

Rev. Masayoshi and Mrs. Motoko Kajikuri meet the Washington DC members

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*Liberal Democratic Party's (LDP) Tokyo headquarters shows (from L) **Masayoshi Kajikuri**, head of the Japanese division of the Universal Peace Federation, former U.S. House of Representatives Speaker Newt Gingrich, now Japanese Prime Minister Fumio Kishida, and Michael Jenkins, a former president of the U.S. branch of the Unification Church - October 2019*

Rev. Masayoshi and Mrs. Motoko Kajikuri. Mr. Kajikuri's birthday is December 6, 1970. His parents and his wife's parents were matched by True Father. And they were part of the 43 couples blessing in 1969. In that blessing there were 13 American couples (Jon and Sandy Schuhart participated) and 22 Japanese couples.

Of the 22 Japanese couples, there were 10 previous previously-married couples who got blessed and 12 couples who were matched by True Father. Mr. Kajikuri and his wife were in that latter group. Mr. Kajikuri's father was "very Japanese". And when Mr. Kajikuri was asked what does that mean? He replied, "Oh, he's like a samurai."

Mr. Kajikuri's wife's name is Motoko, and her twin sister was born five minutes before she was. And the two sisters were Nikkon (?). Mr. Kajikuri was born the same day as David Ang (son of Edwin and Marie?) and they were always very close. True Father gave them (the twin sisters) their names. And Rev. K's name was also given by True Father.

The name "Masayoshi" (Mr. Kajikuri's first name) means Justice. True Father said to Mr. Kajikuri: "Don't emphasize justice because even Satan can do justice. Love is first, but also do Justice".

Mr. Kajikuri was living in Japan with his parents when he went through elementary school. He's part of the first batch born among the 43 couples. They all stayed at home with their parents through elementary school. But when they reached Middle school age, they all went to Korea. They were the first batch to do that. All the children born in 1970 were considered the first batch and Mr. Kajikuri and his wife both were part of that first batch.

For middle school, high school and university, they all stayed in Korea. They missed their families but stayed in Korea. Mr. Kajikuri Speaks fluent Korean. Side note: Mr. Kenji Miyako (translator for Mrs. Kajikuri who was sitting next to Mrs. Kajikuri), is in the 11th batch. And he said everybody in Japan knows the Kajikuri couple because of his effective leadership of UPF In Japan. True Father told Mr. Kajikuri to inherit True Father's foundation in Korea. He said, learn Korean and teach Divine Principle to high society people in Korea and go to Sun Moon University... be a patriot of Japan and experience living in 3 different continents so that you can see Japan from outside. True Father said to Mr. Kajikuri "Be cosmopolitan and be patriotic to Japan". Mr. Kajikuri learned to love Korea and also learned to love Japan. He asked True Father if he could become Korean, but True Father said "No" you are Japanese." True Father said that Mr. K had to stay Japanese but become an international Japanese. (True Children nicknamed Mr. Kajikuri "Yoshi.")

Mr. Kajikuri loves what True Parents did in the United States. He's proud that Father came as a doctor and fire fighter to the U.S. When Mr. Kajikuri went back to Japan after Korea, he taught the Divine Principle to 50 members of the Japanese Diet. He tried to convey the heart of True Parents. He met with Prime Minister Abe two weeks before he was assassinated. Mr. Abe had 200 Diet members that were loyal to him and his party. The LDP (liberal democratic party) had a total of 400 members in the Diet but 200 of them were following Mr. Abe and his conservative view. Mr. Abe actually had a lot of power. Mr. Kajikuri said that 1 in 4 of the LDP were in Mr. Abe's party and that made 1 in 7 of the entire Diet that were following Mr. Abe.

Mr. Abe confided in Mr. Kajikuri and that there were very few that Mr. Abe trusted. Mr. Abe loved our teaching because he wanted to strengthen families and have a rise of patriotism in Japan. Mr. Abe recognized that our movement was doing that. Mr. Kajikuri said then Satan took him (Mr. Abe).

Now the situation in Japan is very serious. The lower court decided to dissolve the Unification Church. And now the decision rests with the Upper Court. The upper court will make a decision sometime between October and December of this year of whether to dissolve the church or not. And if that happens, they will take possession of all our property. So Mr. Kajikuri and Mr. Tanaka and Mr. Osuda are working together to try to preserve the Unification Church in Japan. During The first 7-year course starting with Father's passing until 2019, True Mother was trying to raise and unite her family. Then in the second-year course, in 2020 until 2027 True Mother is raising her family through the third generation, her grandchildren. She couldn't wait any longer for her own children so she now working with her third gen grandchildren to inherit the providence; She needs human resources and external support (outside sources from America and other countries perhaps etc.)

True Mother in a hurry to raise leaders. So Mother appointed Mr. Kajikuri after the opening the Cheon Il Sanctum, True Mother gave Mr. Kajikuri the title of "Vice-Continental Director" for North American which includes Canada. True Mother asked Mr. Kajikuri to sing a song. So he tried to sing "country roads" but instead True Mother asked him to sing a Japanese song. (same song he sang for us). And he said he's in America because he loves True Parents very much. He has 2 children, one is 33 and the other is 28 and both are independent so his wife was able to come with him. After he sang the song for us (members), he said a little bit more. The Unification Church members in Japan are still being kidnapped to this day. A new email is coming out. It's "Blue" and it's asking for our name and email address to sign another petition and to support Freedom of Religion in Japan. This is the second petition. It was in the Subregion 2 email last week.