

Prayer of FFWPU Korea President Song Yong-cheon at the Cheon Il Guk Leaders' Special Devotions for the Beginning of a New Era and a New History

Most high and holy Heavenly Parent, True Parents, who are the embodiment of true love and true life.

Before the great glory of Heaven, we who are unworthy bow down. Please look upon us with Your boundless love and bestow compassion. At this hour, You have raised us as Your precious children and permitted us to open the holy time of the "Cheon Il Guk Leaders' Special Devotions for the Beginning of a New Era and a New History." For this infinite love and grace, we bow our heads in gratitude and glory. All the leaders gathered here bow humbly before Your altar with hearts of deep repentance and firm resolve for the future. Please accept our earnest pleas and examine our hearts.

Looking back, Holy Mother Han, the Only Begotten Daughter, overcame countless ordeals and, through the victorious Entrance Ceremony of Cheon Won Gung, opened a new era of attending Heavenly Parent substantially. She planted in our barren hearts the hope of Cheon Il Guk. Truly, the grace of Heaven through Holy Mother Han was overwhelming and astonishing beyond measure. Yet we, before that great love, did not stand as worthy children. Falling into complacency and self-centered thoughts, we placed ourselves before Your will, and turned away from Your earnest plea to become one, failing to fully love one another. We deeply repent of our shortcomings and beg for forgiveness. Our arrogance and failings only deepened the anguished shimjeong of True Mother, who bears alone the heaviest and most painful cross. Please have mercy on us, unfilial children.

Beloved Heavenly Parent, True Parents of Heaven, Earth, and Humankind, Now we lay down all our wrong thoughts and actions of the past before You, and seek to stand as a living offering before Your Word. We long to break apart our old and selfish selves with the sword of the Word, and to be reborn as new vessels filled with Heaven's will. In particular, as You have permitted this precious time of devotion, resolving to end an age of division and conflict and to open wide the door of a new era and a new history centered on harmony and peace, we sincerely ask that You descend powerfully upon the hearts of all the leaders gathered here.

May all worldly anxieties and human calculations that disturb our hearts vanish like mist, and may we breathe and think only in oneness with the shimjeong of Holy Mother Han, True Mother. May the pain she feels become pain piercing our own hearts, may the tears she sheds become tears wetting our own cheeks, and may the resolutions she sets become resolutions engraved deep into our very bones. Thus may we become a strong protective wall that preserves True Mother's noble dignity and peace from every storm of the world, and may we stand as solid cornerstones establishing on this earth the ideal of peace that Heavenly Parent has long dreamed of.

Beloved Heavenly Parent, True Parents, During the sacred devotion of 13 days, we ask You to closely guide every prayer, every song of praise, and every moment of deep reflection. Upon our barren spirits, let Heaven's great grace and the fiery work of the Holy Spirit overflow like an unending river, melting our hardened hearts, washing away our arrogance, and filling us anew with Heaven's love.

So that when we finally step out of this hall, all traces of our weakness—fearing and hesitating before past failures and present trials—will be gone, and we may stand fully armed with Heaven's mighty authority and true love, joyfully taking up the weighty mission of a new era. May we be reborn as Heaven's true workers and proud leaders who bear responsibility for the future of Cheon Il Guk.

Trusting that You will watch over the families and health of all who are present, I offer this prayer in gratitude, in the name of Song Yong-cheon, of a blessed family attending Holy Mother Han. Aju.