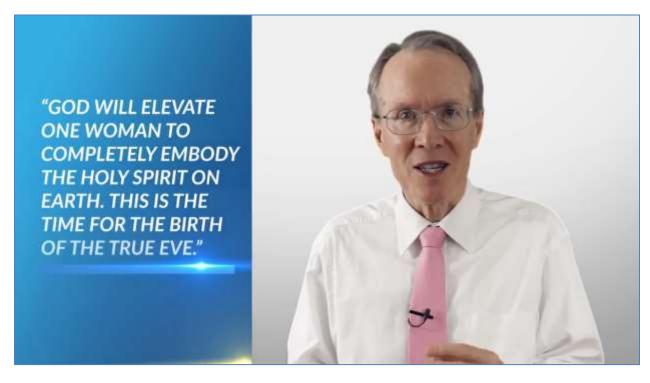
Peace Starts With Me Video Series Number 11: There Is a Way to Be Only Begotten

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Hello and welcome to True Parents' Way video series Peace Starts with Me. Our topic is 'There Is a Way to Be Only-Begotten'

On May 1st, 1977, True Father prophesied that His successor would appear in 15 years. He said, "I feel I can give Myself totally for another fifteen years, and in that time I must find someone to succeed Me.

Fifteen years later, He did not announce the successor. He announced the Co-Founder. To understand this, we go back to Father's Words in that same 1977 Speech:

"God will elevate one Woman to completely embody The Holy Spirit on earth. This is the time for the True Eve." Who was to be that True Eve. There was no guarantee it would be His Wife. He (True Father) said that for 70 years all women in general will be trying to assume their rightful, original role; but, God is looking for the ideal Woman who has the qualifications and potential to become a True Wife and True Mother, and eventually The True Queen or Empress of the Universe.

Apart from Her family, the greatest responsibility and glory that a woman can assume, Father said, is that of Empress or Queen of the Kingdom of God. You sisters here, you all want to become empresses, don't you?

How did True Mother become the One? Her declarations of divine status as the only-begotten Daughter born of the chosen lineage make it seem as if She (True Mother) were the only one qualified; and yet, Jesus also declared that he (Jesus) was unique in his divine status, born of a chosen lineage. True Father supported this. True Father said,

"Jesus said God is my Father and I am His (God's) only-begotten Son ...Jesus emphasized that there could be no other son than himself (Jesus)."

However, Father also said that Jesus was not the only qualified one. He (True Father) said, "If the followers of Jesus had felt that same way; then, the kingdom of heaven could have been established on this earth." In other words, Jesus' followers could have been only-begotten too. There was a way for them to achieve this; and, in True Father's Words, the most important thing is how to reach the position of the only-begotten Son and the only-begotten Daughter." How to reach that position is the most important thing.

We can all be only begotten. True Mother teaches that we are or can be the true children under True Parents.

She (True Mother) can say that because She knows The Way and She did it!

Thanks for listening. We'll talk to you again next time.