Peace Starts With Me Video Series Number 13: A Lonely Understanding: The Path of True Mother

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(Caption below video: A Lonely Understanding: The Path of True Mother)

Mrs. Moon once said She was alone Her entire Life. True Father sad the same: "No one understands Me. My parents never understood, even My Wife and children can never really understand. My understanding of God is a lonely understanding." It is the lonely who know the lonely God. True Mother told us She was alone, and some mock Her for saying it. She silently bows Her head and practices True Father's Words: "You also can be a companion to that lonely God.")

Welcome to True Parents' Way video series, 'Peace Starts with Me.' Our topic is 'A Lonely Understanding, The Path of True Mother.'

True Mother tells us that She went Her Course alone. True Father told us the same thing. Wait just a minute, She (True Mother) had True Father, a huge family, countless members around Her. How can She say She was alone? She said it the same way True Father did. He said, "No one understands Me. My parents didn't understand Me. Even my Wife and children can never really understand Me. My understanding of God is a lonely understanding."

One lonely Man found the secret and lived through everything to bring the Movement this far. Did True Father say that from a position of strength? Listen to His Words,

"I always feel how vulnerable and weak I am; but, I know that God trusts and is depending on Me to fulfill."

It is the weak and vulnerable who know the weak and vulnerable God. In Father's Words, they are the spiritually enlightened people who can receive revelations and instructions in their prayers. They are the ones, True Father says, that stay. True Mother stayed, lonely, weak, vulnerable, being mocked for saying it and bowing Her head. She (True Mother) practiced True Father's Words, "You also can be a companion to that lonely God.



True Mother's eldest daughter, Ye Jin Moon, reflects on her Mother's loneliness. She (Ye Jin Moon) said, "Mother's childhood was a lonely one; although True Mother had Hal Mo Ni's spiritual support at Her side, the love and support in the physical sense was not abundant. Halmoni's totally devoted religious life in the early years, consisting of prayer vigils and rigorous church work, left Mother alone most of the time.

When Mother was in secondary school, She even had to stay with her uncle and aunt who did not really appreciate Her presence at their house. After the Holy Matrimony, Mother's first seven-year course began. During Her course She was discouraged from seeing Her own mother. She led a solitary life in the middle of the bustling and crowded Chung-Pa-Dong world. With tears and prayers, She had to endure repressive loneliness behind closed doors. At the same time, however, She was expected to become 'an exemplary member' and 'prove Herself worthy of true motherhood in front of many members who still viewed Her with critical eyes.

It was to take many more years for Mother to gain respect and love from those around Her.

We'll share more, including words from Rev. Wom Pil Kim and True Father next week. Thanks for listening.