

## This Week in History March 8–14

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### Distribution of Decorative Stones (March 13, 1960 Former Headquarters Church in Seoul)

On the afternoon of March 13, 1960, decorative stones were distributed in the former headquarters church in Cheongpadong, Seoul. True Father had collected stones from beaches as he toured Japan's Kanto region in. He numbered each and every one of them and gave them to 248 members. He told them, "You should keep and cherish this stone that I am giving you and that you are receiving from me, deep in your heart, so that it can become a triadic conditional object." In commemoration of the distribution of the stones, the members made groups of, posed for pictures and received from Father rice cakes and fruit that he personally distributed.

(Courtesy of the History Compilation Committee)



### North Korea–South Korea Unification Rallies (March 12, 2000, in Seoul's Main Olympic Stadium)

The North Korea–South Korea Unification Rally was held in the Main Olympic Stadium in Jamsil, Seoul, on March 12, 2000. Held on the foundation of holding similar events to commemorate Rev.

Moon's 80th birthday in twenty cities in the nation, it was a national-level event where around 120,000 people participated. True Father gave a speech titled "The Path of Life that Needs to be Tread by God's Princes and Princesses," during which he proclaimed the age of the brotherhood of humankind. (Courtesy of the History Compilation Committee)



**One Hundred City Speaking Tour in the United States  
(March 8, 1994, Major universities in America)**

A one-hundred-city speaking tour in the United States occurred from March 8, 1994 to April 27. In this speaking tour, which had the theme "True Parents and the Completed Testament Age," True Mother went to ten Ivy League universities, starting from the Harvard University, and some True Children went to other universities to give speeches from March 8, 1994 to April 27.

The tour's theme was "True Parents and the Completed Testament Age." True Mother emphasized in her speech, "Adam and Eve were supposed to perfect their true love, and as True Parents, they were supposed to form a perfected family characterized by true love and true lineage."

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