

True Mother's "Peace Starts With Me" victory at Madison Square Garden

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What a fantastic victory! Tears filled my eyes several times during "Peace Begins with Me." It was excellent in so many ways: beginning on time, the content of the speeches, the interactions between the emcee and the audience, the introductions of the speakers (Dr. Balcomb's introduction of Bishop Kim touched everyone's heart.), the 2,000-voice choir, high-level representatives who came to speak, and more. Better yet, there was no rain on July 15, even though it rained in New York City two days before. And this was all preparing the foundation to welcome True Mother.

The most important victory of the day was that it brought joy and hope to True Mother. As she walked on stage, her smile was worth a million dollars. Her happiness lit up the whole Garden. True Mother was so, so happy. And when she spoke, she did so with dignity, poise, confidence and conviction. As she delivered God's message, there was pin-drop silence in the arena filled with thousands of young people. They, the young people, were her greatest support -- and it was contagious. They have so much respect for True Mother -- I could just feel it in my bones. It was amazing.