sisters, witnessing Father's great love and sacrifice, are deeply repenting and making a new start by pledging together to multiply Father's true love. ■■

PHOTO: COURTESY OF MASAYUKI KACHI



Father teaching at the Cheju Island workshops for the Japanese women leaders.

Your Responsibility is Enormous

HAK JA HAN MOON
NOVEMBER 14, 1993
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

Translator: Peter Kim

THOSE who are attending this kind of major celebration with True Parents for the first time, raise your hands, please. Are all of you blessed? Those who are not blessed, raise your hands. Only blessed members are supposed

to be here. To participate in this kind of major celebration requires prayer and preparation. You should have three days of separation between husband and wife, and at least one week of prayer or cold shower condition or another condition. Children's Day is one of the seven major holidays we celebrate every year and in order to prepare for this kind of celebration, we must set conditions for ourselves and the things we are offering. When you go out shopping to buy fruit and other things for the offering table, you should go with a prayerful heart. Sometimes spirit world will guide you, showing you which store to buy from. Actually, if I explain all the conditions and rules to comply with in order to be able to participate in this kind of major holiday, you would be overcome because the rules are so strict. There are so many different steps and conditions you have to set. Therefore, I will skip that.

However, while preparing yourself and preparing the offering table for this kind of major celebration, you must not fight or feel angry or upset. Instead be joyful and happy, volunteering to do all the tasks. You shouldn't just wake up in the morning and say, "Oh, this is Children's Day. Let's go and participate." That's not the attitude. You should prepare yourselves spiritually, internally, and with prayerful heart come in and humbly participate.

This celebration of Children's Day in this country and on this continent is a very historic occasion. Therefore, with your coming generations, you should commemorate this event, year after year. This is a sacred and special event for your country and your continent. However, just this handful of people are not supposed to

participate in this kind of major celebration. Actually, if we celebrate this holiday here in this country, the entire country of Switzerland should all work together to prepare for and participate in this celebration. Furthermore, all of humanity should participate and celebrate together with God and True Parents.



Mother celebrates Children's Day in Geneva, Switzerland, while Father celebrates in Seoul, Korea.

PHOTOS: CHARLES PATTERSON

To maximize that victorious foundation laid by True Parents, you must reach out to as many people as possible and give this proclamation to them, just like True Parents did.



PHOTOS: CHARLES PATTERSON

Though God feels that He doesn't want to deal with humanity anymore, because of True Parents' grace and forgiveness we now have one more chance.

True Parents' grace

After the fall of man, a great distance was created between God and mankind. Because of the fall no one throughout history could come forward and say, "God, I am Your child." Even if they had done it, in the eyes of God and in front of the spirit world, they would never be accepted as the true child of God. In order for us to have this kind of celebration of a major holiday like this, it took six thousand years. Without having True Parents here with us in this physical world, could we even imagine having this kind of celebration? Was it an easy thing to have True Parents in this world with us? It took two thousand years of the history of established Christianity since Jesus Christ's crucifixion. During those two thousand years of Christian history, a lot of revelations from God and inspiration from the Holy Spirit enabled Christians to stay with their faith. Because of this help from the spirit world and because Jesus Christ spiritually appeared and helped people, established Christianity laid a strong enough foundation for the coming of True Parents.

As I tour these Western countries, which were built based on Christianity, I see the reality that this established Christian foundation has been taken over by Satan and is becoming a foundation for evil to spread rampantly. For example, the very cause of the fall is now being widely exercised among the Christian people here. I feel sad particularly because many of these Western countries have established Christianity as their national religion—in some countries maybe ninety percent of the population are of the Christian faith. Even with this Christian foundation, these Western countries are the setting of all kinds of incredible social crimes and immoral practices, which are spreading all over the world. How sorrowful God's heart is now when He looks down upon this chaotic, dirty world. From God's point of view, He doesn't even want to look at us twice. Though God feels that He doesn't want to deal with humanity anymore, because of True Parents' grace and forgiveness we now have one more chance. That's the grace from True Parents. Therefore, as blessed couples in these Western countries, your responsibility is enormous. Please remember that.

The key point I want you to remember is that True Parents themselves gave this proclamation of True Parents and the Completed Testament Age, in which we are living right now. Whatever country I visit or True Parents visit, I set the victorious foundation for that particular country. Therefore, to maximize that victorious foundation laid by True Parents, you must reach out to as many people as possible and give this proclamation to them, just like True Parents did. You must not hesitate whatsoever but be courageous and bold to go out and teach them, and eventually lead them to True Parents and God. Then you won't have to feel ashamed in front of True Parents and God at the thirty-fifth Children's Day celebration next year. There should be more people, especially qualified people, attending this special celebration. Also the nation and all of humanity should be able to participate in this kind of holiday. To do that, those of us here have to make a strong, new determination this morning. Will you do that? [Yes.]

We must be busy

When you are serious about your life, even one second, one minute, one hour of your daily life is so precious. This is a very precious time we are living in and we must be busy even twenty-five hours a day with a desperate feeling. Otherwise we can't do our responsibility. If we just relax, this opportunity will be lost.

In this very moment, this very second, while True Parents are here with you, tens of thousands of people are dying without knowing True Parents. Sooner or later, without any exception, we will all have to join the spirit world. Millions of people who have lived together with us in this world without knowing True Parents will be there when we join the spirit world. When we face them, what do you think they will say to us? Do you think they will welcome us with big smiles? They will accuse and judge us that we didn't let them know about True Parents and God while they were living with us on the planet Earth. If we don't fulfill our responsibility to reach out to as many people

This is the very place where God declared to the world, through Father, the fall of the Soviet Empire and communism. It is historical that we have our Children's Day celebration here in this very significant place.



Father (l.) and Mother (r.) pray with Hyung Jin Nim (second from l.) on his fourteenth birthday (September 21, 1993), Soon Ju Nim (third from l.) on her twenty-first birthday (September 30, 1993), In Jin Nim (third from r.) on her twenty-eighth birthday (September 4, 1993), and Shin Kwon Nim (second from r.) on his fourth birthday (July 29, 1993).

as we can, when we join the spirit world our place will not be secure, our position will not be guaranteed. We will be lost in the spirit world. Our focus on this earth should be to go after even one more single soul to restore back to True Parents and God; otherwise they will accuse and criticize us. That's our responsibility.

The Unification Church has been established in most countries in Europe for more than twenty years, but I am sorrowful when I see the reality of each country as I am traveling through them.

Father has been devoting his entire life to defeating Satan and setting the victorious foundation for all of humanity. Even though he has been constantly confronted by worldwide level persecution, he always overcame that and he finally set the victorious foundation by proclaiming True Parents and the Completed Testament Age. Father himself walked the course of indemnity for over forty years for the sake of humanity, and on top of that, Father set this victorious foundation. That's Father's life course. You may not fully understand all that Father has gone through, but Father and others have explained some of Father's life course.

When compared with Father's life, your quality of life is such

that in front of God you can't even raise up your heads. There is no comparison. Even the blessing that Father gave you of tribal messiahship is not really welcomed by you, because you are neglecting it. Therefore, you must evaluate your past life, what you have done, what was wrong, and repent and make a truly new determination in front of God and True Parents. Many of you feel the time difference between last year and this year. It's up to you what kind of condition, what kind of foundation, you establish. Then the spirit world will be ready to give as much blessing and support as you need.

There is a small group of Japanese people who come to the *won jeun* where Heung Jin Nim is resting at least once or twice a month. This group came to greet Heung Jin Nim and worship there last month. While they were praying, the spirit world told them through one member of the group who is a medium: "You people, why are you here now? We are all mobilized. Heung Jin Nim, Hong Halmonim and everybody have been mobilized to accompany Mother on

her world tour, to go ahead of Mother and prepare to receive Mother. It is a very busy time. Why are you here?"

Since I began my speaking tour in America, in May of this year, continuing on to Japan and Korea and now in Switzerland, I have delivered this same speech over a hundred times. Each time I deliver the proclamation, Father is always with me, following the same text. A spiritual medium told me that it's not just Father who is with me all the time, but even God Himself is so joyful and so happy that He is virtually dancing around whenever I am delivering this proclamation. Please understand the significance of this precious time period. After six thousand years of history, finally True Parents came with this proclamation. Now, through this proclamation, God's suffering heart, which we call *han* in Korean, is being liberated. Therefore, True Parents are so moved, so inspired, and so happy, that we can't just sit still. We have to go out and give this happy news, this new truth to all of humanity. Thus can you just sit around and do your routine things? You must be inspired even more than True Parents. You must be happy and touched and even intoxicated by this grace and truth from True Parents. If you are moved in order to spread this truth, you should not be able to sit someplace and take it easy. That kind of urgent feel-

ing and determination should be with you all the time. This is the significance of the time period now. I hope that all of you make this kind of determination here this morning. Will you do that?

Mother's prayer

[A brief summary.] Mother first of all gave her thanks to God and Father that she can celebrate the thirty-fourth Children's Day here in this country and though Father is in Korea they are celebrating together across the ocean.

This is a very historical place in the eyes of God. [In 1985, there was a conference here led by the Professors World Peace Academy and the title was "The Fall of the Soviet Empire." While Father was in Danbury prison Dr. Morton Kaplan, who was at that time taking care of the conference, came to Father begging Father to change the title. As you remember, in 1985 the Soviet Empire was still so strong that they were taking over one country or several countries a year. Father told Dr. Kaplan and Rev. Kwak to go ahead with the meeting, which was held right here in Geneva, and declare to the world the fall of the Soviet Empire. Even a person like Dr. Kaplan was so afraid that he came to Father and pleaded with Father to change the title. Father said, "No, this is the direction from God." Through Rev. Kwak he petitioned to Father a couple more times, but Father never moved. Father is like a mountain. Mother mentioned that special significance here.] This is the very place where God declared to the world the fall of the Soviet Empire and communism through Father. It is historical that we have our Children's Day celebration here in this very

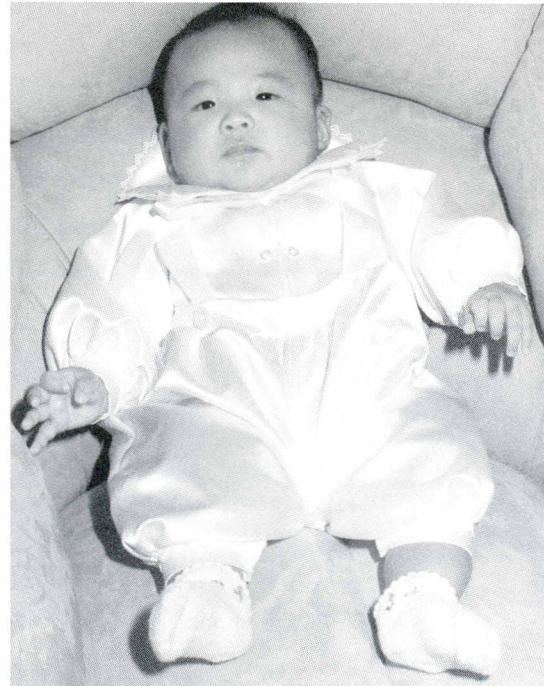
significant place. Therefore, all of Christianity and the European continent, particularly the countries where Christianity is a national religion, must be renewed and reborn. This is the task we are doing now.

Particularly this year when True Parents are proclaiming the True Parents and the Completed Testament Age, blessed couples, Unification Church members, must do your responsibility.

Mother also mentioned that this is the first time that True Parents will visit the former communist countries of Eastern Europe. Particularly today, on this thirty-fourth Children's Day, after this celebration, Mother will go to Croatia.

You Swiss leaders have a very important role to play. You must recognize and understand that historically, your country, Switzerland, has been small and not so powerful. Your stance has always been neutral so that your country could be protected. However, that means you were in a weak position. In this precious time period, Mother is giving you a blessing, which is the responsibility to create a new image of Switzerland by doing God's will and then, as a mediator, bring all these countries together. Switzerland will become number one, the most blessed country in the world, if you do your mission. Can you do that? [YES.] You all want to hear you are number one, don't you? It doesn't come automatically. In order to attain that position, you have to work even ten times harder, maybe one hundred times harder than other countries. Can you do that? [YES!]

[Edited for Today's World]



Shin Joong Nim, Hyun Jin Nim's and Jun Sook Nim's son, at his hundred-day celebration on December 25, 1993.

PHOTOS: CHRIS GARCIA / NFP



In Jin Nim (back l.) looks on while Young Jin Nim (l.) on his fifteenth birthday (July 6, 1993) and Sun Jin Nim (r.) on her seventeenth birthday (August 2, 1993) cut their birthday cakes.

PHOTO: KEN OWENS / NFP

The Age of Living with God

Reports from Mother's Tour

Having finished the speaking tours in America, Japan and Korea, on November 1, 1993, Mother flew from Seoul, Korea, to Frankfurt, Germany, to begin her world tour which continued through December 23 when she returned to Seoul. In those two months Mother covered sixty-two thousand and fifty miles in the air and on land to bring the wonderful good news of "True Parents and the Completed Testament Age" to all the people of the world.

When Father asked the True Family to follow his and Mother's examples, the family responded with a rousing forty-speech American tour with the same proclamation. Now the door is wide open and other countries and tribal messiahs are reporting victorious responses to giving the speech. We begin these reports here and continue them into the coming issues of Today's World. It is such a joy to report these events. Thank you Heavenly Father and True Family. Truly you stand as one.

Frankfurt, Germany November 2, 1993

ABOUT twelve hundred people gathered for Mother's speech at the Marriott Hotel Ballroom in Frankfurt. The preparations were almost perfect. With the strong determination and united effort of all the members of our German church, we were able to fill the hall with a thousand people for Mother's speech. This is a sign of hope for our nation.

VIPs, guests and brothers and sisters gave very positive statements about the good atmosphere, the program and the organization of the event. The cantor of the Jewish congregation in Hannover offered a prayer before Mother's talk. About a hundred Korean guests were in the au-

dience.

Rev. Chung Hwan Kwak, Peter Kim and Rev. Kwang Kee Sa (newly-appointed president of the European church) expressed that Mother was very happy about the evening. Mother was very happy when she telephoned Father in Korea, and he was happy too. Father was at Cheju Island together with sixteen hundred Japanese sisters, who listened to the whole event via telephone hook-up, even though it was 3:00 a.m. their time.

During the victory celebration, Mother emphasized that we are now living in the Completed Testament Age, and not in the Old or New Testament Age. "This is the age of living with God," she proclaimed. This was the hope of all humankind throughout history. This is possible be-

cause of True Parents' victorious foundation.

Mother asked us to read her speech two times a day and fulfill our responsibilities as tribal messiahs.

Before her departure to Luxembourg Mother was very relaxed and joyful. On her journey to Luxembourg she was singing many songs together with the other members of her party.

Karl Leonhardtsberger, national leader of Germany, and Peter Staudinger, European secretary

Luxembourg, Luxembourg November 3, 1993

MOTHER'S speech in Luxembourg was a successful meeting with a warm, intimate atmosphere and three hundred



Mother sings to Father at the victory celebration following her speech in Frankfurt, Germany, on November 2, 1993.



Mother pauses to take in the view from the terrace of her suite in Luxembourg, Luxembourg, on November 3, 1993.

participants.

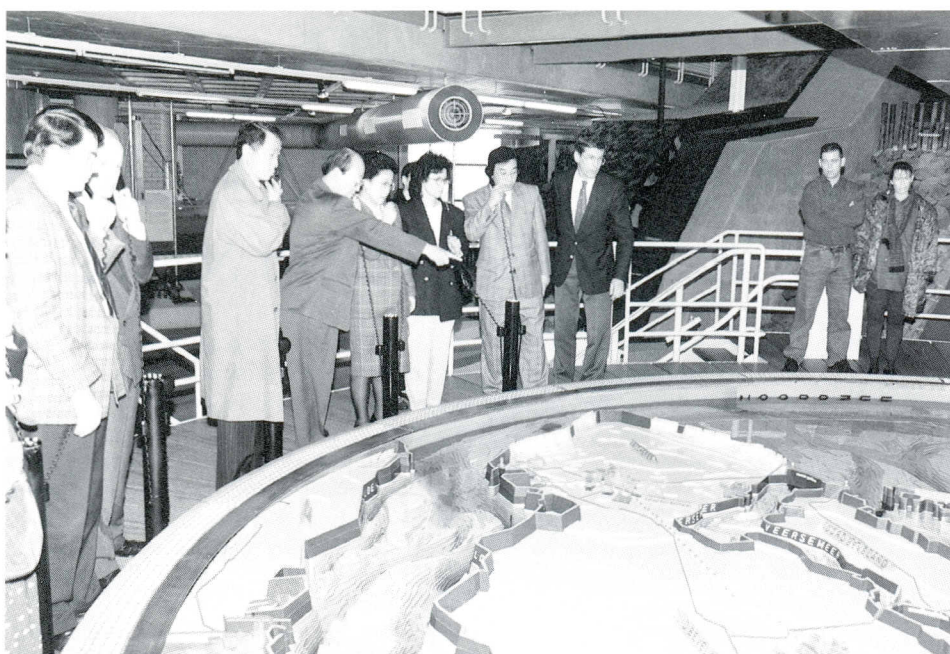
After the speech Mother spoke to members, commenting that although her speech lasted only an hour, it contained four thousand years of history until the birth of Jesus and two thousand years of history since that time. Each time we read it, we should find something new or deeper than before. "Heung Jin Nim and Hong Halmonim rest in their *won jeun*," she said, "but they go with me to all my speeches. That means that the entire spiritual world is mobilized to help you. The rest depends upon your determination."

✚ Paul Frank, national leader of Luxembourg

Brussels, Belgium November 4, 1993

IN spite of many efforts by the print media, television and a deprogramming organization to stop the meeting, two hundred seventy-three guests, including fourteen VIPs, attended Mother's speech in Brussels. Both the main hall and the overflow room were full. Many of the guests came from our Birthday Association, which has organized monthly meetings since 1988 in order to educate the people of Belgium about the Principle and God's heart.

Marcella Tinant, vice president of the Birthday Association and Femmes de Vision, was the master of ceremonies, and Dr. Christiaan Vonck, a Protestant minister and secretary of the World Congress of Faiths, introduced Mother.



Mother and her entourage visit the exhibition of the dike system in the Netherlands as they travel to The Hague, Netherlands, to deliver her speech, November 5, 1993.

We knew most of the guests for many years, so there was a very warm atmosphere in the hall, which was enhanced by a large painting made by an Albanian artist to whom we had witnessed in his country.

After the meeting, there was a victory celebration with Mother. She spoke with Father on the telephone, and both Mother and Father sang for us. Peter Kim and Rev. Sa also sang. Mother cut the cake, and we gave three cheers of *mansei*. Then Mother

gave a short speech.

✚ Alva Lines, national leader of Belgium

The Hague, Netherlands November 5, 1993

WE were amazed at how openly we could witness about our True Parents and how many people showed interest in our ideology. The prime minister of the Netherlands sent a personal letter welcoming Mother to our country. Weather conditions were favorable for Mother's first four European speeches.

On the way to The Hague, Mother stopped at an exhibition about the dike system that was initiated, after the flood of 1953, to prevent another disaster. Mother told us later that the fight against the water showed the willpower and commitment of the Dutch people, a power which should be mobilized for the will of God.

More than three hundred people gathered to hear Mother's speech in The Hague. A Catholic nun offered the invocation and a Protestant minister introduced her. The hall was filled to capacity. Aside from some technical problems with the lights during the video presentation, everything went very smoothly. After Mother's speech, the members gathered together with her, bringing their guests.

Rev. Kwak urged us not to lose contact with the people who came to the meeting, but rather, guide them to the blessing. Mother asked the Dutch church members to focus more on witnessing and on Ocean Church, since the Dutch people have a long history connected to the sea.

"No single word of Father's will disappear or be buried," Mother said. "Rather,



Mother lights the candles on the victory celebration cake in Brussels, Belgium, November 4, 1993.

they are like grains that will start to grow and reach fulfillment." Since the Netherlands is a popular tourist destination, she suggested that we create souvenirs with Father's words on them, and sell the items on the streets or in shops. Whatever products we develop, we should consider how to utilize them to spread Father's words.

Mother said that when we are crazy to spread God's word, the spirit world will help us. Leaders have to educate, guide and teach people, making sure that no one is idle but all are working for God. When members are alive, the church and country can prosper.

✠ Wim Koetzier, national leader of the Netherlands

Dublin, Ireland November 6, 1993

AMONG the approximately two hundred fifty people attending Mother's speech in Dublin were four ambassadors or their representatives, as well as church ministers and members of religious orders. The talk went very well.

Success was made possible particularly because of the tremendous support and help from Britain. We felt we entered a whole new era for Ireland.

The celebration was held in an intimate, wood-paneled room. Mother was very relaxed and shared with us some precious words after pledge the next morning. She emphasized the importance of



Mother (l.) enjoys the moment as Won Ju McDevitt (r.) sings for Father in Korea and the members gathered in Dublin, Ireland, November 6, 1993.

working with university students from now on.

✠ David Hanna, national leader of Ireland

London, England November 7, 1993

DURING our six-week campaign, our national leader, Mark Brann, asked us all to concentrate on VIP guests so that people of the highest possible level would

be able to attend the meeting. As we entered the last stages of the campaign, we expanded our focus to bringing guests to fill the hall.

When Mother arrived in London, she was very relaxed. Our hospitality sisters were surprised that the hotel's VIP suite and guest rooms were not well decorated. When they moved a couch, for instance, they found that it was covering a hole in the carpet. A lot of effort was made to buy new rugs, bed covers and many other items for Mother's suite. Because of this effort the atmosphere in the hotel changed a lot.

The emphasis on VIPs was rewarded, with four hundred fifty coming to the event. Over a hundred attended the VIP reception, and Rev. Kwak stood in the receiving line to greet them. The main hall of the hotel was filled to capacity with twelve hundred people.

The invocation was given by a former adviser to the Anglican archbishops. A famous woman theologian introduced Mother. "There can perhaps not be a finer ambassador for peace in the contemporary world," she said, and described Mother as coming "with a great sense of mission and a vision of peace." Mother was so happy that she gave her a kiss on the cheek.

A very warm and beautiful atmosphere was created during the celebration meeting. After Rev. Kwak reported to Father, Mother talked and sang to Father and the two thousand Korean members and various True Grandchildren who were on Cheju Island with Father. They sang in response and talked and laughed with us



Mother sings to Father and the True Grandchildren in Cheju Island from the victory celebration in London, England, on November 7, 1993.



Mother delivers her speech in Ottawa, Quebec, Canada, at the Parliament on November 8, 1993.

all. It felt like we were one family.

When Father was told how many people had gathered for the speech he said, "One thousand two hundred people. English family worked hard to make Mother's speech successful. Congratulations to you! This is the beginning, so we have to keep marching on. That's true!"

After two hours, Mrs. McDevitt sang and Mr. Brann spoke in Korean to Father, after which he and his wife sang together. When Father asked Mr. Brann, "What can I do to help the British church?" Mr. Brann replied, "Please bring Mother here more often."

The cake was cut, and after Mother left, Rev. Kwak said that True Parents were very happy about the number of important guests in attendance. One member reported that because of the wonderful atmosphere in the celebration room, her husband felt for the first time that True Parents really were his parents.

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Ottawa, Canada November 8, 1993

On November 8, 1993, Mother addressed an overflow audience at the Parliament Building in Ottawa of over three hundred fifty dignitaries, parliamentarians and guests from all over the country. With the support of Dr. Edward Schreyer, former Governor-General of Canada, who was the Queen's representative and head of state from 1979-1983, in addition to that of a sitting Senate member, our members secured three (!!!) rooms in the central House of Parliament, an unprecedented

first for a non-governmental organization.

Dr. Schreyer's respectfully thoughtful introduction of Mother lent a tone of dignity and awe to the occasion. A lovely presentation of classical music by a young, but accomplished, duo of soloist and harpist also raised the atmosphere toward heaven. Rev. Dr. Petro Bilaniuk, of Professors World Peace Academy note, gave an invocation of peace from St. Basil the Great to open the program.

In the audience were some members of Parliament, Senators's aides, ambassadors

and other dignitaries. The newly-appointed Minister for Women's Affairs joined the meeting and listened attentively to Mother's message. Messages of welcome, congratulations and proclamation were received from virtually every major city in Canada, from a number of provincial premiers, from a former prime minister as well as from the present Governor-General. To our great joy, Hyun Jin Nim and Kook Jin Nim arrived shortly before the program, as well as a number of church and Women's Federation for World Peace leaders from the United States.

Dr. Schreyer, much to this writer's surprise and delight, stayed on afterward to attend the reception and mingle with the audience, fielding questions about his involvement with the movement. Mother held a private reception for over one hundred members at her hotel later, complete with telephone link to Father.

The next day, before leaving for Paris, Mother, after a short tour of the capital city, visited the home of her high school classmate, Mrs. Helen Kim, for a luncheon in Mother's honor. Many members accompanied Mother to the Mirabel International Airport to see her off after a very victorious and moving two days with the True Mother of mankind.

Robert Duffy, regional leader of Quebec, Canada

Paris, France November 10, 1993

UP until the day of the meeting in Paris, we experienced no attack or opposi-



Mother immensely enjoys the report which Henri Blanchard, national leader of France and one of the first graduates of Sung Hwa University's Korean Language Program, is giving directly to Father, in Korean, about Mother's speech in Paris, France, on November 10, 1993.



Mother delivers her speech in Oslo, Norway, on November 11, 1993.

tion from Satan. I felt that the absence of persecution in France was a great victory for True Parents.

Our preparations were very smooth and our staff had been working very harmoniously. However, Satan made a final effort to try to destroy the meeting at the very last moment. The transportation union decided to strike against the Paris metro system from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. on the very day of Mother's speech. Our meeting was scheduled to start at 7:00 p.m., and although the hall was still seventy percent empty, the meeting had to begin. You can imagine the heart of all the members who had been investing so much up until that moment. However, the guests had determined to come under any circumstances, and before Mother started her speech the hall was totally full.

As soon as Mother appeared, the Catholic layman who had just given the invocation stood and encouraged the whole audience to stand. Everybody rose to their feet and gave Mother a warm ovation as she took the stage. The audience followed the whole speech in their text, reading very carefully and applauding from time to time. Many guests were struck by Mother's purity, some shedding tears during the meeting. After Mother finished, the whole audience immediately stood up and applauded.

One Muslim leader later presented Mother with a plaque, and a Jewish theologian expressed appreciation for the speech. Thus three main religions united together under the name of True Parents.

Some guests did not arrive until 9:00 p.m., after Mother had already finished speaking. They were very sorry, and some decided to go to Geneva to hear her there.

The final number of guests was seven hundred. Many gave up coming due to the metro strike and consequent traffic jam. It was a strange coincidence that one of the largest traffic pile-ups in French history took place at the moment Mother commenced her speech at 7:45 p.m. More than seventy cars were burned and seventeen people were killed. Maybe France

had to pay great indemnity after trying to oppose the meeting, now that the declaration of True Parents and the Completed Testament Age has been made.

✠ Kunihiro Shibamura, South European regional leader

Oslo, Norway November 11, 1993

THE prestigious Rococo Hall in the Grand Hotel, just a hundred yards from the Parliament building in Oslo, was filled to capacity with more than three

hundred people. The president of the Professors World Peace Academy in Norway introduced Mother on this historic day, coinciding with the seventy-fifth anniversary of the signing of the peace treaty ending World War I. With many people standing in the back of the hall because all the chairs were occupied, Mother gave a most heartistic speech, touching the audience and bringing tears to people's eyes.

A third of the embassies in Oslo responded positively to our invitation. Many relatives of Unification Church members living in Norway and abroad came to the speech. The Danish family brought nineteen guests, together with many brothers and sisters. We also had great support from our regional headquarters.

Mother was very happy at the celebration afterwards. When Father reported that he could not hear all her speech because of telephone difficulties, Mother responded that she was sorry for that, because she had been at her best.

After most of the guests had left, one of the women working in the cloak room asked a member for the name of our organization. She said she had never heard so many positive comments about a meeting before.

✠ Viggo Jorgensen, national leader of Norway

Stockholm, Sweden November 12, 1993

TWO hundred twenty people came to listen to Mother even though there is a very small foundation of membership



Mother (r.) and Rev. Kwak (l.) listen as Ben and Stian Laurenson sing at the victory celebration following the speech in Stockholm, Sweden, on November 12, 1993.

in Sweden.

✉ Peter Staudinger, European office

Geneva, Switzerland

November 13, 1993

THIS time Switzerland received so many blessings from True Parents. Although there were many shortcomings, because brothers and sisters had really mobilized themselves a true feeling of joy was generated. It is such a great privilege to be able to receive True Parents, offer them something directly and see that it is received.

Mother spoke at the Hilton Hotel in Geneva to approximately four hundred people. In spite of all our efforts, there were still a few empty seats on the left side. This shows the reality that our present foundation is, in fact, quite miserable. However, with True Parents' new fortune, plus our desperate efforts and the help from the spirit world, an almost complete success was possible.

The day before Mother's arrival, just as we were being hit by sudden, serious problems with our hotel, we received a letter from the president of Switzerland, welcoming Mother and wishing her a full house for her speech. As Mother and her party came out of the airplane, it was a great feeling to greet Mother with this letter in my pocket.

A woman representing the Bahai Faith offered a nice opening prayer, and a professor who called us the "Moon sect" when we first met him two weeks before introduced Mother as if he were a long-time International Conference on the Uni-



Mother smiles during the program in Geneva, Switzerland, on November 13, 1993.

ty of the Sciences friend, spontaneously asking the audience to give Mother a standing ovation as she appeared.

Our sister nation, Albania, was represented by their ambassador to the United Nations. The cultural attaché of their embassy in Bern offered a beautiful certificate of recognition to Mother for inspiring our support of their country.

Numerous diplomats, representatives of United Nations-related agencies and other non-governmental organizations attended the speech. The worldwide president of Mothers of the World came and

expressed her support. His Grace Dr. Paulos Mar Gregorios, former president of the Geneva-based World Council of Churches, sent special greetings.

One of the nicest things is that participants and guests were generally not knocked over by Mother's strong speech, but became more enthusiastic than before. They now want to cooperate.

The celebration consisted mainly of happy singing between Father in Korea and our group here. It was just very nice.

Since destiny put this year's Children's Day on November 14, national leaders from ten European nations joined us at our national headquarters for pledge service with Mother. At pledge service we felt true, heavenly joy.

Having Mother here for both the speech and the holy day put lots of emphasis on hospitality. We could not have had success without the presence of a number of French and Italian members, guests and staff. When parents are near, love among brothers and sisters flows freely and easily.

✉ Claude Perrottet, national leader of Switzerland

Zagreb, Croatia

November 14, 1993

WITH these words, "The whole day before Mother's speech, I felt that we are all in the child's position," Elisabeth Brandner, first missionary to Croatia, expressed her feelings during Mother's visit to Zagreb. For me, it was also a deep experience with God and True Parents. After weeks of preparation and quite a hectic last day I was moved to tears sitting



Mother (seated c.), Rev. Kwak (kneeling near l.) and Takenori Hashimoto (kneeling far l.) pose with members following her speech in Zagreb, Croatia, on November 14, 1993.

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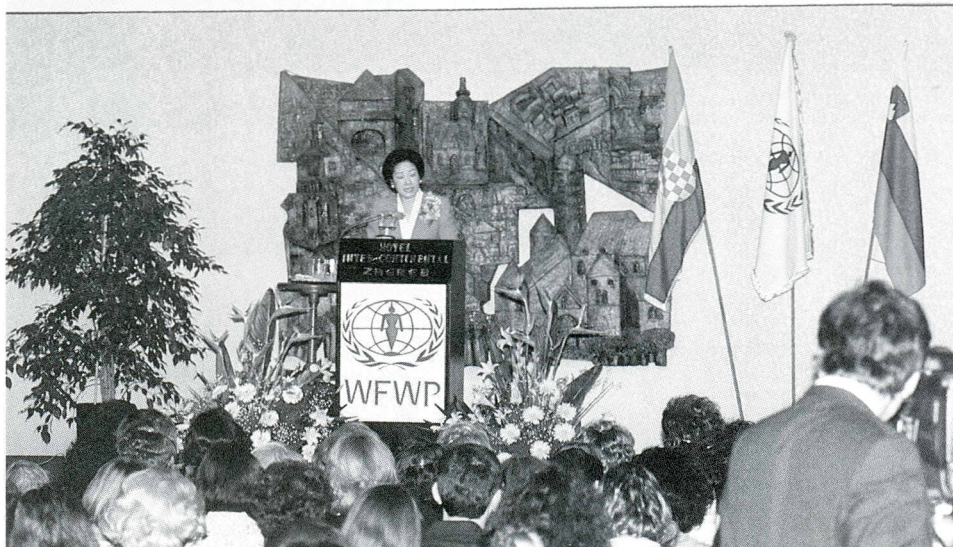
in the first row listening to Mother's speech. Behind me, some seven hundred guests and fifty brothers and sisters also listened attentively.

Mother brought us together from different parts of the former Yugoslavia, from the East European Mobile Fundraising Team and from our sister nation Austria. When Mother came on stage, all the difficulties we faced during the preparation period were forgotten. It was a beautiful atmosphere. "God Found" was the title of a song presented by the lead singer of the Croatian Opera House. We had really found God and He could work through us, despite all of our immaturity.

It was "God's Day" in Zagreb, even though in the celebration room the banner read, "Happy Thirty-Fourth Children's Day." Since we were always short of staff, God had to take over a big role, and He did.

It was moving to listen to the invocation offered by the head of the Jewish community in Croatia, followed by a prayer spoken by a Slovenian Catholic minister in the Croatian language. The president of Professors World Peace Academy in Croatia introduced Mother in a very natural and heartistic way, and Mother received a standing ovation when she came on stage. However, it was not the applause nor the quite substantial number of guests (in comparison to our small membership), but the overall atmosphere created by True Parents' love which brought us closer to God that evening. "I feel very small with my five children in comparison to Mrs. Moon," re-

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Mother speaking in Zagreb, Croatia, on November 14, 1993.

marked opera singer Blazenka Milic before she closed the main program by singing, "Ave Maria."

It was a wonderful experience to see Mother happy and relaxed. After the speech, we spent almost an hour and a half sharing with Father and singing. Then Mother spoke about the importance of this day: "Tonight was the first speech in an East European country on this tour. Up until now, God could not do so much; now you can freely go everywhere and proclaim your faith. You must resemble Father and Mother." After her guidance

Mother cut the celebration cake and we had the privilege of taking pictures with her.

During breakfast, Mother encouraged us to educate public leaders and inspire them by our daily life. Mother was also concerned that we take good care of our guests. Big, heavy snowflakes began falling from heaven. "In Korean tradition, this means a great blessing," Mother explained. "Your country is in one of the most terrible situations in the world, but if you take care of your guests you can build a strong foundation here."

After breakfast, Elisabeth and I received nice watches from Mother. "Wear them all the time and always remember True Parents when you look at them," Mother said. She encouraged us to continue with International Relief Friendship Foundation and public relations projects and gave a substantial donation to provide for such projects in her name. Mother signed brochures with the Slovenian and Croatian text of her speech and several Croatian translations of the "Level IV" Principle book.

Mother brought sunshine to Croatia in both the spiritual and physical sense. Two days before her coming, it was bad weather, but sunshine and blessing arrived with her. We want to continue to share it with our guests.

✍️ Rudolf Maier, national leader of Serbia, Croatia and Slovenia

Vienna, Austria
 November 15, 1993

THROUGH Mother's coming to Austria, the most important and final purpose



Mother and those traveling with her pause for a moment while sightseeing to take a picture in Vienna, Austria, on November 15, 1993. Left to right: Emi Nakajima, Won Ju McDevitt, Robert Smart, Johann Hinterleitner, Mother, Rev. Kwak, Peter Kim, Rev. Kwang Gee Sa.



Mother sightseeing in Budapest, Hungary.



Mother in Budapest, Hungary, on November 18, 1993, at the victory celebration following her speech.

of all our work became very clear to me: to lay a foundation in order to receive the Messiah. When Mother's tour was being planned in Alaska, Father mentioned that he would like the speech to take place in the national parliament building, and that national political and religious leaders should attend. Comparing the expectation of God and True Parents with our substantial reality, I realized more clearly than before that we still have a long way to go and much work to do.

Brothers and sisters worked hard and with great sincerity to bring their relatives and friends, so that they could see, hear and experience Mother. Nearly eleven hundred people attended Mother's speech in Vienna, including seven to eight hundred guests, and about eighty VIPs. Sensing this genuine effort, Mother seemed to be quite pleased with the event. Since Mother was unable to go to Bulgaria, she had the opportunity to rest afterwards and do some sightseeing.

Mother urged us to take care of all the guests who attended the speech and guide them to become blessing candidates. "Father will soon be eighty years of age," Mother continued. "By that time you

should have restored your country. If you can restore your country while True Parents are still on the earth, it would give much glory to God."

—Johann Hinterleitner, national leader of Austria

Budapest, Hungary November 18, 1993

FOR the first time in Hungarian history, we were able to prepare for such a great event. Since we were treading new ground, we eagerly studied the reports of Mother's visits to other countries, so we could learn from their experiences.

As preliminary preparation, we held a Women's Federation for World Peace meeting, a Professors World Peace Academy conference and several parents seminars. Three thousand invitations were sent out in Budapest alone. The response was much better than expected.

Once again we witnessed the mysterious power of prayer. During the preparation period we prayed that everything which could go wrong should go wrong *before*—rather than *during*—Mother's visit. It did! Until the moment of Mother's arrival at the airport, we were in a con-

stant battle, facing one crisis after another. After Mother's arrival, everything went smoothly.

The preparation time itself was of tremendous value to us as a young church. One couldn't think of any better way to create a team spirit, build unity, challenge our individual and collective limitations, and beat mediocrity. For this opportunity we are deeply grateful to Heavenly Father and True Parents.

On the way from the airport to the Hilton Hotel, I reported to Mother about the welcome and congratulatory messages from seven top leaders of the Republic of Hungary. The letter from Mr. Gabor Demszky, mayor of Budapest, went straight to Mother's heart: "I highly appreciate your wide-scale contribution to the cause of freedom and peace. I am honored to congratulate you for having founded the Women's Federation for World Peace on the occasion of your visit to Budapest informing citizens of your noble objectives."

Upon Mother's arrival in the capital we noticed flags raised on the bridges and illuminated on the parliament building, something customarily done only for special memorial days or state visits. On this

day, however, there was no such occasion. Could it have been Mr. Demszky's gesture of welcoming Mother? In any case, it was wonderful to see.

Brothers and sisters from five other cities mobilized all their contacts, friends, relatives and VIPs. Six buses from all over Hungary arrived at Budapest's Hilton Hotel on November 18. We counted over seven hundred guests, four hundred coming from the capital alone. Mother delivered her speech with deep emotion. Often she stopped and cried.

Mrs. Herberger, the mother of our Collegiate Association for the Research of Principles leader, had mobilized over fifty guests from Gyor. She received a gift from Mother.

The atmosphere at the victory celebration was bursting with joy. After lots of singing and reporting to Father, Mother said to us: "Hungary is not such a big country. If you emulate True Parents' lifestyle you can make a very big impact. If you do well in restoring your country, True Parents may come to your country and live with you in the future." Mother said how happy she was to see so many young brothers and sisters. "Just to look at them gives me strength and new hope."

— Peter Zohrer, national leader of Hungary

Warsaw, Poland **November 19, 1993**

As for many nations, it was our first opportunity to receive Mother, our first time to hold such a large event, and our first experience at inviting VIPs to a conference.



Mother (l.) listens as Jin Hun Nim (r.) sings over the telephone line to Father from Warsaw, Poland, on November 19, 1993.

Our goal was a thousand people, including a hundred twenty VIPs. It was a completely new experience for us to contact ambassadors, politicians, professors, and various important and well-known people.

We had to prepare guests from every center and region of the country to receive Mother's message. Since we already knew the content of the message, our desire was to prepare our guests in the best possible way. We arranged for buses to bring peo-

ple. We faced quite a challenge, and I feel proud of the work the brothers and sisters could accomplish.

At the last moment Father himself called Mother to say that we should be especially careful about security in Poland. We had such a strong desire to welcome Mother that we were ready for everything, even to give our lives if necessary.

On the day of the conference, we had beautiful weather. Two of us had the privilege of receiving Mother at the door of the airplane right after it landed. Mother and the rest of her party were quite surprised to be greeted at the landing area.

That night, the secretary to Poland's president read beautiful words of welcome and encouragement. We were deeply moved by its content. Also, the wife of the president sent a small gift from the Handicapped Children Foundation that she belongs to.

A priest, actively involved in ecumenical work in Poland offered the invocation, asking God's blessing for Mother and the event. A well-known singer offered beautiful songs of faith and heart. The professor who introduced Mother welcomed her warmly and expressed to her in English his gratitude that she could deliver her speech to his country.

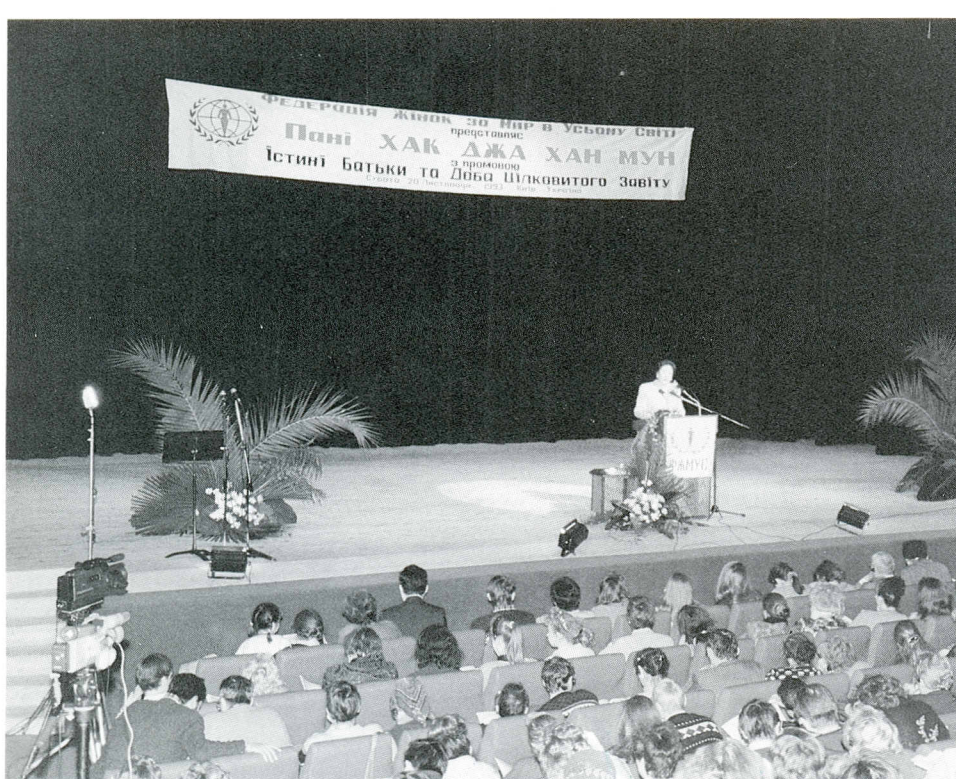
There was a constant flow of people arriving until around 7:10 p.m. One of the hotel managers was so surprised at our success that she wanted to see the event from inside. In its four-year history, the Marriott Hotel in Warsaw had never held an event of this dimension.



Mother speaking in Warsaw, Poland, on November 19, 1993.

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Mother speaking in Kiev, Ukraine, on November 20, 1993.

People were transformed by Mother's love and words. Afterwards we gathered around Mother to celebrate the victory. Nothing seemed to have gone wrong, and Mother was happy with the success of the event.

Mother introduced to us Jin Hun Nim (Un Jin Nim's husband), who is working in the CIS, and said that blessed couples should resemble True Parents.

The Unification community has a twenty-year history in Poland, Mother remarked, one of the longest in Eastern Europe. It started underground, and now we are free to receive Mother officially. In the Completed Testament Age, we should serve God and True Parents. Mother urged us to spread True Parents' name boldly and courageously everywhere.

At breakfast the next morning, we reported to Mother about the responses from the audience. Many VIPs expressed their gratitude for being invited to the event and asked us to pass on to Mother their words of thanks, admiration for her accomplishments and best wishes for further success. We received many invitations to meet with ambassadors and other officials.

Mother gave us the goal of achieving five hundred members this year and a thousand next year—working toward the goal of ten thousand members in Poland. She urged the national leader to work harder than all the members, raise up new leaders and work with the Women's Federation for World Peace to solve social

problems. Mother offered a large donation to give to the president and his wife for the charity foundation they work with. The national leader should try to follow True Parents' standard and become a hero that his country cannot forget. During this last meeting with Mother, we were deeply moved to feel Mother's love for our country.

We are using the foundation laid by Mother to concentrate on witnessing to those who attended her speech. We are

planning to hold seminars and finish the year with a seven-day workshop.

Patrick Jouan, national leader of Poland

Kiev, Ukraine November 20, 1993

MOTHER's party arrived in the Ukraine and stayed at the Intourist Hotel, which is Kiev's best. The hospitality side of the visit went smoothly. However, the same cannot be said for everything else.

Less than forty-eight hours before Mother was due to speak, our representatives were called to the National Drama Theatre, where the event was scheduled to be held. There they found four "gentlemen" waiting for them. One was the head of the local police, another the head of the local visa department, and the other two were KGB officials. They announced that our meeting was illegal, and for two hours they tried to find out who had issued the invitation for Mother. The conclusion was that we needed the approval of the city administration and the signature of the president in order to go ahead. For the whole of the next day and right up until the event, we tried to obtain what was asked for, but in vain. All of the people who might have helped us, including those on our welcoming committee, had somehow left Kiev two or three days before the speech.

Quickly we booked a nice but smaller hall in the Intourist Hotel. We did this through the Chernobyl Foundation and its secretary, a former dissident with no fear of the authorities. He gave the speech introducing Mother in an extremely sincere,



Mother (l.) listens and Jin Hun Nim (r.) looks on as Rev. Kwak reports to Father over the telephone line from Kiev, Ukraine, on November 20, 1993.



Mother serenades the members and guests at the victory celebration following her speech in Moscow, Russia, on November 21, 1993.

respectful and heartistic way.

Two hours before the speech, we gave up trying to get the original hall and made a crazy, chaotic scramble to prepare the reserve venue. We had to redirect the people who were coming to the original hall, where they encountered police who told them that if they went anywhere else the speech might be held they would be arrested. In addition, the buses we had arranged to transport people to the new venue failed to appear.

The original theater had a capacity of a thousand seats. The second one had seats for four hundred sixty-five, plus standing room for an additional hundred people. The hall management told us they would lock the doors once the coat racks were full.

While we were setting up, the first two officials appeared, but left after nobody would introduce them to the organizer of the event! A few minutes before the program began five KGB officials appeared; after enduring their aggressive rhetoric for twenty-five minutes, Mr. Shovkoshitny managed to show them to the door, after which all the doors were padlocked by the hall's director.

We dispensed with any entertainment before Mother's speech, and everything went smoothly. Mother was really radiant and spoke easily. The audience responded very warmly, especially towards the end, when there was frequent applause.

There were many school teachers, school directors and representatives of women's groups from around the Ukraine. Afterwards I recognized a few uni-

versity rectors, but because of the mad scramble it was difficult to know how many VIPs were present.

One woman in the audience commented, "I don't know if he is the Messiah, but she is definitely the daughter of God." Mother received some very warm letters of welcome, which is definitely not a local tradition. After the speech she was presented with a beautiful gift from the head of the Kiev Cultural Fund.

The meeting with Mother afterwards was very wonderful, although it was clear that our members were not well prepared.

Mother was seated before any members arrived, and they did not know that they should bow.

There was a lot of singing and give and take between Father and Mother. Mother sang at least three songs to Father and then asked Rev. Kwak to give a report. While Rev. Kwak was speaking, the KGB came again, demanding to see the organizer. They were told that it was myself. The officials complained that this was our second illegal meeting in one day. I asked what was illegal about eating cake and invited them to join us. As Rev. Kwak was finishing his report, the officials were shouting at me. They came back two or three times to Mother's floor during the night, but without any incident. Even the next morning, the hotel security would not allow our missionary brothers up to Mother's suite to say pledge.

Mother's party left the hotel without incident and quietly departed for Moscow. At the airport, we were able to exchange waves with Mother for several minutes until the plane took off. Considering all the difficulties that we encountered, it is hard to evaluate our experience. Maybe we can take to heart the comment of Mother's security guard Bob Smart, who said that when everything was over Mother was the happiest that he had seen her since they came to Europe.

David Stewart, national director of Ukraine

Moscow, Russia **November 21, 1993**

AFTER her visit to Kiev, Mother and her entourage arrived in Moscow on the



Members listening to songs and reports at the victory celebration following Mother's speech in Kiev, Ukraine, on November 20, 1993.

morning of Sunday, November 21, 1993.

This was Mother's third visit to the capital of the former Soviet Union. Almost one year ago to the day, as part of her 1992 world speaking tour, Mother had addressed an overflow crowd at the famous Oktyabrskaya cinema. At that time, despite our members' best efforts, we were unable to secure the Kremlin's Palace of Congresses, but we promised Mother that next time she would speak in the Kremlin!

Nevertheless, this proved to be a monumental undertaking—virtually impossible. Because of the tense political situation following the October Revolution, the Kremlin was absolutely off-limits to any group that could be even remotely seen as religious or political. Added to this was the opposition by certain elements to having a "Moon organization" at the Kremlin.

The time before Mother's arrival was an unbelievable spiritual battle, as we tried to go through every channel, using every VIP contact we had, to rent the Kremlin. There were many "heart attack" situations, especially when the other theaters we had rented as back-ups suddenly canceled. Even four days before her arrival, we still had nowhere for Mother to speak!

Thanks to Heavenly Father's power, the impossible became possible, and on November 21 at 4 p.m. Mother walked out on the stage of the Kremlin Palace of Congresses before seven thousand people.



Mother singing for the members and guests at the victory celebration following her speech in Minsk, Belarus, on November 22, 1993.

International Leadership Seminar staff

Minsk, Belarus *November 22, 1993*

THE next morning, Monday, November 22, 1993, Mother and her entourage flew on to Minsk, Belarus, to speak to the women there. The event took place in the Grand Opera and Ballet Theatre and was attended by eight hundred people. Most

of the guests were women who work in state and public organizations dealing with the problems of the family, women and children, young people and education, such as: Ministry of Education (Family and Marriage Department), Association of Girl-Guides, Women's Christian-Democratic Party, Association of Mothers of Soldiers who Died in the Afghanistan War, and others. Some of them had attended Women's Federation for World Peace (WFWP) conferences that were held in the Crimea (Ukraine) and Moscow (Russia) in 1993.

All the money that we received from selling invitation tickets was donated to the Association of Parents that Have Crippled Children. The president of that association made a short speech of gratitude to Mother and WFWP.

Several universities from Minsk sent welcoming letters to Mother. Their rectors or vice-rectors attended the Conference for Rectors in Crimea in September 1993. Some of them are interested in teaching Divine Principle and "My World & I" in their courses at the universities.

When Mother arrived in Minsk, she was greeted personally at the airport by Mrs. Irina Kuzminichna Shushkevich, wife of the president of Belarus. Mrs. Shushkevich was very supportive during our preparations for Mother's coming. In May 1993, she attended the European conference of WFWP that was held in Germany. She had a nice experience there and was very interested in WFWP activities. Since that time we met with her several times in our CARP center.

Mr. Shushkevich attended the Summit Council for World Peace (SCWP) in Au-



Mother (c.) looks on while Irina Kuzminichna Shushkevich (r.), first lady of Belarus, greets Jin Hun Nim (l.); Jeff Tallakson waits behind Mrs. Shushkevich. Mrs. Shushkevich met Mother at the airport and accompanied her to the hotel. She later attended Mother's speech in Minsk, Belarus, on November 22, 1993.

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gust 1992, in Seoul, Korea. Therefore both of them had contact with Mother before. The Shushkeviches let Mother use their car and security personnel. Mrs. Shushkevich met Mother at the airport, presented Mother with flowers and then escorted her to the government VIP residence for visiting heads of state. (The government residence was opened to Mother by Prime Minister Kebich. He attended International Leadership Seminars in Washington, D.C., in 1990.) Mrs. Shushkevich attended Mother's speech and after the speech presented her with flowers.

About one hundred brothers and sisters and guests from Minsk and the Baltic gathered for the celebration when the speech was over. It was really a great blessing for all of us to meet with Mother directly. For most of us this was the first time meeting her.

The next morning Mrs. Shushkevich came to the place where Mother stayed and talked with Mother for about an hour. Mother asked Mrs. Shushkevich to attend a Divine Principle workshop. Mother told Mrs. Shushkevich that there were different kinds of fortune and Mr. Shushkevich was really chosen by God and given such a great fortune and responsibility as the president of Belarus. However, he was chosen not because of his personal qualities, though he used to be the rector of Belorussian State University and was fa-



Mother speaking in Lisbon, Portugal, on November 24, 1993.

mous as a noted physicist, but because God gave him this mission. Therefore, he and his wife should become parents of Belarus. Mother asked Mrs. Shushkevich to help WFWP find worthy recipients for charity donations and donated a large sum.

✠ Belarus family for Jeff Tallakson, national leader of Belarus

Lisbon, Portugal *November 24, 1993*

THIS was Mother's first visit to Portugal. Our goal was to fill the five-hundred capacity hall in Lisbon and bring one hundred VIP guests. In the end, the hall was totally full, with forty people standing, and around eighty VIPs were in attendance.

A woman professor from the University of Vila Real introduced Mother in a beautiful, poetic way. She described Mother as a unique

woman, someone who is making great efforts for world peace and an exemplary mother, wife and woman.

During her speech, Mother was moved to tears. At the victory celebration, after Mother and Father sang, Mother gave tearful guidance to the Portuguese members about the suffering heart of Heavenly Father and True Parents and the need for repentance and redetermination to bring spiritual children. After Mother cut the victory cake and left the hall, Rev. Kwak talked about the meaning of the Completed Testament era and urged us to follow Mother's direction and witness intensively.

On the following day, before leaving Portugal, Mother visited the Tower of Belem, the place from which Portuguese navigators left for voyages of discovery during the fifteenth century. Mother climbed to the top of the tower, where we took photos. Mother asked me to sing the national anthem. With a Portuguese lunch, Mother completed her visit to Portugal.

The twenty-fourth of November will be recorded for eternity as a historical day for the Portuguese nation.

✠ Liberto de Silva, national leader of Portugal

Madrid, Spain *November 25, 1993*

OVER five hundred people came to listen to Mother's speech, held in the Princess Hotel, in downtown Madrid. In the audience there were around a hundred fifty VIP's, fifty parents and relatives of



Mother (r.) lights the candles on the victory cake while Rev. Kwak observes the proceedings, following Mother's speech in Madrid, Spain, on November 25, 1993.



Mother (l.) listens while Rev. Kwang Kee Sa (r.) sings over the telephone at the victory celebration following Mother's speech in Madrid, Spain, on November 15, 1993.

members, a hundred family members and other friends of our Unification family, most of them belonging to several religious organizations. This gave the program a very interreligious flavor.

The program opened with a university choir singing several Spanish religious songs. It truly set the tone for the evening and helped create a holy atmosphere. The invocation was given by Enrique Miret Magdalena, a Catholic lay theologian and nationally-known figure who has been a close friend of our Unification family for several years.

Mother was introduced by Isabel Gutierrez Zuloaga, who gave a very direct and heartistic testimony about Mother. The head of the Education Department at Madrid University, Professor Gutierrez had attended the 1992 inauguration of Women's Federation for World Peace in Korea.

Mother's speech went perfectly. There were minor technical problems, but they didn't affect the flow of the program. Even though there were five labor demonstrations in downtown Madrid, people came early, and by the time the program was to start the room was quite full. Ten minutes later, the room was packed. People followed Mother's speech attentively, and she spoke in a very dignified way. Guests had only positive comments about Mother and her speech.

The celebration after the speech was quite special. Half of the people attending were not church members. In the audience there was a Catholic priest, the head of the

Federation of Protestant Churches in Spain, another Baptist minister, three Hare Krishnas, a Catholic theologian and many parents and relatives of members of the Unification family. They merged perfectly in the joyful atmosphere, with no difference between members and non-members. We all cheered the same *manseis*.

At breakfast the next day, Mother commented that the guests at the celebration were listening very carefully. She said that the Hare Krishnas didn't even blink their

eyes, and that I should witness to them.

People were truly impressed by the event. The director of religious programming on national television told us that he didn't expect us to manage such a large and successful gathering. He told us we should have made it more public, using national television.

A Jesuit priest who attended the program wrote a story for one of the major newspapers. In it were only positive comments and quotes from Mother's speech. This same priest had been quite critical of our church when we first met him a couple of years ago, but somehow Mother's presence and speech melted him.

To receive Mother meant the fulfillment of a life dream and the starting point for a new development of our church. All members felt united in the desire to accomplish much more for our True Parents in the coming years.

Armando Lozano, national leader of Spain

Rome, Italy November 26, 1993

MOTHER left an indelible mark on Europe. We could attend and serve Mother directly, work for and together with her and through this we could experience so many things. There are feelings of joy and gratitude but also a clear perception of our limitations, feelings of incredible closeness to True Parents but at the same time the realization that we don't have enough to offer to give them real joy and reason to trust us to complete everything until the end. We became aware that

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Mother (c.) sings on the telephone at the victory celebration following her speech in Rome, Italy, on November 26, 1993.

we were receiving an amazing grace from heaven, but also receiving the tremendous sense of responsibility to use this grace entirely to resurrect our nation.

Our desire, as the Italian family, was to offer to True Parents a Completed Testament victory. We filled the hall with one thousand guests and about three hundred brothers and sisters. Afterward at the celebration everyone was happy and joyful—Mother, Rev. Kwak, Rev. Sa, everybody. I realized that many times we are too influenced by our impressions of a moment to really grasp the meaning of the time we live in and God's feeling for it. I participated in that joyful event and when I sang for True Parents I could feel all the incredible love that God and True Parents were pouring unlimitlessly into our nation and lives.

The most important result was the participation of the present Minister of Health, a lady that introduced Mother and met her after the speech. We had also the participation of more than one hundred other VIPs. Among them were representatives of parliament, ambassadors, professors and also the Imam of the Islamic community. The invocation was offered by a Catholic priest. Their reaction to Mother's speech and presence was astonishingly good, to the point that at the end of the program we had to add one more part to allow some of the VIPs to express publicly their gratitude to Mother. They insisted that we had to give them this opportunity! One senator wanted to meet Mother and waited for her in front of the victory celebration room until he could.

Now that Mother has left Europe, we remain with a huge foundation laid by her and a lot of work to do. I thank True Parents, for all the blessings they offered to our nation and the result that they achieved. We would never have been able to accomplish such a result in so short a time without Mother's speaking tour.

Giuseppe Cali, national leader of Italy

Prague, Czech Republic November 27, 1993

SINCE Prague was the final city of the European section of Mother's 1993 world tour we were privileged to host many European leaders and members, who were invited to participate in the inauguration and celebration meeting the following day. This international participation gave a great international feeling to the event and this was especially important to our native brothers and sisters.

Mother's coming was the first time True Parents had visited our nation. She arrived in the Prague airport at 11:20 a.m. to a blue sky and cold air. Her calm, beau-

tiful smile brought the balm of peace and confidence to our rather overwhelmed feelings.

The day before Mother's arrival many planes were rescheduled because of fog. When she landed, the weather was fine, but two hours later all of Prague was covered with a heavy icy rain and all planes were rescheduled to land in other airports. This happened to some of our guests coming from out of the country.

Preparation for this event started in August, when we began a national forty-day pioneering condition in hope of Mother's yet unscheduled visit. All members were mobilized to pioneer new cities, work on the Mobile Fundraising Team, witnessing teams and New Hope teams. This concluded in an all-membership meeting. After we finished this period the dates of Mother's visit were set and we did two additional forty-day periods—one for all the preparation and another one for mobilization in order to fill the hall. All preparations turned out to be exactly one hundred twenty days. We were sure that our greatest potential for guests were the family members and friends of our brothers and sisters, so our main effort was focused on them.

The Atrium Hotel, a newly built modern hotel in the center of Prague, was the site of the event. The capacity of its congress hall is fifteen hundred. With the support of many European leaders and members coming to Prague for the final European meeting, we had a great deal of hope about filling the hall. Since a good

number of VIPs, particularly from several ministries, and even top government officials planned to come, we expected a great result.

Four days before our great event a major newspaper started a slanderous attack against the Women's Federation for World Peace and the Unification Church. Then the national television picked up the stories and broadcast them twice in the same day. Several radio stations did as well. We understand this was a well-planned attack from an institute with international connections, aiming to destroy our event. The organizers are well-known to us. This began a fierce battle, mobilizing the nation against our providential schedule.

Many of us were scared, since we had never experienced such negative coverage. The members of many ministries were banned from attending by pressure from "above" as they told us. The entertainers, the invocator, the introducer and the person to give thanks canceled. We are grateful for the last minute replacements who saved our program and made it even more beautiful.

The turnout was almost seventeen hundred guests including fifty-four VIPs—among them sixteen ambassadors (including the ones from both North and South Korea who met with Rev. Kwak at the VIP reception). Despite the ban, some ministries were represented and many others apologized. The first lady, Mrs. Havlova, sent a congratulatory greeting, though we didn't read it publicly.

It was surely with God's help that we



Mother takes a moment for pictures with the members who had been imprisoned in the early Czech mission, following her speech in Prague, Czech Republic, on November 27, 1993.

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Mother (second from l.), Rev. Kwak (second from r.) and Peter Kim (l.) listen to Dr. Kasim Gulek, former prime minister and long-time ICUS friend, in a meeting at the time of Mother's visit to Istanbul, Turkey, on November 28, 1993.

could bring a victory. We felt very deeply that the strong unity and utmost efforts of all the members was the foundation which allowed God to work so that a confrontation with the whole nation could turn to our favor.

Mother was really happy after the event. Her words and Rev. Kwak's guidance were precious treasures for us. Mother also dedicated time to greet those members who were in prison in the 1970s and gave each of them a wonderful present. Representing us these elder members sang a song to True Parents and were invited to take pictures with Mother.

The appreciation and purity of love shared between Father and Mother, in which we all felt embraced as their children is the most real family experience we have ever shared with True Parents, letting us forget all our unworthiness, yielding to the overwhelming joy of true love.

✠ Niklaus Gubser, national leader of the Czech Republic

Istanbul, Turkey *November 28, 1993*

IN Istanbul, we filled all the seats, with over four hundred people. The guests came mainly through women's organizations. One, the Turkish Mothers' Association, sent one hundred fifty people. We had messages from the minister of state for Women, Family and Social Services, and from the mayor of greater Istanbul.

Mrs. Ozal, former first lady, introduced Mother, but she left early, together with several other front-row people she had brought. This encouraged a number of

others to leave, causing real distress to Mother, who called Father after the speech, but did not hold any public meeting or celebration. Rev. Kwak said it was the first time she had faced this sort of reality. He recognized that the speech simply was too much for many who came. They could be offended as Muslims, or as secularists they could be put off by the heavily religious nature of the speech. Nevertheless, among those who remained, many were very positive, and there is

much work to be done in follow up.

More than thirty Bulgarian members came, and Rev. Kwak spent time with them after the program, for a celebration.

✠ Thomas Cromwell, Middle East regional director

Jerusalem, Israel *November 30, 1993*

WE knew we were heading into "heavy weather" before Mother's arrival in Jerusalem. The Chief Rabbinate of Israel had threatened to revoke the kosher license from the Holiday Inn if they held the event there. This was a serious threat, because to lose such a license would be death to the hotel. The Holiday Inn refused to let us use the hall, but Mother did stay there.

Members desperately looked for an alternative site, out of the reach of the Rabbinate. This led to a recently opened hotel, the Ambassador, in East (Arab) Jerusalem. The contract for the room was signed the night before we arrived.

In the meantime, the Orthodox Jews had taken it upon themselves to organize a major protest at the Holiday Inn. Through their newspaper, they called for twelve hundred protesters, and they were given a police permit for their demonstration. A few hundred people showed up to demonstrate at the hotel where the speech wasn't held.

The mass media of Israel announced that the meeting had been canceled. A couple of our speakers and many participants took this as the truth and stayed



Mother speaking at the Ambassador Hotel in Jerusalem, Israel, on November 30, 1993.

away. We called as many of our contacts about the change as possible, but quite a few Jewish guests were reluctant to go to the Arab quarter. For those who came to the Holiday Inn, we provided buses to take them to the Ambassador Hotel.

About a hundred people turned up at the Ambassador. The videotape was screened on a white sheet. The introduction was given by a nice but rather informal poetess, and the audience listened quietly to Mother.

After her experience in Istanbul, Mother was quite prepared for a difficult time, and the celebration afterwards was in good spirits. In both Istanbul and Jerusalem, however, Mother spoke with great seriousness about the lack of local members, and said that the only conclusion was that the members did not have a high enough standard for God to be able to work through them.

An article in the *Jerusalem Post* the next day was quite respectful. It quoted an "anti-cult expert" (!) who said the event was a draw: we got to hold our meeting, while the opposition prevented it from happening in the Holiday Inn.

Twelve Jewish members from abroad came to Israel to help, and they are forming a group to support our activities there in the future.

✍ Thomas Cromwell

Cairo, Egypt December 1, 1993

SINCE the deputy prime minister of Egypt, Yousef Wali, had invited Mother,

Mother joyfully celebrates the conclusion of the Middle East section of her tour following her speech in Athens, Greece, on December 2, 1993.

she got VIP treatment at the Cairo airport, and we passed through the formalities very fast.

There were about a thousand people at the speech, and a warm atmosphere. Most guests came as members of women's organizations. Marie-Therese Bond had done much of the ground work, and Mrs. Motoko Sugiyama helped a lot. We read a message of welcome from Dr. Wali.

In the audience

were several of Egypt's most prominent women, five of whom received awards at the end. Two of these, one Christian and one Muslim, made brief statements in support of Mother's work. Arab delegations came from Jordan, Yemen, Sudan and Lebanon, including ten prominent women from Yemen.

Quite a few people left during the speech, with language as much of a problem as anything else.

Mother met Dr. Wali in his office, and the meeting was filmed for television.

✍ Thomas Cromwell

Athens, Greece December 2, 1993

SOME three hundred people came to Mother's speech in Athens. We had a message from the culture minister, Melina Mercouri. Former Greek prime minister George Rallis introduced Mother. The audience was

very attentive, with several graduates from a twenty-one day International Religious Leadership Seminar (IRLS) in attendance.

There was a lot of media interest in these Middle East appearances, but we generally turned away camera crews and reporters. The Orthodox Church had issued an official instruction for its members (ninety-eight percent of the Greek population) not to attend the event.

Mother signed a letter of thanks to Mr. Rallis and instructed Mrs. Sugiyama and I to do a lot of work in the region. Already we are planning a follow-up tour in January.

In these four countries in our region, Mother met the roots of the three monotheistic religions, as well as the base for secularism (Hellenism). She persevered and overcame all obstacles with love. I consider the outcome tremendous. ■■

✍ Thomas Cromwell



Mother speaking in Cairo, Egypt, on December 1, 1993.

True Children Proclaim True Parents throughout America

Nora Spurgin

THE famous phrase, preacher's kids, conjures up images of rebellion in the very best of families—the preacher's family. Anyone attending the speeches where the True Children proclaim their parents as True Parents cannot help but marvel at the restoration taking place. In fact, one Christian minister from California remarked, "It is so unique to see a religious man working with his wife, children and grandchildren for an evangelical movement."

As our Mother continues to travel at an unbelievable pace throughout the world, the children have taken on spreading the same message in America. Beginning on October 24, 1993, Hyo Jin Nim, the eldest son of our True Parents, led the True Family in an American speaking tour which

covered forty cities centering on six metropolitan areas.

In every metropolitan area where they spoke a deeper relationship of collaboration and support was forged by the cooperation of the tribal messiahs, Women's Federation for World Peace leaders and members, and church leaders as everyone pulled together to make each event an opportunity for God to speak through the True Family, opening the door for

each community to meet the True Parents.

The first speech was held in the prestigious First Christian Missionary Baptist

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Church in Indianapolis, Indiana, as their Sunday morning service. There, Hyo Jin Nim addressed the congregation as "brothers and sisters," embracing them with love and sharing the deep truths contained in the speech. As we all know, Hyo Jin Nim is comfortable on the stage, as he is an entertainer whose concern is to reach youth through music and the mass media.

Region Five, centered on Chicago, had made more than ten years of foundational work with ministers; they hold revivals in the churches and have become well known in the ministerial inner circles. This work paid off with the opportunity to have True Children speaking from the pulpit to responsive audiences throughout the region. Hyo Jin Nim also spoke in Chicago, as did his brother, Kook Jin Nim.

Hyun Jin Nim, third son of the True Parents and highly acclaimed equestrian show jumper, spoke in Los Angeles to an audience of Japanese restaurant and business contacts. The room was overflowing with over two hundred guests. The joyful spirit came to a close with leaders singing and dancing afterwards. Hyun Jin Nim also spoke in San Francisco, Chicago and Virginia, delivering his speeches with authority, enthusiasm and love.

In Jin Nim delivers the speech in Spanish

On October 30, In Jin Nim held a His-

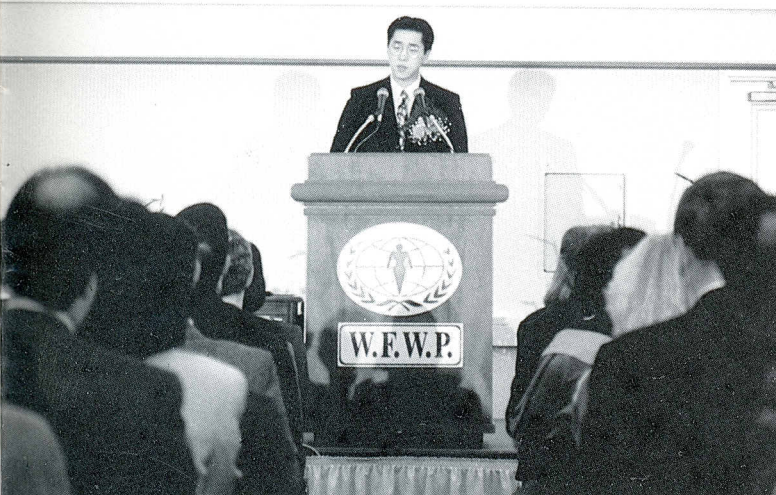


Hyo Jin Nim speaking in Chicago, Illinois, on November 7, 1993.

The True Parents and the Completed Testament

Oct. 30 - Dec. 18, 1993

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Hyun Jin Nim speaking in Alexandria, Virginia, at Old Glory Inn on November 6, 1993.

panic audience in New York's headquarters' chapel spellbound as she delivered "The True Parents and the Completed Testament Age" in excellent Spanish. Nothing touches the hearts of an audience more deeply than hearing a message from heaven in their native tongue. She shed tears as she gave testimony to her parents being so unjustly persecuted.

In Jin Nim, the second daughter of our True Parents, is working towards her doc-

torate in government and religion at Harvard University and is the loving mother of four children. A powerful and dignified speaker, she delivered speeches in a number of cities.

New Hope Academy hosts Capital area speeches

The Maryland communities worked together to create a beautiful setting at the local New Hope Academy, which is a Uni-

fication school under the leadership of Joy Morrow. The Academy lunchroom was converted into a sophisticated, hotel-quality speaking hall with drapes and potted plants in preparation to host In Jin Nim. She spoke on November 20 to an audience gathered by the thirty-six Unification families of the Lanham, New Carrollton, Landover Hills and West Landham Hills Township in Maryland.

On November 13, Jun Sook Nim had

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In Jin Nim speaking in the Capital area at the New Hope Academy.

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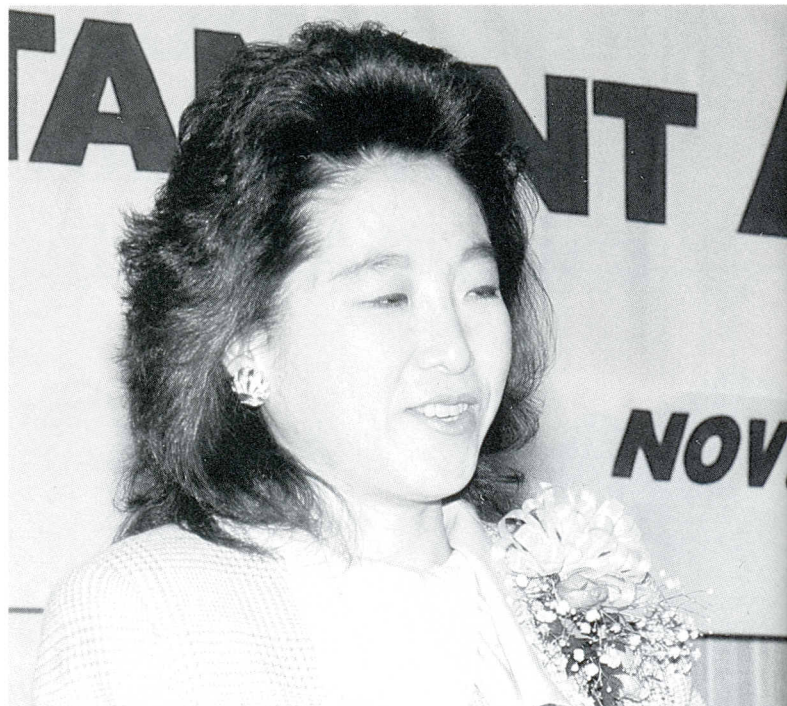
Jun Sook Nim speaking at the New Hope Academy on November 13, 1993.



The Westchester Church Choir. Left to right: Ji Hyun Chun, Keiha Kobayashi, Hwa Yeon Chun, Miyuki Harley, Naeran Verheyen, Yun Shim Kim and Kiyomi Kobayashi.



Kook Jin Nim and Soon Ju Nim receiving flowers following Kook Jin Nim's speech on Long Island.



Un Jin Nim speaking in Ossining, New York, on November 6, 1993.

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addressed a packed audience of three hundred at the Academy. Both events were welcomed with letters from local officials commending WFWP for its "commitment to promoting family values as a means of healing our society."

Many second generation blessed chil-

dren helped distribute flyers and they attended and ushered at the speeches.

Not without sacrifice

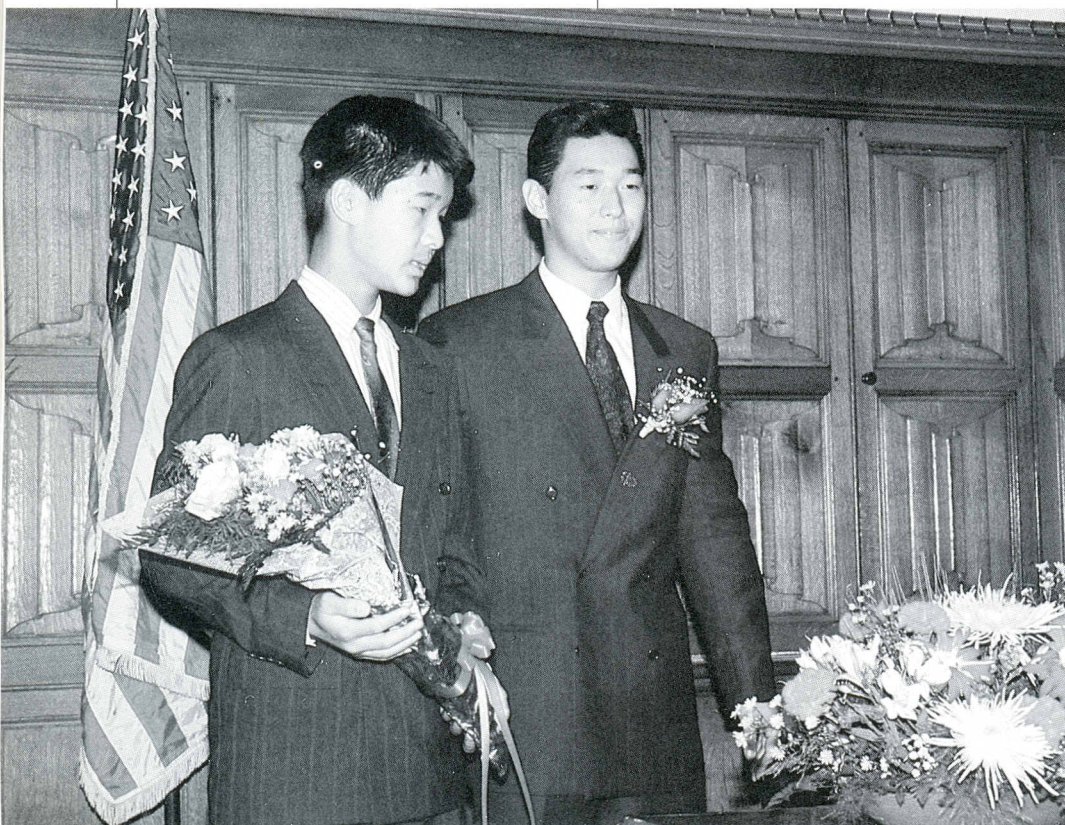
Kook Jin Nim had spoken on November 20 to a full hotel ballroom on Long Island, where guests were moved and in-

quired about our community. He afterwards told the small Long Island church that, "We are like the first century Christians and we must multiply quickly." Then on December 12 he traveled to Louisville, Kentucky, in preparation to give the Sunday morning speech in the large church of Rev. Elliot. He had been sick and as he flew into Louisville from Cincinnati, Ohio, he became quite ill on the plane. An ambulance met the plane and rushed him to the hospital where he was diagnosed with a gallstone which had moved, causing infection and a high fever. Much to the amazement of Rev. Elliot, Kook Jin Nim called him from the hospital to apologize that the speech had to be cancelled. Soon Ju Nim (Kook Jin Nim's wife) and Hyun Jin Nim flew to Louisville to be with him. By Monday morning Kook Jin Nim was feeling better and eight days later he flew back to New York, being transferred to a Manhattan hospital for another week until the danger point had passed.

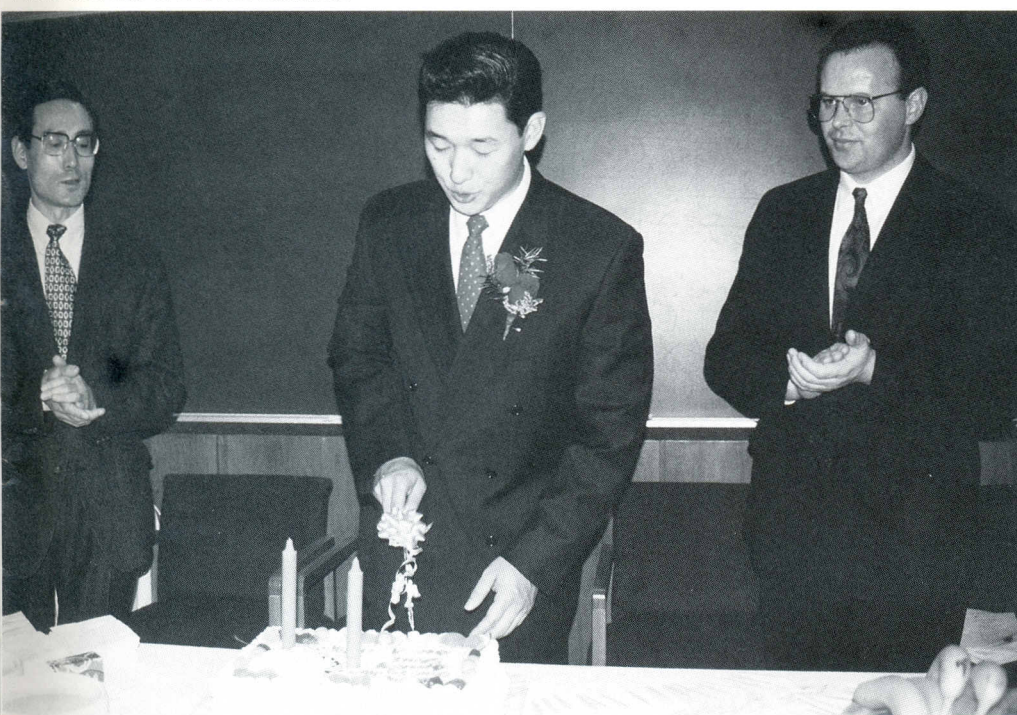
Hyun Jin Nim pointed out to the local members, "We have to pray for True Parents—for their safety and health—ten years ago Heung Jin Nim sacrificed his life around this same time. This is the end of the first year of the Completed Testament Age, and Satan really wants to keep us from a victory."

Tears for their Parents

The genuine love of the True Family for their Parents and their deep respect for the path of persecution was communicat-



Young Jin Nim (l.) and Kwon Jin Nim (r.) receiving flowers following Kwon Jin Nim's speech at Yale University.



Kwon Jin Nim (c.) cutting the celebration cake while Dr. Joon Ho Seuk (l.) and Tony Devine (r.) look on, following his speech at Columbia University.

ed by every True Family member who delivered the speech. Tears flowed and voices cracked as they identified with True Parents' painful course. Un Jin Nim, the third daughter, commented during one delivery, "I can talk about anything else, but not my parents." In Manhattan where she spoke to five hundred in the chapel of the headquarters church, In Jin Nim's many tears touched hearts everywhere. A member commented that the emotional presentation "crested a deep revival-type experience." Another member commented, "Since members have not had much opportunity to see the True Children in action, this gave us a chance to appreciate their capabilities and heart."

Campuses hear the message

Kwon Jin Nim, eighth child of our True Parents and a freshman at Boston University, gave the speech at Yale University in Connecticut. Yale Law School is the alma mater of both Presidents Bush and Clinton, so it seemed a fitting place for a son of True Parents to deliver the proclamation of his parents with intensity and emotion. After the speeches, his younger brother Young Jin Nim came onto the stage and embraced his brother, expressing a powerful testimony of love within the True Family. The *Yale Daily News* campus newspaper sent a reporter and photographer to the event; this resulted in a positive article. On November 7, Jin Sung Nim spoke at the Hyatt Regency in Cambridge, Massachusetts, and on November 21 he spoke at a rally at Boston University. CARP

members at Boston University stated, "To invite True Family to speak on our campus has been our dream—a long-held dream, in fact, passed down way back from the first pioneers of Boston CARP." Boston is the area where many of the True Children are pursuing their education. Therefore, the members decided to be "bold and courageous" and drop a truth bomb on campus in the form of a powerfully striking poster with Father's

face and an article entitled "What If?", challenging the reader to think of Father's accomplishments and ask the question, "What if he is who he says he is?" Members also placed this poster as ads in campus newspapers. It caused controversy which in the end led college officials to defend our advertising as being straightforward and something we are entitled to. At this rally, Jin Sung Nim spoke to an audience of four hundred fifty students who were more receptive than expected. Everyone felt heaven's victory when the Boston University campus paper reported on the front page, "Moon speaks on Family Stability," and captured the very essence of the speech.

Even the high school students shared in the efforts

Sun Jin Nim, a senior at Buckingham, Brown, and Nichols school in Cambridge, Massachusetts, is the ninth child of our True Parents. The large picturesque Anglican Episcopal Church in Brooklyn was the place of her debut as a young but powerful speaker. Her sincerity and depth of heart moved both members and guests. Significant to note is that the Brooklyn members had spent the week prior to the event cleaning the fine old church from top to bottom to the awe of the pastor, elders and custodians. Young Jin Nim, tenth child of the True Parents and a sophomore at Groton Academy in Massachusetts, decided that he, too, would give the speech. In fact, he flew to Louisville, Kentucky, where his



Sun Jin Nim (r.) and Young Jin Nim (l.) cut the celebration cake following Sun Jin Nim's speech in Staten Island.

PHOTOS: CHRIS GARCIA / NFP

brother, Kook Jin Nim, was hospitalized. There he spoke from the pulpit of Rev. Elliot's church, touching the hearts of the congregation as he so seriously proclaimed our True Parents' message. He also spoke at St. Augustine's Presbyterian Church in the Bronx, New York, to a congregation of seven hundred.

Dedicated and loyal wives

Sometimes in the midst of busy schedules, classes, and unforeseen events such as illness, changes had to be made. The True Family members and husbands and wives filled in for each other when necessary. When Hyo Jin Nim was prevented from speaking due to a sore throat on Children's Day, November 14, his wife, Nan Sook Nim, delivered the speech in Korean to the Korean-American members in New York.

Then, in the afternoon at 3:00 she delivered the speech again in Japanese to the Japanese Church members and guests. One of the sisters who was helping to serve said, "She gave the speech in Korean to the Korean congregation, then she came upstairs and had lunch with her four children, after which she went back downstairs and gave the speech in Japanese by sheer practice and memorization, since she does not speak Japanese.



Nan Sook Nim speaking at the American headquarters to Korean guests.

ese. Japanese members were much impressed with her ability to pronounce the words and give the speech beautifully and with great dignity."

Nan Sook Nim also gave the speech in

the Mohr Faith Baptist Church in Hayward, California, and in Los Angeles the following day.

Jun Sook Nim, wife of Hyun Jin Nim, gave her first speech in Maryland on November 13 at the New Hope Academy (a Unification Church school). The Landover Hills community of Prince George's County prepared for the speech with five letters of welcome from public officials who applauded and commended the commitment to promoting family values as a means of healing our society. Afterwards Jun Sook Nim gave internal guidance to members, including telling them that purity was most important.

Soon Ju Nim, wife of Kook Jin Nim, who is studying education, spoke in Queens, New York, at the LaGuardia Ramada Inn on November 27. One member said her delivery was "graciousness compressed."

As Mother winds up her worldwide tour and True Children complete the forty speech tour of America, there is a heartfelt gratitude in each of us that they have taken so much responsibility to proclaim the message. As we enter the new year, may we too take up the responsibility and carry this message deeper into the heart of our country. ■■



Sun Jin Nim speaking to the members, as Zin Moon Kim looks on, at the victory celebration following the speech on Staten Island, New York, on December 4, 1993.

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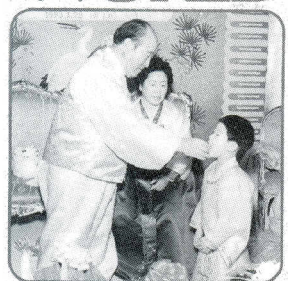
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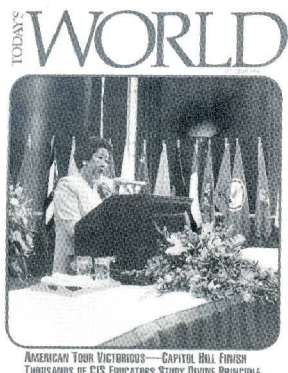
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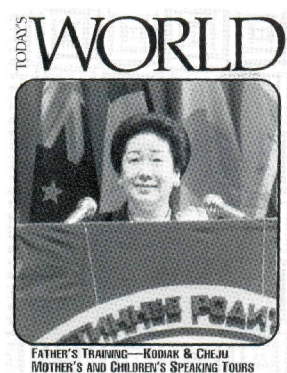
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AMERICAN TOUR VICTORIOUS—CAPITOL HILL FORMER THOUSANDS OF CIS EDUCATORS STUDY DIVINE PRINCIPLE



MOTHER SPEAKS FATHER'S MESSAGE AT THE UNITED NATIONS WORLD TOUR BEGINS—JAPAN AND KOREA



FATHER'S TRAINING—KODIAK & CHEJU MOTHER'S AND CHILDREN'S SPEAKING TOURS

C H R O N O L O G Y

HOLY DAYS		BLESSINGS			BIRTHDAYS	
		1920			JAN 6	Father
		1943			JAN 6	Mother
PARENTS' DAY CHILDREN'S DAY	MAR 1 OCT 1	1960	MAR 16	TRUE PARENTS	DEC 11	Ye Jin Nim
		1961	MAY 15	36 Couples		
		1962	JUN 4	72 Couples	FEB 18 DEC 3	Jin Sung Nim Hyo Jin Nim
DAY OF ALL THINGS	MAY 1	1963	JUL 24	124 Couples	JAN 1 MAR 25 OCT 18	Hoon Sook Nim Jin Hun Nim Jin Whi Nim
		1965			JUL 18	In Jin Nim
		1966			MAR 21 OCT 23	Nan Sook Nim Heung Jin Nim
		1967			NOV 23 DEC 24	Un Jin Nim Jun Sook Nim
GOD'S DAY	JAN 1	1968	FEB 22	430 Couples		
		1969	MAY 1	43 Couples (Japan, USA, Germany)	APR 10	Hyun Jin Nim
		1970	OCT 21	777 Couples	JUN 14	Kook Jin Nim
		1972			AUG 15	Soon Ju Nim
		1975	FEB 8	1800 Couples	JAN 20	Kwon Jin Nim
Foundation Day Day of Victory of Heaven	SEP 18 OCT 4	1976	DEC 22	35 Couples (Belvedere)	JUN 15	Sun Jin Nim
		1977	FEB 21	74 Couples (WMC)		
		1978	FEB 11 MAY 21	16 Couples (Belvedere) 118 Couples (London)	MAY 17	Young Jin Nim
		1979			AUG 6	Hyung Jin Nim
		1981	MAY 16 JUN 13	Ye Jin Nim and Jin Whi Nim 39 Couples (Camberg, Germany)	JAN 3	Yeon Jin Nim
		1982	JAN 7 JUL 1 OCT 14	Hyo Jin Nim and Nan Sook Nim 2075 Couples (New York) 6000 Couples	APR 3 JUN 14	Shin Bok Nim Jeung Jin Nim
		1983			JAN 16 JUL 12	Shin Jung Nim Shin Goon Nim
Day of Victory of Love Day of the Love of God	JAN 2 MAY 16	1984	FEB 20 FEB 20	In Jin Nim and Jin Sung Nim Heung Jin Nim and Hoon Sook Nim		
Total Victory Day	AUG 16	1985				
		1986	APR 11 APR 12	Un Jin Nim and Jin Hun Nim 36 Couples of the 2nd Generation	SEP 8 OCT 18	Shin Myung Nim Shin Young Nim
		1987	MAR 31	Hyun Jin Nim and Jun Sook Nim	DEC 26	Shin Gil Nim
Day of Dispensational Reversal Toward Unification FOUNDATION DAY FOR THE NATION OF THE UNIFIED WORLD	SEP 27 OCT 3	1988	OCT 30	6500 Couples	FEB 10 MAR 11	Shin Won Nim Shin Hwa Nim
Day of One Heart Declaration of the Providential Age of Salvation by Love Day of the Settlement of Eight Stages (Pal-chong-shik) Day of Heavenly Parentism	JUN 23 AUG 20 AUG 31 SEP 1	1989	JAN 10 JAN 11 JAN 12 APR 7	Kook Jin Nim and Soon Ju Nim 72 Couples of the 2nd Generation 1275 Couples 42 and 138 Couples and 57 Single (WMC)	JUL 12 SEP 16 SEP 18	Shin Kwon Nim Shin Eh Nim Shin Ok Nim
		1990			APR 21 OCT 4 DEC 2	Shin Yeon Nim Shin Sun Nim Shin Choon Nim
DECLARATION DAY OF GOD'S ETERNAL BLESSING	JUL 1	1991				
		1992	APR 10 AUG 25	1265 Couples 30,000 Couples	FEB 27 DEC 19	Shin Chul Nim Shin Yul Nim
Day of Returning to the Home Country	AUG 1	1993			AUG 2	Shin Joong Nim

Dates in JUL 1 style are on the solar calendar, FEB 27 style are on the lunar calendar. Blessing locations are Korea unless otherwise stated.

1994 CALENDAR

JANUARY

- 1 GOD'S DAY
- 2 DAY OF VICTORY OF LOVE
- 4 Un Jin Nim's 26th Birthday
- 7 Hyo Jin Nim and Nan Sook Nim's Blessing ('82)
- 10 Kook Jin Nim and Soon Ju Nim's Blessing ('89)
- 11 Blessing of 72 Couples of the Second Generation ('89)
- 12 1275 Couples' Blessing ('89)
- 13 Shin Choon Nim's 4th Birthday
- 14 Hyo Jin Nim's 32nd Birthday
- 22 Ye Jin Nim's 33rd Birthday
- 30 Shin Yul Nim's 1st Birthday

FEBRUARY

- 4 Jun Sook Nim's 26th Birthday
- 6 Shin Gil Nim's 6th Birthday
- 8 1800 Couples' Blessing ('75)
- 10 Hoon Sook Nim's 31st Birthday
- 11 16 Couples' Blessing (Belvedere, '78)
- 12 Yeon Jin Nim's 13th Birthday
- 15 TRUE PARENTS' BIRTHDAY
- 20 In Jin Nim and Jin Sung Nim's Blessing ('84)
Heung Jin Nim and Hoon Sook Nim's Blessing ('84)
- 21 74 Couples' Blessing (WMC, '77)
- 22 430 Couples' Blessing ('68)
- 25 Shin Jung Nim's 11th Birthday

MARCH

- 1 Kwon Jin Nim's 19th Birthday
- 21 Shin Won Nim's 6th Birthday
- 29 Jin Sung Nim's 32nd Birthday
- 31 Hyun Jin Nim and Jun Sook Nim's Blessing ('87)

APRIL

- 7 Shin Chul Nim's 2nd Birthday
42 and 138 Couples and 57 Single Blessing (WMC, '89)
- 10 1265 Couples' Blessing ('92)
- 11 PARENTS' DAY
Un Jin Nim and Jin Hun Nim's Blessing ('86)
Sung Jin Nim's 48th Birthday
- 12 Blessing of 36 Couples of the Second Generation ('86)
- 21 Shin Hwa Nim's 6th Birthday
- 26 TRUE PARENTS' BLESSING ('60)

MAY

- 1 HSA-UWC ESTABLISHED ('54)
Nan Sook Nim's 28th Birthday
43 Couples' Blessing (Japan, USA, Germany, '69)
- 5 Jin Hun Nim's 31st Birthday
- 13 Shin Bok Nim's 12th Birthday
- 15 36 Couples' Blessing ('61)
- 16 DAY OF THE LOVE OF GOD
Ye Jin Nim and Jin Whi Nim's Blessing ('81)
- 20 Hyun Jin Nim's 25th Birthday
- 21 118 Couples' Blessing (London, '78)

JUNE

- 2 Shin Yeon Nim's 4th Birthday
- 4 72 Couples' Blessing ('62)

9 DAY OF ALL THINGS

- 13 39 Couples' Blessing (Camberg, Germany, '81)
- 14 Jeung Jin Nim's 12th Birthday
- 23 Day of One Heart
- 25 Young Jin Nim's 16th Birthday

JULY

1 DECLARATION DAY OF GOD'S ETERNAL BLESSING

- 2075 Couples' Blessing (New York, '82)
- 22 Kook Jin Nim's 24th Birthday
- 23 Sun Jin Nim's 18th Birthday
- 24 124 Couples' Blessing ('63)

AUGUST

- 1 Day of Returning to the Home Country
- 16 TOTAL VICTORY DAY
- 18 Shin Goon Nim's 11th Birthday
Shin Kwon Nim's 5th Birthday
- 20 Declaration of the Providential Age of Salvation by Love
- 24 In Jin Nim's 29th Birthday
- 25 30,000 Couples' Blessing ('92)
- 31 DAY OF THE SETTLEMENT OF EIGHT STAGES

SEPTEMBER

- 1 DECLARATION DAY OF HEAVENLY PARENTISM
- 7 Shin Joong Nim's 1st Birthday
- 11 Hyung Jin Nim's 15th Birthday
- 18 Foundation Day
- 20 Soon Ju Nim's 22nd Birthday
- 27 Day of Dispensational Reversal Toward Unification

OCTOBER

3 FOUNDATION DAY FOR THE NATION OF THE UNIFIED WORLD

- 4 DAY OF VICTORY OF HEAVEN
- 12 Shin Myung Nim's 8th Birthday
- 14 6000 Couples' Blessing ('82)
- 20 Shin Eh Nim's 5th Birthday
- 21 777 Couples' Blessing ('70)
- 22 Shin Ok Nim's 5th Birthday
- 30 6500 Couples' Blessing ('88)

NOVEMBER

3 CHILDREN'S DAY

- 6 Shin Sun Nim's 4th Birthday
- 20 Jin Whi Nim's 31st Birthday
Shin Young Nim's 8th Birthday
- 25 Heung Jin Nim's 28th Birthday

DECEMBER

- 22 35 Couples' Blessing (Belvedere, '76)
- 25 Un Jin Nim's 27th Birthday

Since I began my speaking tour in America, in May of this year, continuing on to Japan and Korea and now in Switzerland, I have delivered this same speech over a hundred times. Each time I deliver the proclamation, Father is always with me, following the same text. A spiritual medium told me that it's not just Father who is with me all the time, but even God Himself is so joyful and so happy that He is virtually dancing around whenever I am delivering this proclamation. Please understand the significance of this precious time period. After six thousand years of history, finally True Parents came with the proclamation. Now, through this proclamation, God's suffering heart, which we call *han* in Korean, is being liberated.

Mrs. Hak Ja Han Moon

November 14, 1993