Update on my Resignation from FFWPU, 3 Years Later

By Jim Stephens, September 9, 2018

Three years ago on Sept. 17, 2015, I officially resigned from Family Federation. See my letter <u>here</u>. I followed that up with an article explaining that Hak Ja Han was not united with her husband at all by simple logic. See that article <u>here</u>.

I thought it would be good to give an update three years later. In brief, I'm more and more confident that I made the correct choice.



True Father's spirit is definitely here.

On numerous occasions, especially when Hyung Jin Nim speaks in Korean, I have felt the presence of True Father with him and speaking through him. Many others experience the same.

Most of us who joined the Unification Church in the early days in America felt God's guidance and had a conversion experience (if we took the necessary "leap of faith.") Of the people here at Sanctuary Church, almost all of them have a similar testimony. The spirit here is similar to the early days when we joined True Father's "family."

During the last two years of True Father's life on earth, Hyung Jin Nim was with him almost night and day. Hak Ja Han was someplace else. Not only did Hak Ja Han separate from True Father, she separated from Hyung Jin Nim because he was on True Father's "side." She almost immediately took away all the positions True Father had given him. Finally she denied his "inheritor" position, "This means, there can be no concept of inheritor or successor." (3-16-2018)

Recently Hyung Jin Nim shared that the "greatest gift Father ever gave me was himself." Hyung Jin Nim is not motivated by the money or the position. He could have had those but he chose Pennsylvania and the "wilderness" in order to be faithful to Father.

Remember these quotes from True Father:

Where is God's love found? Does it exist between brothers who love each other? No. Also, God's love is not created centered on love between a man and a woman. God's love is found in the love between a father and a son. The flesh and blood must be connected. In order to create a tradition that lasts for eternity, flesh and blood must be connected. That is, a vertical relationship must be formed.

It is the vertical relationship that receives God's love, so it cannot be any other than the love between a father and son. This love has no distance. In this vertical relationship there must be one center. There can only be one center. The center is in the best position. If there were two centers, in this world, there would be a fight. (28-169)

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So I have, within my prayers, reached the deep realm and struggled and fought to find out the secret of the universe, the root of the mystery of the universe. What is the foundation of the universe? It is simple. The answer turns out to be the father-son relationship. So what is the father-son relationship? We cannot explain it leaving love out. What are we talking about? We cannot explain the father-son relationship without talking about love. Ordinary people would think it is simply about the father-son of men, but since I knew it was about God and man I have found the answer and the theory. (144-250)

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When you enter the land of the deep and pray, man is the center of the creation; but what is the center of the universe. You will find that the answer is the father-son relationship. What is the center of the universe? In one word, the father-son relationship.

But ordinary people think it is about their own parents. They think it is about their own father and mother, centering on moral principles. It is wrong. When we look at it from a solid point of view,

the conclusion is that the place where God and man become one centering on the deep heart of the father-son relationship is the center of the universe. (48-209)

God can best express Himself through his most faithful sons, Jesus and Sun Myung Moon. True Father can best express himself through his most faithful son, Hyung Jin Nim.

Also, for years True Father talked about Love, Life, and Lineage. He emphasized that lineage was the most important. In the Garden of Eden, God's goal was to have His Lineage. This was the desire of God and the Purpose of Creation. Does anybody in Family Fed. remember this?

Not one of the sons of Hak Ja Han is connecting with her. That should tell you something.

I want to be where True Father is.

<u>Jesus</u>

True Father was one with Jesus. Nobody knows the heart of Jesus or loves him as much as True Father.

Hyung Jin Nim has invested tremendous time and energy into building a deep relationship with Jesus and the Bible. He is constantly pushing us to do the same. Without knowing the heart of Jesus we cannot truly know True Father. This feels so very right to me.

Hyung Jin Nim has thoroughly learned the Bible and speaks from it all the time. This feels very right.

Does anyone in Family Fed study the Bible anymore? Do they love Jesus?

Is the Divine Principle being studied in the Family Fed? Read the chapters on the Messiah, Christology, and the Second Coming. You won't find anything about an "only begotten daughter" in there.

Jesus and Christianity will be essential for changing the world. It's not going to happen by magic. We need to be close to them, our brothers and sisters in Christ.

I heard a report that Hak Ja Han's rally in Brazil had a very low turnout because the Christians heard in advance about her "only begotten daughter" heresy. Big rallies look nice on video but if the real Holy Spirit is missing, then it can only go downhill from here.

Hyung Jin Nim as a person

This man is only 38 years old, yet has content and understanding far beyond his years. I experience it all the time when I'm with him personally, during church sermons, on the King's Report videos, and when he gives speeches elsewhere.

I have witnessed great changes and growth in him in just three years. He learns fast and absorbs/digests concepts quickly. God really prepared him in so many ways.

Every day I see him pushing himself like True Father pushed himself. He is really becoming "his Father's son." Being around him reminds me so much of what it felt like to be around True Father. It's an emotional roller coaster around him. One moment you are high with the joy of God and the next you are miserable with the weight of evil and suffering in the world.

I have seen him embrace whole culture groups and communities. For example, within a matter of months he is connecting with the top leaders in the Second Amendment and Christian Patriot movements. He is able to inspire them with spiritual insights that help them understand how God is guiding them. I believe he will soon be one of the "thought leaders" of the true freedom and human rights movements. The connections he is making are not seen publicly but I can tell you that God is quickly rebuilding the foundation that existed in Korea before he was kicked out by Hak Ja Han.

He understands and teaches deeply about True Father's core concepts like Absolute Sex and its implications for all mankind and history. He focuses a lot on moral teachings for young people, even in sermons. My personal testimony and spiritual experience is that True Father's core message was really

all about Absolute Sex. After all that was the essence of the Fall of Man. But Hak Ja Han forbid this teaching.

He deeply understands a true husband-wife relationship and constantly encourages and supports our couples and families.

Hyung Jin Nim studied martial arts from a young age and thoroughly embodies abilities, the discipline, and the character of that lifestyle. He is a great role model and mentor for young people. He gives them free martial arts training, building their character and discipline. This concern for young people will have profound effects on the future. Ten or twenty years from now he'll be the leader of millions of people.

If you knew him a few years ago, you don't know him now.

The C.I.G. Constitution

The CIG Constitution from Hyung Jin Nim is a great leap beyond the U. S. Constitution. It recognizes where the inherent flaws exist in our U.S. government. These are being exposed after 200 years. The Constitution resolves them. It is a practical blueprint for establishing model communities and eventually the Kingdom of Heaven on earth. It shows a deep understanding of history and Divine Principle.

True Father spoke about the Peace Police, Peace Militia before his passing. Hyung Jin Nim understands directly from True Father what this means, how necessary it is, and how to implement it. Evil will not be eliminated by magic or wishful thinking. Human portion of responsibility is required.

Rod of Iron Ministry

The guns and the AR-15 rifles are a hard one for a lot of people to get their heads around. That is because it is "way ahead of its time." Most people have been lulled into believing that there is no need for guns for self-defense. Try telling that to the two hundred MILLION people killed by their own governments in the last 100 years.

The right to self-defense is a basic God-given right of all humans, not just Americans. Out of necessity he must scream it from the rooftops and risk appearing the fool to wake up the masses. That includes those of us closest to him.

Hyung Jin Nim may be just a "voice crying in the wilderness" at this time but this message will, and providentially must, become a rallying cry the whole world over before God's Kingdom can come.

I feel sorry I am so dense most of the time, not foreseeing where God must take us in order to get to the final goal.

Hyung Jin Nim's recent book, **The Rod of Iron Kingdom**, is a great "call to arms" for Christians. It's time to put action behind their beliefs. God is with them. We are living in the time after the Second Coming of Christ and God is working hard to expose and eliminate evil. The Kingdom is at hand.

Conclusion

Jesus and True Father will always love you and me. However, to have (and keep) a relationship with them you must do your part of the relationship. That for you becomes the most important part of all. Doing nothing is not an option. Repent. Humble yourself and do the research. Don't be caught in the midway position. God and True Father HAVE TO BE on one "side" or the other, even though they might love both.

Matt. 7:21 "Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, ... 23 Then I will tell them plainly, 'I never knew you. Away from me, you evildoers!'

Your place in heaven is not guaranteed.