

## From new director of Kodan: Thank you for Kodan donations for January 2023

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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

This is my first appreciation letter for the Kodan donation since becoming the new Kodan National Director.

First of all, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to all of you who have been offering Kodan donations. Thank you very much.

I am sure that God remembers those of you who, no matter how hard life gets, put God and True Parents first by saving money and not buying things you want to buy for yourselves, with the same heart every month.

On May 5, 2023, the Cheon Won Gung (with the Cheon Il Sanctum) , where Heavenly Parent can be safely settled, is scheduled to be dedicated on this earth. Therefore, Satan, who knows God's providence best, has targeted Japan in an attempt to extend and destroy God's providence in every possible way, and to bring the economy to a halt.

But what do you think? If a family that has been supported by its mother until now has fallen into an economic crisis, the world has risen up with the elder son leading the way. And at the head of the Elder son nation of the United States is the Japanese members. It will be the Japanese in the U.S., the Kodan that will make Satan regret, because this group has been fulfilling its faith for decades, transcending language barriers, racial barriers, and cultural barriers. We are a united group . We are the flock that Satan fears the most. We will be the Japanese missionaries in the U.S. that will please True Mother most.

There are many Japanese missionaries scattered around the world, each giving their best effort. Among them, how important is the mission to the United States, the providential nation where True Parents have invested most of their lives? How much has God been healed and encouraged by those who have come to this most important country and transcended language barriers, racial barriers, and cultural barriers? Japanese missionaries in the U.S. are special to God. They are victors.

I believe that those of you who have been offering Kodan donation with unchanging hearts and minds are the ones who have registered Cheon Bo Family, have won the victory in the faithfulness of Cheon Won Gung, and will continue to offer Kodan donations. I know that some families are still in the process of

achieving their goals, but I believe that Heaven is preparing them for victory. I believe that these families have been blessed spiritually and financially. I believe that when the joy and gratitude of being able to participate in the blessings of Cheon Won Gung as a result of the sincerity that we have devoted ourselves to, we will be given even greater wisdom, strength, and courage from heaven. I believe that it is the Japanese in the U.S. and the Kodan members who will become wealthier and happier. Otherwise, we will not be able to witness to the spirit world that is helping us and to God who gives us blessings. We are the chosen blessed family. We can be the victors who can show the blessings of heaven in our reality.

And what is expected of us, the blessed families, is that our families are the front line, as Dr. Yong teaches us everyday. It is the practice of self-denial, self-sacrifice, and love that lives for the sake of others. Let us receive the word of God every day at the Morning Devotions, put it into practice in our daily lives, love our relatives, love our children, and build a happy home where the family becomes one. That is the purpose of the Cheon Won Gung devotion, and that is the purpose of the individual devotion. Donations are not the goal, but the means. It is a condition for being spiritually alive.

The following words can be found in the Cheon Seong Gyeong Book 11, Chapter 2, section 2 The Meaning of Tithing.

7. God does not need money. Money is needed only as an object for making condition so that fallen human beings for God's sake that you are making donations? God does not need money. Any time, twenty-four hours a day and seven days a week, God can make as much gold and as many diamonds as He wants, so why would He need money? God needs it only as a condition by which to save all of you. So instead of thinking that you are making a donation for God, think that you are donating for your nation or for the world. You are offering donation to fulfill the purpose of saving others. You are not offering them for God's sake.

Please be thankful that all of you who have continued to make Kodan donations are alive and have made it this far, praise yourselves for continuing to make donations for your country and the world, and thank your families for their support. And let us unite to welcome Heavenly Parent and True Parents to Cheon Won Gung, Dr. Yong, President Ushiroda, Sub-Region leaders, all leaders and brothers and sisters united as one, and let us offer our sincerity even more! And let us become Japanese missionaries in the U.S. who can build a victorious life where we can buy what we want to buy and can make a large donation without having to save money!

Now, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to all of you who offered Kodan donation January 2023, and on the basis of your sincerity, I pray for great blessings and miracles to be performed for you and your families again in February.

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