

**Universal Peace Federation** Interreligious and International Federation for World Peace



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Dear Friend.

On behalf of the Universal Peace Federation of North America and its founders, Dr. and Mrs. Sun Myung Moon, we are pleased to invite you to attend a special event to bless our families and strengthen our nation. Entitled "God's Ideal Family and the Peace Kingdom" this family tour for peace will conduct a special gathering on Sunday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Renaissance Washington, DC Hotel 999 Ninth St NW Washington, DC. The doors open at 3:30pm with the main program at 4:00pm. The Renaissance Hotel is located near the MCI center with plenty of parking available.

The World Peace tour will come to 12 cities in the United States and 480 cities in 40 countries around the world (12 cities in each of the 40 countries). This noble effort will bring together people of faith, character, and conscience in the spirit of hope and encouragement. Dr. Sun Myung Moon, his wife Dr. Hak Ja Han Moon, their sons and daughters and college age grandchildren are touring the world together. The three generations, working together for the cause of world peace, help to vividly illustrate that the family is the universal expression of God's love and the common ground upon which we all stand. In each city, one of the family members will give a special address concerning the centrality of faith, family and True Love as the cornerstone of hope for each community and our nation. Here in Washington, DC our keynote address will be given by Dr. Hyun Jin Moon.

Father and Mother Moon, who have completed two world tours in the last twelve months, have been welcomed by heads of state, top religious, NGO, women and youth leaders, as well as business and other leaders in the 120 countries they visited. These dignitaries were moved by Father Moon's message heralding a new era of peace for the human family, proclaiming that now is indeed the time to "beat our swords into ploughshares and our spears into pruning hooks." It is a message of hope for all faiths, nations, races and cultures. At this time of great turmoil and conflict. Ambassadors for Peace in America are joining with Father Moon in his urgent call for our nation to realign its moral compass. Then, America can fulfill its destiny as the source of peace and hope for the world.

During the event on September 3<sup>rd</sup>, a special prayer of blessing will be given for grandparents, parents and grandchildren emphasizing that the Heaven-blessed family, including all generations, is the basis for peace. As Ambassadors for Peace and people of faith, participants will gather on Sunday afternoon, September 3, 2006 for simultaneous events in 12 major cities across America. The theme of this historic event is "Blessing the Family and the Nation through Three Generations".

UPF and the Family Federation for World Peace and Unification are the major co-sponsors of the U.S. 12-city portion of the world tour. Also supporting the tour are the American Family Coalition, the American Clergy Leadership Conference, the Women's Federation for World Peace, and the Collegiate Association for the Research of Principle.

Please join us at 4:00pm on September 3rd at The Renaissance Washington Hotel for this most timely event. For more information, please contact us at 1-800-207-4540.

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