

## A letter to Rev. Sun Myung Moon

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This letter has come about because of the need to say something not said. I was incomplete and did not know I was incomplete until Jeff Adshead stimulated something within those present at a morning service; he challenged us to speak to someone whom we have profound gratitude and tell them what they mean to you. Immediately Appa came to mind.

### **A letter to Appa (Rev.Moon). My Seunghwa (ascension) message that was not given.**

As it can be traced back to the depth of my being—the best of who I am and the best of all I have done—it is you at the center of it. I love you with all of my heart and mind and soul (life). I thank you for the richness

and joy in my life.

You gave me Colette and showed me how to love her. We have six extraordinary children. All deeply engaged in life—all filled with love and hope and four of them beginning their own families. Our legacy of love is ever expanding.

You gave me a community, a family of brothers and sisters, whose love and charity are without equal. Their beauty is divine.

You gave me the picture and practice of love. I love how you love your wife and how your wife loves you—it is the clearest and most vivid understanding of adoration. The God in me shouts to have the same love for Colette. I want to love like you.

I need you to know that you taught me how to think big. It is you who challenged and empowered me more than anyone. I love you for making me the man I am and giving me the clarity of the primacy of love. Everywhere I turn, everything that is precious to me, I see you.

Please forgive me for not shouting out my love for you on the roof tops, the mountain tops and in the market place. You are that which centers my world and makes the most sense.

You gave me a way back to the living God—you gave me a do over that has given me a real understanding about the blessing of God. There is nothing I can say, do or pay that can match what I have received. For this understanding I am humbly forever yours—my life is gladly forfeit to the will of God.

I trust that you are with me and my family for I am with you. That I could be your champion—thank you. Please forgive me when I am slow to love or slow to challenge my limitations.

I adore you and want the whole world to know of your love.

Eric