Colorado Family Church completed our first Special Grace Ceremony

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Colorado completed our first Special Grace Ceremony and education today. From 1:00-3:00 p.m., we did the education portion of our program, which included excerpts of Sun Jin Moon's question-and-answer and Hoon Dok Hae session with the Global Top Gun Youth in Korea, a video of True Father from a long time ago, sharing about the significance of the new Holy Items and how to multiply them, and also a video from a spiritualist sharing about how he sees the Holy Items spiritually and also the value of Hoon Dok Hae. Whoever was interested could also come afterwards to see the Holy Items being multiplied and to ask questions about the process and help prepare the Holy Wine for the ceremony.

Afterwards, there was time for people to write their repentance and re-determination letters. Emphasis was given on looking forward to the future and being honest about the past, but not beating oneself up over mistakes or shortcomings.



The Special Grace Ceremony itself took place from 4:00-4:40 p.m. The chapel was full and many families came with their children. Altogether, 117 people attended and we are planning a second ceremony in the near future for those that could not attend today. Some families came from very far away to attend. One family came from Wyoming and another family drove about 6 hours from a remote part of Colorado. After the ceremony, there was a delicious Korean dinner, and people stayed and talked for several hours as the sun began to set.



"Today's wonderful grace ceremony held in Denver, exceeded by far most if not all participants' expectations. The Colorado Family Church is truly blessed to have Michael and Adonia Hentrich prepare and conduct this event with so much sincerity and love. I liked the educational part of today's event, in particular, the video clip of True Parents' beautiful daughter Sun Jin Moon. The pictures and words of her question and answer session with the 1200 Global Top Gun Youth gathered in Korea gave me new life. Sun Jin Moon's testimony made me proud again to be a Unification Church member and to expect more of myself and to do a better job; to be a living testimony of True Parents to the world. How can I, how can we all, exceed our own expectations of ourselves and touch True Mother's heart and surprise her in a positive way? Today's grace ceremony was for me the first step towards it. Thank you to Michael and Adonia Hentrich for conducting True Parent's four Holy Items and Special Grace Ceremony." – Anton Scherbl



"Yesterday I had a very deep experience with True Mother. During her prayer, as I listened to her words and felt her heart, I was renewed in my spirit. I have been a Unificationist for 43 years and now I feel young in heart again, with determination to go forward with True Parents to relieve Heavenly Parent's suffering heart. Thank you, True Parents, for such grace and renewal." – Cynthia Hiromitsu



"On behalf of my family I want to express my gratitude for the Grace we received from Heavenly Parent and True Parents, and our pastors Michael and Adonia for leading us through this amazing spiritual event! Besides the Grace and Love we received from our Heavenly Parent and True Parents, I feel that the education prior to the main event was incredibly powerful to prepare our hearts to receive it. Especially True Father's video where He explains that each individual knows himself/herself better than even God, emphasizing how important is our self image, how we see ourselves. Also watching Sun Jin Moon's talk with Top Gun participants was very precious, where she shares her very personal experiences with True Father and True Mother." – Vasiliy Neobutov



"I felt the presence of the Holy Spirit. Today I feel different – lighter – like burdens have been lifted from my shoulders. Thank you, dear Heavenly Parent and True Parents." – Shirley Chimes

