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## The Light of Hope Was Brightened in the Islamic Countries

Through Seminars and Handkerchief Healing Meetings in Pakistan, Dubai, and Abu Dhabi



### "Numerous People Including Muslims Experienced the Power of God"

Pastor Yonas Tsegaye Gebrewold, Senior Pastor of Abu Dhabi Living Water United Evangelical Churches Emirates

"Many people in the meeting, including Muslims, were set free from pains, recovered ability to hear and received healing of many kinds of injuries and diseases such as muscle tears and high blood pressure. I have visited many churches in the world and



met many renowned pastors and attended their meetings. But I have never met such a pastor as Dr. Jaerock Lee. The powerful works performed by him shows God walks with him. I hope he will come to the United Arab Emirates and Ethiopia and lead a crusade."

#### "Pakistani Young People Were Awakened"

Pastor Yaqub Paul, Chairman of United Bishop Council Pakistan

"When I heard Pastor Taesik Gil's message and saw signs that followed in the seminars and crusades in Pakistan, I was highly amazed. And on this visit of his, he led the seminar for young people for the first time, and the fruit was awe-inspiring.



Approximately 100 pastors from Lahore and seven other cities as well as 2,500 young adults attended. It is and will be remembered as a historic seminar that serves as a foundation in Pakistani Christian revival."

In the Middle East, where Islam is the largest religion with 90 percent of population being Muslim and in Pakistan, which is officially the 'Islamic Republic of Pakistan', Pastor Taesik Gil, who is ministering to Daejeon Manmin Church, led four crusades.

Pastor Gil's Handkerchief Healing Crusades were conducted in Dubai on December 1, 2016 (Photo 1) and in Abu Dhabi of the UAE (Photo 9). And on December 4, another crusade was held in Pakistan Gospel News Church (Photo 8). On December 6, he led Young Adults' Seminar with many bishops and pastors in attendance in FGA Convention in Lahore,

Pakistan (Photos 7 and 10).

In every crusade, the DVD entitled "POWER" showed Dr. Jaerock Lee's powerful works. The attendees exclaimed with a big applause in amazement. Pastor Gil then preached the message and prayed for the sick with the handkerchief on which Dr. Lee had prayed. Many people were healed of their diseases, set free from evil spirits, and cured of infirmities as recovery of eye-related problems and hearing ability (Photos 2 to 6).

Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee of Manmin Central Church boldly proclaimed the word of life and

performed signs in Pakistan United Crusade 2000, which became such a phenomenon in Pakistan. Afterwards, his sermons and powerful works were broadcast on Isaac TV that covers Asia and Middle East, and Pastor Gil has led pastors' seminars and handkerchief healing meetings for ten years for Pakistani evangelization.

This news was spread to Pakistani pastors performing the ministry in the Middle East and Manmin's ministry was extended to other regions. This has brought about renewal and revival of souls there.



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Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

"She will bear a Son; and you shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins" (Matthew 1:21).

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The Word became flesh and came to the earth to save all mankind. He is Jesus. With what kind of heart did Jesus have when He fulfilled His duty as the Savior for all humans? Let's look into the heart of the Lord in three aspects.

#### 1. Jesus did not have 'self'.

Philippians 2:6-7 reads, "[Christ Jesus] who, although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied Himself, taking the form of a bond-servant, and being made in the likeness of men." The duty of Jesus the Son of God was to be born in the form of man and to fulfill the duty of the Savior by dying on behalf of

Suppose the king of a nation ordered his son to hide his identity and serve as a slave for 3 years to make him experience the life of the ordinary people. How would the prince feel?

When he wore rough clothes, he would probably be reminded of soft clothes that he used to wear, and when he had to eat nothing but low quality foods, he'd be reminded of good foods in the palace. When people in the lower classes, who couldn't even be compared to those of his royal identity beat him, cursed at him, and made him do difficult labor, he might have wanted to reveal himself, rebuke, and punish them. But in order to

## Jesus the Savior

obey the command of the king, he had to give up his status and authority and abandon elevating himself above others.

Think about Jesus. He existed in the form of God and has such great authority that all the heavenly host and angels are at His command. Still, Jesus was born in human flesh on this earth, and fulfilled His duty completely. He was born and crucified at the God-destined time. Throughout His life He only obeyed God. He preached the word; healed the sick and revived the dead. He went where He was to go and stopped where He was to stop, met whom He was to meet and did what He was to do. He did not want to be respected or recognized. In this same way, we should deny ourselves completely to obey God completely. Only then will we be able to accomplish God's providence.

When we deny ourselves and give everything we have to God as Jesus did, God will certainly lead us into spirit so that we can bear fruit and be blessed. However, sometimes, we can see that some say they love God and the shepherd and they work to give glory to God, but they do not bear good fruit. It is because they have the 'self' deep inside of their heart. Deep in their hearts they insist on what they want to gain, they think they are right, and they dislike giving God all their possessions. In their deep heart, they want to reveal themselves and get recognition from others.

Luke 17:10 says, "So you too, when you do all the things which are commanded you, say, 'We are unworthy slaves; we have done only that which we ought to have done." I urge you to deny yourself and get rid of the heart that wants something back. Then, you will give glory to God greatly and receive great love from God like Jesus did.

### 2. Jesus had the love of the

Philippians 2:8 states, "Being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross."

You know very well how cruel crucifixion is. Jesus' flesh was torn apart by whips having lead pieces, and was crowned with thorns. He went up to Golgotha exhausted and bled so much, and was hung on a cross with His hands and feet nailed. Insects gathered at His wounds following the smell of blood in such a hot weather. As death came closer, His pain got worse and worse.

Jesus suffered all these things without any complaint. It is because of love. Because Jesus loves God so much, He wanted to accomplish God's will despite any kind of suffering. Also, because Jesus loves each and every soul who was made in the image of God, He wanted to save all of us by receiving the pain on behalf of us. His earnest and heart-rending love gave Him the power to voluntarily endure all the sufferings and even the crucifixion on this earth.

The reason why I could do God's works and have remained with my church members in any situation until today is because I love God and the Lord and the members. No matter how hard or difficult this way was, I could always choose to accomplish the kingdom of the Lord, because I truly love the Lord.

If you love God, then leading a Christian life is so easy. Also, if you love the souls with your love towards the Lord, fulfilling your duties and doing your ministry is so easy. You will be happy when you pray and worship before God, and you will be full of thanks and joy when you are faithful to God's kingdom. Preaching the gospel and taking spiritual care of the members make you happy because you feel it gives life and strength to lovely souls. Then, God will be able to accomplish His providence through you. He will love you so much, give answers to your prayers and bless

#### 3. Jesus' heart was full of hope for Heaven.

Philippians 2:9-11 says, "For this reason also, God highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee will bow, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and that every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father."

Jesus had certain hope that after all the sufferings on the earth He would go back to God in Heaven and enjoy the splendor as the King of kings. He had another hope that, through His death on the cross, countless souls on this earth would be led to God and become His children. Because of that hope, He did not consider any hardship as hardship, or any difficulty as difficulty.

Then, how great is your hope for Heaven? Is the happiness and joy that you will enjoy in New Jerusalem actually engraved in your heart? Are you hopefully thinking of heavenly rewards for spreading evangelizing materials, heavenly glory for your prayer for the church, and heavenly praise for every deed for the Lord? If so, you will always have joy and grace in your life. You will be able to lead your Christian life being full of the Holy Spirit in any kind of circumstances.

God has loved us to the point of giving up His only begotten Son to death. Our Lord has loved you and me that He could receive the sufferings on the cross with thanks.

I urge you to compare the heart of the Lord with yours as to see how clearly you are feeling God's grace, how much you have gotten rid of the 'self' in you, and how much love and hope you have in your heart. I pray in the name of the Lord that you will quickly achieve the heart of Jesus and thereby receive the love of God, become the source of His joy and bear abundant

#### The Confession of Faith

- 1. Manmin Central Church believes that the Bible is God-breathed Word that
- 2. Manmin Central Church believes in the unity and the work of God the Trinity: God the Holy Father, God the Holy Son, and God the Holy Spirit.
- 3. Manmin Central Church believes that we are forgiven of our sins only by
- 4. Manmin Central Church believes in the resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ, His Second Advent, the Millennium, and the eternal heaven
- 5. Members of Manmin Central Church confess their faith through "The Apostles" Creed" each time they come together and believe in its content verbatim

"[God] Himself gives to all people life and breath and all things." (Acts 17:25)

"And there is salvation in no one else; for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must be saved." (Acts 4:12)

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## The Grace of God Given to Guide Us into New Jerusalem

In 2016, God has given much grace so that we can become qualified to enter New Jerusalem, the best dwelling place in Heaven. In retrospection of the grace, let's offer up greater love and thanks to God on Christmas.

The Grace of Repentance

Now is the end time in which sins and evil are so prevalent that people commit sin without knowing what sin is. Thus, it is really hard to receive the grace of repentance. The enemy Satan tempts people to become conceited and enjoy committing sins, and even tried to stain Christians with sins (2 Timothy 3:2-5).

When people met the Lord for the first time, most of them repented with tears singing, "Amazing grace, how sweet the sound..." Although all could be forgiven of sins through the Lord's precious blood, some people fall into the pit of sins again.

It should be noted here that some sins lead to death while other sins are forgivable through repentance. It is recorded in 1 John 5:16, "If anyone

sees his brother committing a sin not leading to death, he shall ask and God will forgive him give life to those who commit sin not leading to death. There is a sin leading to death; I do not say that he should make request for this."

The sins leading to death are unforgivable, but the God of love has given the grace of repentance even to those who committed such sins at the price of tremendous sacrifice in order to save more people at this sin-filled end time (2 Chronicles 7:14). That is, He led them to repent of the sins by the works of the Holy Spirit. He wants all people to receive the grace of repentance and salvation through God's grace and love, the Lord's precious blood and His intercession, and the Holy Spirit's limitless mercy and help.

The Grace of Understanding Sins and Goodness Although you repent of your sin, unless you understand its filthiness, you may repeat the same sin again. God told Adam the first man not to eat from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. But Adam ate it when Eve gave it to him. It was because he did not feel what the sin—disobedience—is like.

Knowing that a sin is filthy differs from feeling it in the heart. In the same manner, only when you feel how pleasing it is to do goodness can you choose to practice goodness in every matter. God has waited patiently for us to gain realization on sins and goodness from the heart.

The word of life has constantly been provided and the truth, righteousness, and judgment were taught without ceasing. The shepherd's endless tears and sacrifice made you feel the burning heart of God and the Lord for souls.

You have grasped why you should cast away sins, how dirty they are, and how you can throw them away. The result is that you have become wheat-like believers who long for the judgment day of reward, not for that of punishment. Furthermore, you have fulfilled qualifications to enter New Jerusalem by achieving the highest level of goodness like the forefathers of faith did.

The Grace of Enabling Us to Cast Away Sins and Change You cannot change completely only by receiving the grace of repentance and understanding and hope for New Jerusalem. In order not to stumble and not to commit sins again, you need power and strength to cast away sins and change.

Peter followed Jesus putting aside his own life. However, when he was at the risk of losing his life he cursed and denied knowing Him. Mankind is weak as seen in his case. But Jesus said in Mark 9:23 that all things are possible to him who believes, and opened the way that anyone can receive salvation by faith and with the Holy Spirit dwelling in them.

By the grace and strength of God and the Holy Spirit's help you can receive the power to fight against sins to the point of shedding blood and to cast off desire for worldly pleasure, wealth, fame, and authority. You may have felt that you were unable to cast them away, or you were unable indeed although you knew you should. But through His power, you came to be able to throw them away.

God has been pouring the waterfall-like grace so that we won't be left behind in tiredness, won't look to the world again, and won't feel disheartened and give up. He continues to give us such grace for us to receive His strength and feel that we can make it.

We, who received salvation by faith, ought to repay the grace. When we pay it back, God gives us blessing in return. That is why He gives the grace, and the blessing is the glory of New Jerusalem.

Believers who are the Lord's brides should realize the love and grace of God and come out as the fruit of His joy. By doing so, they will be able to stand before the Lord who is their Bridegroom with joy, thanks, praise, and glory when the will and providence of God are completely fulfilled. 4 TESTIMONIES NO. 522 DECEMBER 25, 2016 Manmin News

I dozed off or used my smart phone during worship services without listening to the sermons. When I received grace, I would make up my mind to lead a sober Christian life but I soon fell into the world again.

Meantime, in July 2016, I experienced God. I felt troubled because of serious conflicts with my friend. When I prayed, it was solved so quickly. Afterwards, I tasted true happiness and peace that I had not felt in any place in the world. I started to pray unceasingly. In August, I went to Chuncheon where my relatives live and started attending Chuncheon Manmin Church.

I had herpes simplex from my third year in elementary school and suffered from it for twelve years. This virus is not completely cured, and when the level of immunity drops it occurs. It occurs two or three times a year,

and abnormal intraocular pressure, soreness, and pain follow. Blisters form on whole eyes and even keratoconjunctivitis is accompanied. If the virus is spread to the

central nervous system, it can develop into encephalitis. If it is spread in eyeballs, it may cause blindness.

On October 13, 2016, I suffered from mounting tiredness caused by my part-time job, and it caused my eyes to be infected by herpes virus again. I felt a bit frustrated at first but I made up my mind to receive healing by faith and glorify God because I



Sister Euijin Lee, age 21, Chuncheon Manmin Church

makes eyes seriously swollen and blood-shot within a day. But this time it progressed very slowly for three days. In its ordinary course, I should go to hospital quickly. However, I didn't go to hospital and didn't apply ointment. Because I believed the power of the Almighty God, I was not worried. I offered up the prayer of thanksgiving during Daniel Prayer Meeting in the evening of the day.

On October 16, fortunately, Chuncheon Manmin Church had the handkerchief healing meeting. I received the handkerchief prayer from Pastor Dongheon Kim. Then I realized my shortcoming and the love of God came into my heart. He wanted me not to suffer from the disease anymore and desired to completely heal me.

After the prayer, my eyes improved. I had suffered from high intraocular pressure

caused by a rush of blood to the eyes and felt pain when I blinked due to blisters. But my eyes came to feel really comfortable. They recovered quickly, the swelling subsided, and

the blood-shot eyes became normal. I was completely healed of it within three days after the prayer. Hallelujah!

I am fulfilling my precious God-given duties as a member of the choir, dance team and a leader of Young Adults Mission in Chuncheon Manmin Church. I give all thanks and glory to God who has so much love and who is so good.

### "I Was Healed of Herpes Simplex"

had been healed of many abnormal symptoms including a cold through Dr. Lee's prayer for the sick and the handkerchief prayer (Acts 19:11-12).

After blisters formed on my eye lids, I looked back upon myself and repented. I sprayed Muan Sweet Water (Exodus 15:25) and received Senior Pastor's prayer for the sick recorded on the phone. This virus

## "Dr. Jaerock Lee Is the Biggest Blessing to Me!"

Pastor Duseng Sombun, age 55, Pongjjok Manmin Church, Thailand
I learned about precious word of life, I came to visit Manmin Muan Sweet Wa

Manmin Central Church through Pastor Tawin of Chai Prakan Manmin Church, Thailand. From January 2014, I began to attend the church's branch pastors' seminars. The seminar was held every two months in Chiang Rai Manmin Church. Pastor Jaewon Lee was ministering to the church. He delivered the message that Dr. Jaerock Lee, Senior Pastor of Manmin Central Church had received from God through his immeasurable times of fasting and prayer.

It was very new to me. I had never heard such a message but I could tell it was spiritual. I was so happy to learn that each believer will enter a different dwelling place in Heaven according to his level of faith and the best and highest of those places is New Jerusalem.

I was thankful for I came to know the standard of salvation clearly. Keeping the whole Sabbath and giving the tithe is compulsory, and prayer is important as well.

As I received great grace from the

precious word of life, I came to visit Manmin Central Church in Korea in August 2015. When I listened to Dr. Lee's sermon firsthand in the main sanctuary, I shed tears in emotion and the Holy Spirit's inspiration. It is such a vivid memory that will be remembered throughout the rest of my life. I participated in Manmin Summer Retreat. I witnessed dragonflies sitting on the church members' bodies. I experienced the optimum weather and saw signs, wonders, and powerful works including



Pongjjok Manmin Church members (Thailand) have been renewed through the holiness gospel and experienced many powerful works



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Muan Sweet Water (Exodus 15:25). As so, the love of God flowed into my heart. I came to repent that I had not forgiven others. Then, thanks and love filled my heart fully.

Back in Thailand, I tried to live by the Word of God. The result was amazing. My church experienced more than two-fold revival in number and my members were healed of their diseases through Muan Sweet Water.

They grew in faith and became wheat-like believers as well, so 90 percent of the members

keep the Sabbath and give a tithe. My son who used to be disobedient changed and has been helping me with the ministry. I was also healed of diabetes and hemorrhoids through the handkerchief prayer (Acts 19:11-12).

The biggest blessing in my entire life is that I met Dr. Jaerock Lee, came to understand the will of God, and became a pastor who both acts upon and teaches the Word. Hallelujah! I give all thanks and glory to God who blessed me to find the way to become a true pastor.



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