

Summit 2022 and Leadership Conference

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10th Anniversary Of The Holy Ascension Of Sun Myung Moon, True Parent Of Heaven, Earth, And Humankind



(From top left) Mc: Dr. Thomas G. Walsh, Chair, UPF International, Opening Invocation 1: Dr. Uzwi-Lezwe Radebe, Founder, The Revelation Spiritual Home, South Africa, Keynote Address: H.E. Boris Tadic, President (2004-2012), Serbia, Opening Invocation 2: Sheikh Mansour Diouf, Representative of the Murid Brotherhood, Senegal, Keynote Addresses: Hon. Néziha Labidi, Former Minister of Women, Family and Children, Tunisia, Hon. German Blanco Alvarez, Senator, Colombia and, Grigore Novac Member of Parliament and Party of Socialists of the Republic of Moldova (PSRM), Moderator: Hon. Ek Nath Dhakal, Regional Chair, UPF-Asia Pacific, Keynote Addresses: H.E.

Dr. Sok Siphana, Chairman, Asian Vision Institute, Cambodia, Hon. Adi Koila Nailitikau, First Lady (2009-2015), Fiji, Hon. Patricia Terrazas Baca, Member of Parliament, Mexico, Dr. Ann Higgins, President, World Dance Congress, UNESCO, Bahamas, Hon. Ross Robertson, Member of Parliament (1987-2014), New Zealand, Dr. Subash Kaji Shrestha, Deputy Secretary General, Asian Regional Institute of Juche Idea, Nepal

Marking the 10th Anniversary of True Father's Holy Ascension, Summit 2022 and Leadership Conference (hereinafter referred to as SLC) was held at the Lotte Hotel World and HJ Global Arts Center in Gapyeong, Gyeonggi-do from August 11 – 15 (July 14 – 18 by the heavenly calendar of the 10th year of Cheon Il Guk).

The SLC was held under the theme "A Heavenly Unified Korea and the Realization of a World of Lasting Peace" as an extension to the "Summit for Peace on the Korean Peninsula," which happened earlier this year in February. Senior leaders from 157 countries that maintain diplomatic relations with both North and South North-South Korea, as well as 300 leaders and citizens from the fields of economics, religion, media, academia, and online participants from around the globe. The event was divided into two sessions representing the fundamental purpose and awareness of the SLC.

Session 1 was presided by the Chair of UPF International, Dr. Thomas G. Walsh as the moderator. The opening invocation by the founder of the Revelation Spiritual Home, Dr. Uzwi-Lezwe Radebe, was followed by a peace message by the representative of the Murid Brotherhood, Sheikh Mansour Diouf. Then, six speakers addressed keynote addresses: H.E. Boris Tadić, the third President of Serbia; H.E. Yves Leterme, the 48th Prime Minister of Belgium; H.E. Ehud Olmert, the 12th Prime Minister of Israel; Hon. Néziha Labidi, a former Minister of Women, Family and Children in Tunisia; Hon. German Blanco Alvarez, a senator of Colombia; and Hon. Grigore Novac, a member of the Moldovan Parliament.

The Regional Chair of UPF-Asia Pacific, Hon. Ek Nath Dhakal acted as the moderator for session 2.

Ten leaders and experts from all walks of life shared their vision of a heavenly unified Korea and a heavenly unified world and had in-depth discussions on the specific measures to realize this vision. The ten speakers were HE Dr. Sok Siphana, Chairman of Asian Vision Institute in Cambodia; Hon. Prof. Sunaina Singh, Vice Chancellor of Nalanda University in India; Mme. Adi Koila Nailitikau, the 4th First Lady of Fiji (2009-2015); Hon. Bhubaneswar Kalita, former Member of the Indian Parliament and IAPP-India; Amb. Dr. Chaiyong Satjipanon, former Ambassador of Thailand to the United States; Hon. Patricia Terrazas Baca, a Member of the Mexican Parliament; Dr. Ann Higgins, President of UNESCO Bahamas World Dance Congress; Hon. Dave Laksono, Member of the Indonesian Parliament; Hon. Ross Robertson, former Member of the New Zealand Parliament; Dr. Subash Kaji Shrestha, Deputy Secretary General of Asian Regional Institute of Juche Idea, Nepal. Furthermore, the participants praised the life and achievements of True Father, who lived as a trailblazer for peace and unification throughout his life and resolved to actively support and participate in the global peace movements led by True Mother.