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## Purchase

# New Yorker Hotel

May 12, 1976, New York, America

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> On May 12, 1976, True Parents purchased New Yorker Hotel in New York.

T his hotel is a symbol in New York. At that time of it was purchased, it was the largest and 43 stories high hotel in New York City, with 2000 rooms, as well as a grand ballroom.

That's why, when we purchased the hotel, the mass media got attention to this issue.

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> On May 21, 1976, True Father offered the benediction on the roof. After this, this hotel was holy separated and used by the World Mission Center to govern over 123 nations for while.

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Besides, this hotel was the important place for holding the world leadership conference, the 3<sup>rd</sup> world CARP conference, 74 couples blessing wedding ceremony etc... several events were related to the Cheon II Guk Providential History. True Father wrote the annual motto on every January 1<sup>st</sup> at 12am at this place with several times. Since True Parents gave his dynamic speech there many times, so people remember this providential moment at hotel.



# Now, this place has been used by FFWPU USA headquarter office.

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Let's think about what we possess. One of them is New Yorker Hotel at 34 street 8<sup>th</sup> Ave,. At that time of it was purchased, it was the largest building in Manhattan. When I entered this hotel for the first time, I could not believe what I saw. It seemed like the remains of the building because of bombing.

It seemed like Seoul in Korea after the way. I could not understand why this kind of building could be the center in New York City. We purchased this hotel and made it lively and now we use it as the office of the World Mission Conference.

Before we purchased this hotel, it was dying. That's why I decided to purchase it for vitalizing. This action is like what only God can do.

New Yorker Hotel is the representative building which we purchased from others.

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