

This Week in History (November 29-December 5)

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True Parents' Visit North Korea November 30–December 7, 1991, Pyongyang, North Korea

True Parents arrived in Pyongyang on November 30, 1991, visiting by formal invitation of the North Korean government. They arrived at Sunan International Airport, where Chairman Yoon of the Committee for Peaceful Reunification of the Fatherland met them. During a press conference at the Beijing Capital International Airport VIP Room True Father said, "I hope that this visit will bring unification to the fatherland closer." They stayed at the Moran Bong Guest House in Pyongyang. On December 3, they visited Mt. Keumgang and on December 5 they visited Jeongju, True Father's hometown.

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Forty-Million Couple International Blessing November 29, 1997, RFK Stadium

The Forty-Million Couple International Blessing took place on November 29, 1997, at RFK Stadium in Washington DC, United States. Couples participated via live internet broadcast in 185 nations. It was the

first Blessing Ceremony for those in the spirit world that True Parents conducted. True Father said in his prayer, “Please guide these brides and grooms so that they inherit God’s traditional lineage and can be proud for eternity.”

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**Dedication Ceremony for the Washington DC Church
December 4, 1977, Washington DC**

A Dedication Ceremony for the Unification Church at 1610 Columbia Rd. in Washington DC occurred on December 4, 1977. Two hundred members attended this ceremony, at which True Father spoke on the topic, “Let us renew ourselves.” Among other things, Father said, “We need to know that all heaven and earth, the entire world, and even America is on the path through a process based on providential

numbers.” Our church had purchased the building and property from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints and had remodeled it before dedicating it to God.

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