

Master Speaks on: For the sake of myself

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Your brothers and sisters have left for [the] front line and you are left here in headquarters; and I'm sure you have thought of [the] heavy responsibility to perform [your duties].

[My] subject [for today is,] "For the sake of myself."

When you think it is for someone else [you] may be not so pleased, but when [it is] for yourself, it sounds good.

You are expecting something good from him [True Father]. [Receiving] Something good for one's own sake pleases everyone.

[The] Korean proverb: After bitterness, sweetness... That means, only after struggle you will gain victory. Korean people think you must go through hardships while still young, not [when you are] old.

For those of us who believe in Spirit World, we are more destined to win the victory.

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We are such great debtors, whenever we do things for other people, we are just helping to pay off the debts.

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Since last visit here, visited S.F. Family & NH;
it's been almost a month.

After I left WDC, you were more or less agonized
in your heart over heavy duty you had to do.

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