

I India

I Am Happy to Get away from the Bondage of Darkness



Joshua (Chennai Manmin Church, India)

I suffered from heart disease and also was possessed by a demon. But no one recognized it because I was always silent. But beginning 4 years ago, the demon inside me became violent. It caused me to torment my family with such wild behaviors and I couldn't stay at home even a short while. I often ran away to the public cemetery and spent the night there.

When the symptoms got worse I even imitated the sound of frogs, monkeys and snakes. So my family had to lock me in a room. The suffering of my family was indescribable.

Pastor Joseph Han, ministering Chennai Manmin Church, told my family that we had to find the original problem and then repent and solve it. My family prayed for me.

One day Pastor Han visited me with church members and prayed for me. I collapsed and the pastor asked the demon how he came into me. The demon replied "I came from the tree standing between this man's parents' house and the land of their neighbor Sakuma. I came to take this man's life away and this is the seventh time I entered into him." This was the reply of the demon inside me.

Actually, Sakuma was my parents' neighbor and they had a bad relationship because of a land problem. He is engaged in black magic, and he engraved the first son's name on a bronze tablet and buried it under a tree with a dead baby's hand.

The following day, I collapsed again and said as follows. "Two meters below the first tree is a jar that contains the copper plate." After my mother knew this fact, she went there and tried to pull out the tree. Then a voice was heard from inside the tree. "Go away, Go away!" People around her were scared but she didn't hesitate to put fire on it and burned the entire tree. Thus, the original problem was solved.

A few days later my family brought me to Chennai Manmin Church and we attended Friday all night service through GCN. Following the message, Dr. Jaerock Lee prayed for the sick. An unbelievable thing happened to me. Everything returned to normal the violent behavior stopped and the heart disease had gone as well. Hallelujah!

I USA

Ruptured Achilles Tendon Was Healed



Nelya Karabara (Medical Doctor, Richland, New Jersey)

I fell down on the street and sprained my ankle. Due to the unendurable pain I was unable to walk and couldn't even stand for a moment. And then the ankle turned black and started to swell. And I noticed that it was a rupture of the Achilles tendon.

I felt down and my right foot bent very badly! I almost was unable to walk because of unbearable pain and I could not even stand on this foot! My foot changed from bright red to dark blue in color and became swollen because of edema.

But rather than depending on medicine I decided to rely on God. That evening I attended the seminar led by Dr. Vitaliy Fishberg with the help of my two friends. After the seminar Dr. Vitaliy Fishberg prayed for me with the handkerchief that Dr. Jaerock Lee had prayed on. At that moment the pain was gone and the injured part trembled. I felt like my leg was burning with fire and with electricity! When I woke up Sunday morning, all symptoms were gone! I even could come to church in shoes. I had clear assurance of the divine supernatural power of God and His love for me. I had even more enthusiasm toward God and the Lord after reading Dr. Lee's book 'Heaven I.' I give thanks to Dr. Jaerock Lee and give all the glory to God and the Lord.

I Belgium

WCDN, Overflowing Evidences of God's Power



Pastor Hugo Van (The church of God's Ambassador)

Twenty-one years ago, I was sentenced to death with an incurable disease. It was cancer. I eagerly looked for churches where healing was taking place but it was not easy.

However I didn't get disappointed and kept holding on to God and was healed by faith. Later in 2005, I established the healing school with some doctors who had the same thoughts that I had.

Meanwhile, I attended the fifth International Christian Medical Conference held under auspice of WCDN held in Norway in 2008. People were testifying to the living God with clear evidences of God's power.

I was quite impressed to hear the healing cases because I was eagerly looking for a healing ministry organization. On the first night of the conference I read Dr. Jaerock Lee's books "My life My Faith" and "God the Healer."

It was a big blessing to me. I wish to cooperate in Dr. Lee's ministry and WCDN to spread love of God toward Belgium and all of Europe.

What Is Happening in New York Manmin International Church?



At the Home Coming Day meeting held on March 29, 2009, many healing works took place. And here is a special testimony of a 5 year old girl named Chelsy Lacarrie who was healed of a problem with her eyes.

Chelsy was born with cerebral palsy and her limbs were paralyzed. Both of her eyes had a fearful squint so that she couldn't see anything properly because each of her two eyes was looking in totally different directions.

One day the TV was broken so that Chelsy's mother, Jennifer, could only watch one channel and it was channel 17, GCN. She was deeply impressed by Dr. Lee's messages. She heard there is a branch church in New York and visited

the church. After that she read Dr. Lee's books 'The Measure of Faith', 'Heaven I,' and 'The Law of God'. She repented with tears. She decided to keep the Sabbath and give the whole tithes. At the handkerchief meeting, her daughter received the prayer and her eye became normal and she could look in the same direction with both of her two eyes.

May, the Month of Family  
 Healthy Family Filled with Happiness



May, which is called the "month of family", is the best time of the year for families to enjoy spending time together. The way to the happy family is simpler than people think. By sowing seeds of love and providing care and service, anyone can bear a happy family as the fruit. The Scripture also tells the secrets to having a happy family in Ephesians 5:22-6:4. It says that the wives should be subject to their husbands as to the Lord, and the husbands should love their wives just as Christ also loved the church and sacrificed Himself for her.

It tells us that fathers should not provoke their children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord. The bottom line of the above verses is spiritual love. The family should live in love and respect. Thereby, you can have a happy family by standing firm on faith. This spiritual love is one of the best of the gifts that comes from God, and it gives you the strength to overcome any kind of hardship or difficulties. Various church events will take place celebrating this month of the family. On May 3, the Children's Sunday

school had their children's day celebration service in the second sanctuary of Manmin Central Church. Rev. Soojin Lee, President of Pastors' Association, delivered the message titled with "True Children" and urged our children to become God's true children who can receive answers and blessing by resembling God Father.

The Students' Sunday school will also have a special Saturday worship service with their parents. By inviting their parents and preparing for a time of forgiveness and understanding towards each other, student members and their parents are expected to come closer to being united as one in love as family.

In celebration of the "Parents Day," the Senior Deaconesses' Association will invite elderly members who are over 70 to celebrate in the main sanctuary after Sunday morning service on May 10.

And each parish has a plan to have time of sharing love by visiting elderly members. Each mission is also preparing events in which they will express their thankful hearts to their guidance pastors and financial directors.

The Love of God Covered an Islamic Country, Pakistan  
 Church Leader's Seminar and Handkerchief Meeting

There were church leaders' seminars and handkerchief meetings in Lahore, Karachi and Kashmir in Pakistan from April 15 to 26 with Pastor Taesik Gil who is a ministering pastor of the Daejun Manmin Church. At the seminars attended by many pastors and church leaders, the messages entitled 'God the Creator,' and 'Why Is Jesus our Only Savior?' were preached. The attendants were greatly touched by the spiritual messages of the holiness gospel and they requested to have such seminars again.

Like the events recorded in Acts 19:11-12, extraordinary miracles took place through the handkerchief on which Dr. Jaerock Lee had prayed. Demons left, various

diseases were healed and poor eyesight or blindness was recovered and became normal. Through the amazing works of God, many people gave glory to Him.

In the middle of the mission trip, Manmin's mission team was invited by Raja Zulqarnain Khan, the President of Azad Jammu and Kashmir, a self-governing state under Pakistani control. Friendly talks were shared with him and the ministry of Manmin was presented to him. To many Pakistanis, who have suffered from religious conflicts and civil war for so long, the seminars and healing meetings conducted by Manmin's mission team were precious events that comforted them in Jesus Christ in both spirit and flesh.

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The Importance of Practice

A maxim says, 'Nothing is completely finished until it's put in its final shape.' This implies that no matter how good something is, it should be trimmed and organized to make it more valuable. It is the same in our faith. Practice is important in making goodness shine more brightly. For instance, when we see someone in difficulty, there is a big difference between just having sympathy and sharing what we have from the heart, no matter how little it might be. Even a small present or a word of encouragement is much better than nothing. By practicing goodness and giving strength and support to others, you can be the light in this world and God will pour out greater love and blessing upon you.

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Domestic & Overseas News

- "Hell" Published into English by 'Word of Christ' Publishing House in India (April 22)
- 2009 DR Congo Great Evangelism Crusade with Ms. Boknim Lee (April 25 to 26, Speaker: Ms. Boknim Lee)
- The 6th Anniversary of Mongolia Manmin Church (April 26, Speaker: Missionary Batzorig)
- Special Prayer Meeting for Japan Evangelization (April 27, Speaker: Rev. Seungkil Ryu)
- Light and Salt Mission Devotional Service (May 1, Speaker: Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee)
- The 14th Anniversary of Ulsan Manmin Church (May 3, Speaker: Rev. Heesun Lee)
- The 5th Anniversary of Matsumoto Manmin Church Dedication (May 3, Speaker: Rev. Masaaki Ito)



"Say cheese! Dong-eun!"

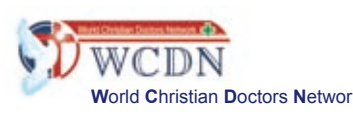
In 7 years of their marriage, Deacon Youngju Kim's wife Deaconess Kyungja Cho became pregnant and gave birth to a son named 'Dong-eun' through the prayer of Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee. (16-2 Parish)



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# True Love

**“Teacher, this woman has been caught in adultery, in the very act.”**  
**“He who is without sin among you, let him be the first to throw a stone at her.”**  
**“I do not condemn you, either Go From now on sin no more.” (John 8:1, 7 and 11)**

People may profess they love with their lives, but their love is mostly looking out for their own benefit; such love eventually decays and changes. The true love that never changes and lasts forever can only be given from God.

The love of God is beyond the imagination of a man. Its height, width, and depth are infinitely unimaginable. Our Lord took the cross also with this love of God, and the Holy Spirit is praying for us also with this love.

Then what specifically is true love? I hope you will feel the true love of God all the more deeply in your heart.

**First, true love is the love of forgiveness and mercy.**

In John 8 is found a story about a woman who was caught red-handed in adultery. In order to test and have grounds for accusing Jesus, the scribes and the Pharisees brought a woman before Jesus who had been caught in the act of adultery. They said to him, "Now in the Law Moses commanded us to stone such women; what then do you say?"

However, Jesus didn't tell the people to 'kill her according to the law.' He rather opened a way for her to survive.

Without speaking, Jesus stooped down and wrote the sins of the people on the ground, and said to them, "He who is without sin among you, let him be the first to throw a stone at her." Then He bent down and wrote the people's sin on the ground again with His finger. When He wrote their general sins such as hatred, anger, greed, stealing, adultery, and arrogance, they didn't recognize that those sins were applicable to them. However, when Jesus wrote on the ground second time, they turned pale. It is because He wrote down the specific situations in which they committed sins with such details as the time, place, and the specific sins they had committed. When they saw their own sins written down, they couldn't throw stones at the woman.

They felt qualms of conscience and departed one by one. Only Jesus was left with the woman. He saw there was no one left but the woman and said, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you? Then neither do I condemn you. Go now and leave your life of sin."

Not all of sinners can change, even if you show mercy to them and forgive them. When impudent people don't



Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

show their gratitude, but do evil even when they were treated in goodness. Most people neglect them thinking, "It's not worth it to deal with them." But Jesus showed His mercy from His innermost heart to people no matter how cruel sinners they were. He desired to save those dying souls to the point of sacrificing His own life. He loved even people like Judas Iscariot until the very end. He still gave him chances to repent and turn back.

He was crucified on the cross not only for those who followed Him, but also for those who nailed Him on the cross. We have to resemble the heart of the Lord who showed mercy to save just one more soul.

**Second, the true love is the love that never changes.**

When people are greatly indebted to someone, or receive love from someone, they may confess their love. However, the true love is the love that never changes not only in good times but also in hard times. It is the love that never changes no matter how many years pass by.

It is the same when you love God. If you truly love God, your love should never change, no matter how severely you may be afflicted or disadvantaged. Even if you undergo trials from time to time, you don't hold the mistreatment against God, but you rather continue to devote yourself and remain faithful despite it.

When the Apostle Paul had hardships while preaching the Gospel, his love didn't change. Even when he was severely beaten, imprisoned, or drifted in the deep sea for a night and a day, he

what others like and what pleases them in order to win their hearts. When you love God, you should also understand the heart of God.

The will of God for Jesus was that Jesus should be crucified on the cross to accomplish the providence of salvation. Jesus knew that this was the will of God, and completely obeyed. If He had only wanted to accomplish His duty, since taking the cross was His duty, all He would have had to do was to enjoy His life and then to be crucified on the cross at the last moment.

Jesus deeply understood why God has sent Him in this earth. So even though at times He was not able to eat and rest, in order to heal and teach just one more soul, He did His ministry with all His heart and strength.

Finally when He took the cross and walked up Golgotha, He didn't confess in His heart, "Father, I love You. Even though I am hurting and it's so difficult, I can do it for You, Father." This would be the confession of a child who doesn't understand the heart of his father. Jesus said to God that many souls would receive salvation through His suffering, and He tried to reduce the sorrow of His Father by all means. "Father, I can overcome all these sufferings with the overflowing love of Father. Please don't mourn for me, and hold Your tears." He rather comforted God the Father.

If you love Father like this with the heart of an adult child, even when you do the smallest of your duties, your attitude and its fruit will be different. You will not think only of accomplishing the duty, but you will also do it with all your strength to make the procedures and the results pleasing to God.

If you truly desire to understand others' hearts, you should be able to clearly listen to the voice of the Holy Spirit. Then, you should resemble God the Father and change your heart into the heart of goodness and love.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ. I urge you to check yourself, while deeply thinking about the true love of the Lord, to see how much you have accomplished this true love. May you become comfort and joy to God Father by fulfilling the true love that has endless forgiveness and mercy, never-changing love in any situation and the heart that can understand others' deep heart, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ I pray!

gave praise to God from the depth of his heart. He didn't have the slightest unjust thinking like, "I was faithful according to the will of God, so why should I be beaten and shamed? Why does God let me be cast into the sea like this?" He was rather deeply moved and saying, "Such a mere sinner like me can undergo trials like this for the sake of the Lord's name."

When you are burning in the heart for the moment, you might be able to say that you could give up even your life. Even if one is ardent about giving his whole life once, if he has to give it all over again, could he give it with the same heart as the first time? Let's say that you have given up all your possessions, remained completely faithful, and given up your health repeatedly, but now, if you are to give it all again, could you give it with gladness?

You have given so much already, but instead of enjoying glory, you are placed in a very low position. Will you not have any unjust feeling or misunderstanding? If you accomplish this true love, you will receive extreme love from God.

**Third, the true love is the love that understands others' hearts.**

Some people give the other what they want to give instead of giving him what he wants to receive. They also expect to get something that they want in return. True love, however, is being able to put yourself into the other person's situation. It is considering his heart's desires and being able to give him what he wants. True love does not develop ill- feelings of resentment or cause misunderstandings when others don't give back what you want in return.

Even worldly people closely study

# Our Family Became One in Faith by the Family Service

Though I had refused to go to church despite my wife's plea for a long time, in winter of 1996, I became a member of Manmin Central Church considering it as a Christmas gift for my wife.

One Sunday in June 2000, I had an accident while enjoying mountain-hiking. While climbing a steep mountain I accidentally lost my balance and fell down. Two years later, I had a similar accident again. I was getting scared of going hiking.

Eventually I stopped going hiking. Instead, I was able to focus on my faith and church works. Definitely, it was the fruit of love and care of my wife and my group members of the Men's Mission.

For the first time I attended the Friday all night service in 2006 and I was quite impressed by the member's serious and earnest attitude during the service. 'What are these people doing at this late hour, not even sleeping at home?' Up until that time I had gone to church just habitually, but now I had come to have a hope of being reborn as a true Christian.

I began to read Dr. Jaerock Lee's books to arm myself with the words. I experienced an unexpected change of my heart. For instance, I came to have a confidence that I could keep all the commandments if I truly love God though I used to think it was impossible in this world filled with sins and evils.

In the midst of God's grace, I tried to check the family



*After attending Friday all night service for the first time Became reborn as a true Christian and received strength by Dr. Jaerock Lee's books His family has become one in truth by offering family service*

member's faith. Thinking of our children who will soon grow up to be adults and leave our protection, I was concerned. Though they started their life of faith since the days of Manmin kindergarten, their faith was dependant and weak. So we needed something to plant

faith in their hearts.

Finally I came up with having family services. I was reminded of what Senior Pastor did after he met God. His whole family was able to grow in their faith and receive blessings through offering of family services.

We started our family services in the living room with praises at 11:50, Saturday night on July 5, 2008. I prepared the message and my wife, my daughter and my son took turns in praying and singing special songs. At first it was very unnatural. I had long called my son 'Euisup' and my daughter 'Youngae' so when I tried to call him 'brother' and her 'sister,' it was uncomfortable to me.

Preparing for the message, I read the summary of the sermons in the weekly bulletin and while reading it, I myself felt my faith growing. Through having a debate about our life of faith, we all could share our thoughts about faith. When I heard my son say "I repent not having paid offerings and I will give half of my first paycheck" I thought having family service was a very good decision. Now we all enjoy offering family service together and I feel that the trust and love among us has grown as well. I give thanks and glory to God who blessed our family to be filled with His grace through the family service.

Deacon DongmyunShin (14-2 Parish, 3-3 Men's Mission)

## Praise Is the Source of Happiness in My Family

I play the contrabass, my wife and my daughter play the violin, and my son plays the clarinet. We are all people of music spreading the love of God.



**"The Praise Makes Us Happy."**  
 The family of Deacon Joonhyuk Kim, conductor of choir and Nissi Orchestra of Masan Manmin Holiness Church. From left to right his son Youngho, his wife Mikyung Lee and his daughter Jooeun

By the powerful prayer of Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee, I was healed of tetanus, my son, Youngho, was healed of acute appendicitis and my daughter recovered her eyesight. After experiencing this great love of God, our family is glorifying God and praising Him with the hope for the best place in heaven, New Jerusalem. My family and I have been attending the Men's Mission Cell Service every Thursday for six years. Other cell members also started to bring their families as I did, so sometimes the cell service turned into meetings of our families.

Through this, we could spend more time with our children and experience the love of the living God, and the meeting helped our children protect themselves from this world and stay faithful in their school and in church. It is also providing them with teachings of God. We give thanks to God for the happiness of our family and hope to offer more beautiful praises.

Deacon Joonhyuk Kim (Masan Manmin Church)

## I Feel the Heart and Love of God Reading the Word

Jinyoung Kim is in the fourth grade. He reads the Bible before going to bed and after he rises. He also reads on the bus or train. Following the instruction of his guidance pastor that Bible-reading helps him enter a better place in Heaven, he started reading through the Old and New Testament and finished it in a month.

"As I began to read the Bible, I could learn the heart and love of God. Though I used to fight with my brother, now I try to concede to my brother as Prophet Abraham did to his nephew, Lot. And when I had a difficult question while taking a math test, I prayed as King Solomon did that God might give me wisdom. Then I could think of the answer to the question. And finally I got a score of 100 on that test.

After he started reading the Bible he has tried to live by the words and he could pray in more detail than before. Now Jinyoung confesses that he wants to be a good child of God and keeps on reading the Bible.



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2. Manmin Central Church believes that the Triune God-God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit - exists as one and works with each other.
3. Manmin Central Church believes that only the atoning blood of Jesus Christ forgives us of our sins.
4. Manmin Central Church believes in Jesus Christ's resurrection, ascension, and the Second Advent, and the eternal heaven.
5. Members of Manmin Central Church confess "The Apostles' Creed" whenever they gather and believe in it verbatim.

### MEMO

