Beloved local community leaders, ambassadors for peace and members! I love you all!... Even in today's world, when a friend or another person does a favor for us, our conscience urges us to repay it. God chose and raised the Korean people for two thousand years and has been leading the providence to prepare them for this time. For two thousand years, Korea has encountered many hardships. Whenever Korea went through difficulties that were hard to understand, God opened a way. So today, the Korean people should be grateful and seek to return glory to God.

Therefore, we must clearly understand providential truth and historical truth. God, the Creator, made all things in his image. Lastly, he created a man and a woman to become humankind's first ancestors. God had them go through a growth period. During that period, they were to be in a position of absolute faith, absolute love and absolute obedience toward Heaven. They were to have matured until God could say to them, "Oh, now you have reached perfection." However, what happened? Human being's greed has brought about the fallen world in which humankind has no relationship with God. For this reason, all humankind until now has been tirelessly seeking goodness. The world has four great religions.

However, Christianity is the religion that explains the history of God's providence of salvation. The Lord of the Creation is omniscient and omnipotent. He is the beginning and the end. He can't fail. On the other hand, in terms of the result of his having given responsibility to human beings, a true human ancestor should emerge, to whom God may say, "You've fulfilled your responsibilities." That is why, two thousand years ago, God chose the people of Israel and led them through the providence of salvation and
restoration through indemnity from the individual level to the national level.

The pain we bear

How difficult must this course have been, that it took four thousand years? After four thousand years, he sent the messiah, Jesus Christ, whom the Israelites had long awaited. However, what happened? Many prophets, as well as John the Baptist, had come, but the Israelites still could not fathom Jesus' true essence. They did not understand God, the Creator's true essence, either. They sent Jesus to the cross because he was different from them. Jesus, who had no choice but to go the way of the cross, promised that he would come again.

In the two thousand years of the Christian providence since Jesus promised to return, many mistakes have been made in Christianity's name. Due to their own misguided self-centered thoughts, others treated him as heretic and drove him out because his thoughts were different from theirs. This should not have happened. How is it that Communism, which claims that God is dead, could emerge from a Christian foundation of those who believe in God? This is inconceivable. We bear the pain that democracy and communism caused us in the Korean War. Therefore, we can conclude that a peaceful world cannot be realized through human-centered thoughts and actions.

Whom is God working with?

So then, what should we do? We must clearly understand the essence of God, the Creator and true owner of the universe. God's ideal of creation was to become the humanity's true parent through the first human beings. However, due to Adam and Eve's failure to fulfill their responsibilities, the history of the providence of salvation began. God will not use again the chosen people that did not fulfill their responsibilities. God had sent Jesus Christ, his only son through the people of Israel.

We see that God's principle of creation includes a man and woman. So, God had to find a people through whom his only daughter could be born. In that respect, if God worked his providence through the Christian foundation of the Korean people so that his only daughter could be born, it is evidence that God is working with us. I was born in 1943. Korea's liberation came in 1945. The Korean War broke out in 1950. The war broke out at a time when the democracy in the South was unprepared to confront the North. For the first time in six thousand years, God brought forth his only daughter, who is to bring about the completion of his providence. However, he had to give his only daughter a growth period. We witnessed God's love during the Korean War. How is it that sixteen UN member nations mobilized to help this small nation that was unknown to the world? This was not thanks to human efforts. This was thanks to God.

Completion is in sight

I want to make a special request, especially to Christians, who should serve as a providential foundation. God has made all the necessary preparations to fulfill the providence. Now, what remains is for human
beings to fulfill their portion of the overall responsibility. God wants to complete his providence through this nation. The Korean people must take the initiative in fulfilling the responsibility of realizing the dream of one family under God that humanity has longed for. Believers in Christianity, in particular, must wake up and stand at the forefront in fulfilling these responsibilities. We can no longer wait. We can no longer wait. Through the completion of the providence, seven years ago, I proclaimed Cheon Il Guk, the kingdom of heaven on earth, centering on our Heavenly Parent. However, the Korean people must wake up. God chose them. God blessed them. Therefore, they must repay this grace that God has bestowed upon them. They should fulfill their responsibilities by uniting with the True Parents, who are realizing the dream of one human family. What remains is for them to fulfill their responsibilities and become a shining light for the world.

These people should not continue to be unfilial toward Heavenly Parent, who has been enduring and waiting for so long. Only when they become true filial sons and daughters who return God's love and grace, can this country become the world's central nation. Especially leaders -- local community leaders and ambassadors for peace who came to this rally -- should now boldly face the truth. Please remember that this is the only path for this nation and the people of this nation to survive. May the heavenly nation of Gyeongsang be the first to proudly go to the front line in offering this nation to Heaven together with True Mother, God's only daughter.