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"I Am Living a New Life Since I Experienced Divine Healing of Anorexia"

Anorexia is otherwise known as anorexia nervosa. It is a disorder characterized by fear of becoming fat and refusal of food, leading to debility and even death. It has a high chance of recurrence.

Sister Hye Eun Kim (Age 28) was healed of anorexia by relying on the almighty God. We give all thanks and glory to God.



I was 11. After that incident my life was never the same. One day I looked at a photo I took with my friends. I knew my face was a bit chubby, but in that photo I thought I was so fat and I didn't look pretty at all. I made up my mind to go on a diet. It was fun to lose weight, but I got addicted to it.

Later, I began saying I became full just by the smell of the food. When my mother fixed me meals, I hid the food in my clothes and said I finished the meal. Also, I kept on standing all day long except when I sat at the meal table for a moment. My mother was concerned about my behaviors and took me to a clinic.

The doctor said it was anorexia, and I'd better to go a bigger hospital because I might need neuropsychiatric treatment.

My weight was down to 25kg (55lbs.), and I was literally skin and bones. I looked like a corpse. My legs always looked like they were bruised. I suffered hair-loss due to malnutrition. I'd scream at night because I couldn't get any sleep.

Finally, my mother took me to our Senior Pastor Rev. Jaerock Lee to receive his powerful prayer.

He prayed for me earnestly after he advised me saying, "Why would you lose weight to such an extreme just because somebody said you gained a little weight? You'd better cast away such a strong feeling." Something amazing happened after that. I could sleep well, and I got my appetite back. I began eating well and I recovered my health very soon. Hallelujah!

It was a miracle. I was healed of anorexia that couldn't be dealt with by any medicine. Since then, I experienced big changes both in my body and spirit. God's love and grace were etched deep in my heart, and I had the earnest desire to pay back His grace. The only thing I could do as a student was trying my best in my studies to give Him all the glory. I was the top 3^{rd} of the class in the junior high and the top in the high school. I got the highest grade point average in college for many semesters.

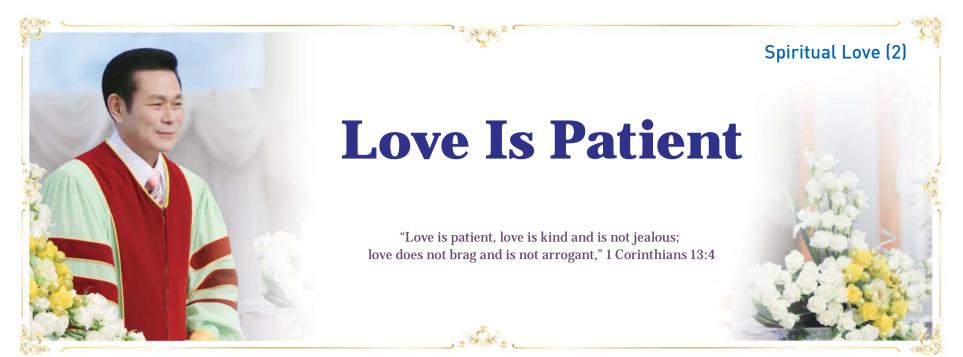
Anorexia is very difficult to cure. Perfect cure and recovery is extremely hard, and for this reason there are quite a few fashion models who die of anorexia. I've always kept in mind that I could also be dead if not for God's power. In order to give glory to God and become a capable instrument of God in various ways, I entered many kinds of competitions for college students and won many times, too. I am a freelance announcer, and recently I also got a job in a commercial for a local TV channel.

My ultimate goal is to become an announcer for GCN TV that transmits the word of life and God's powerful works to more than 170 countries. It is such a wonderful and blessed thing to be able to spread the news about God the Creator and Jesus Christ.

The purpose of life on this earth is to know what our duty is, which is to fear God and keep His commandments, so that we can become true children who can share true love with Him eternally.

I give thanks to my Senior Pastor for teaching me how I am supposed to live my life. Even today I try to give out the fragrance of Christ by improving myself.

I give all thanks and glory to God the Trinity who healed me of my anorexia and guided me to live a valuable life pursuing the true goal of life.



Rev. Jaerock Lee, Senior Pastor of Manmin Central Church

Nowadays we can truly feel that love has cooled down. Many people seek love but they don't understand what true love, namely what spiritual love is. True love can't be obtained just because we want to have it. We have to understand what it is first. Then, when we cast away evil from our heart, God's love will replace the evil, and this is how we can have spiritual love.

God has let us know specifically what spiritual love is in 1 Cor. 13:4-7. If we lack patience, which is one of the characteristics of love, we might put others in despair. For example, suppose you give a job to somebody, and if you don't get the expected results soon enough, you just give the job to somebody else. The first person then might feel miserable because they didn't get a chance to redeem themselves.

Now, what is the reason that patience comes first among the 15 traits of spiritual love in the book of 1 Corinthians? It's because it is most basic in cultivating love. Once we realize the love of God, we'd naturally try to share His love with people around us. And when we try to love others, we might face some situations where our feelings are hurt or we suffer a tremendous loss or hardship.

We might not be able to understand some people at all because their behaviors are not socially acceptable at all, not to mention they don't seem loveable at all. In order to possess spiritual love, we have to be patient and love such people as well. Even if they slander you without reason or put you in a difficult situation, you have to control your mind and still love them.

1. Patience Is the Beginning of Spiritual Love

In order to cultivate spiritual love, we need to be patient in any situation. What if we have some hard feelings while we are being patient? What if nothing changes even after being patient for a long time?

Before putting the blame on others or on the circumstances, we need to check our heart first. If we have cultivated truth in our heart, there is nothing we can't be patient about. Namely, being unable to be patient proves that we still have untruth and evil in our heart.

Being patient is bearing with ourselves and enduring all kinds of hardships that we face when we try to love. Having spiritual love means we endure all kinds of difficulties when we try to love in obedience to the Word of God.

Nowadays, people sue others very easily if other people caused even the least bit of harm to their bodies or damage to their property. Sometimes, they sue their own husbands and wives, parents, or children. Some people are considered fools if they just bear with such damage and keep quiet. But Jesus said in Matt. 5:39-40, "But I say to you, do not resist an evil person; but whoever slaps you on your right cheek, turn the other to him also. If anyone wants to sue you and take your shirt, let him have your coat also."

Do not pay back evil with evil but bear with them. Furthermore, show goodness to them. You might think how we can do that to such evil people who are causing so much damage to you, but you'll be more than able to do so if you have faith and love. This faith is faith in God who gave His only begotten Son Jesus as the propitiation for our sins. If you believe you have received such love, you will be able to forgive even those who caused great damage to you. If we love the Lord who has given us His life unsparingly, how can we not love, and how can we not be patient?

2. God Wants Limitless Patience

Some people suppress their hatred or anger and when they reach a limit they explode. Some people are very introversive and do not express themselves well, so they just keep the emotions to themselves to such an extreme degree that they get sick. Such patience is just like compressing a spring. If you take your hand off, it springs right back up.

The kind of patience that God wants is to be patient until the end without change of attitude. In a strict sense, it is patience with which you don't even have to try to be patient. It is not to suppress your hard feelings but to cast away the original evil that causes hard feelings and to have only compassion and love.

If we do not have any evil but only spiritual love in us, it is not difficult to love even our enemies, and as a matter of fact, we are not going to make

4. Manmin Central Church believes in the resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ, His Second Advent, the Millennium, and the eternal

any enemies in the first place.

If our heart is filled with hatred, quarreling, envy and jealousy, we will see the shortcomings of others first, even if they are good people. It's just like wearing sunglasses; everything will look dark. However, if our heart is filled with love, even those who behave oddly and act out in evil will look lovely. You don't hate them even if they are full of iniquity and bad points. Even if they hate us and act in evil toward us, we don't hate them back.

Patience is the heart of the Lord who does not break a bruised reed or put out a smoldering wick. It is the heart of Stephen who prayed for those who were stoning him to death for preaching the gospel.

The following relates a story of Peter asking Jesus a question: "Then Peter came and said to Him, "Lord, how often shall my brother sin against me and I forgive him? Up to seven times?" Jesus said to him, "I do not say to you, up to seven times, but up to seventy times seven"" (Matt. 18:21-22). This does not mean we have to forgive 490 times. Number 7 symbolizes perfection in spiritual sense, and it stands for perfect forgiveness. We can feel the love and forgiveness of Jesus is limitless.

3. Patience for Cultivating Spiritual Love

Of course, we can't turn our hatred into spiritual love overnight. We have to try to be patient continually.

Eph. 4:26 says, "Be angry, and yet do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger." Being angry tells us that one has little faith. Even if you get angry because your faith is weak, you must not harbor it until the sunset, meaning for a long time. We are apt to get angry if we are not at a higher level of faith, but as we try to be patient and try unceasingly, our heart will turn into heart of truth and spiritual love will grow in us.

The sinful natures that are deeply rooted in our heart can be thrown away when we pray fervently with the fullness of the Holy Spirit. We also need to see with the eyes of love even those who we hate. We need to try to show goodness to them.

As we keep on trying this way, we will soon

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The Confession of Faith

- 1. Manmin Central Church believes that the Bible is God-breathed Word that is perfect and flawless.
- 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 the redeeming blood of Jesus Christ.

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"[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)

realize that hatred has disappeared from our heart and we are able to love them. We won't have any conflict with or hate anybody, and thus, we will be happy as if we were in heaven.

People often say it is like heaven when they are very happy. Having heaven in our heart means our heart is free of untruths and it is only filled with goodness and love. If this is the case, we don't have to try to be patient about anything. We will just love everyone, so we will always be joyful and happy. The more you're free of evil in your heart, the less you'd have to try to be patient. If you have cultivated spiritual love, you don't try to be patient, but in peace you can just wait for others to be changed.

In heaven there is only goodness and love. There is no hatred or anger there. You won't have to suppress anything or any feelings at all there. Therefore, God has nothing to be patient about because He is love itself. Still He says love is patient. It's because it is how we can understand spiritual love and cultivate it.

Dear Brothers and sisters,

God wants even the evil ones to be changed, and He is patient with them. Let us realize His love, become patient like Him, and cultivate spiritual love so that we can be full of happiness and joy on this earth as well as in the kingdom of heaven, I pray this in the name of the Lord!

Feature Story Series of 12th Anniversary of Evangelism in Israel

Editor's Note: 2019 marks the 12th year of the start of our missionary works in Israel. Spreading the gospel in Israel is one of the visions that God gave to our church since its opening. Manmin News wants to give thanks to God through the feature stories about the Israeli mission, and we look forward to greater and more amazing works that will be manifested in the future.







Israel Has God's Delicate Providence of Human Cultivation

God chose the land of Israel to let the people understand His providence in creating and cultivating human beings. God established Abraham as the father of faith, and made Abraham's grandson Jacob as the father of the nation of Israel, to which He proclaimed His will later.

When the sons of Israel obeyed God's Word, they enjoyed great honor and prosperity as a great people and nation. However, when they departed from God and disobeyed Him, they were attacked by neighboring countries. Sometimes they were dispersed all around the world and suffered.

Israel is the birthplace of Jesus. It is the place where He preached the gospel in person. And yet, it is still a Jewish state where they still wait for their Messiah. Soon after the opening of our church, God gave us the duty to spread the gospel in Israel telling us even the Jews would one day come to repentance through the return of the gospel to Israel.

2004 Manmin Pilgrimage, Actual Starting Point of Israeli Mission

Our church has gone on pilgrimages to Israel since 1989, and each time God has given us optimal weather conditions. He also gave us the inspiration of the Holy Spirit so that we could feel like we were living the Bible.

Especially, for the 2004 Manmin Pilgrimage, God told us we'd be united in the space of the Lord and gain a significant deal of spiritual knowledge. It was a step toward Israeli mission that started in 2007. Going around Galilee, the main stage of Jesus's ministry, and the towns around it, we couldn't pass even a pebble or a blade of grass without feeling vestiges of His presence. In Jerusalem, we felt sorry that it seemed the orthodox Jews didn't have the light of true grace of God in them. However, at Gethsemane, we felt as if we were hearing the earnest prayers of Jesus. Seeing the Via Dolorosa, the crucifixion location and the tomb of Jesus, we could have deep communication with God.

Missionary Works All Over Israel from 2007 to 2009

On July 25, 2007, our Senior Pastor Rev. Jaerock Lee and his delegation began our Israeli mission from Nazareth, preaching the gospel of Jesus Christ and manifesting works of God's power.

The local pastors were comforted and strengthened. They established a local pastor's association called Crystal Forum, and they held the Israel United Crusade in September 2009 at ICC, International Convention Center, in Jerusalem. Rev. Jaerock Lee delivered the messages there. He testified about God the Creator and boldly proclaimed that Jesus Christ is the only Messiah. Fiery works of the Holy Spirit followed the messages and many divine healing works took place.

Jesus Christ was preached not just to Christians but even to the orthodox Jews. It was the fulfillment of God's prophecy about the return of the gospel to Israel.

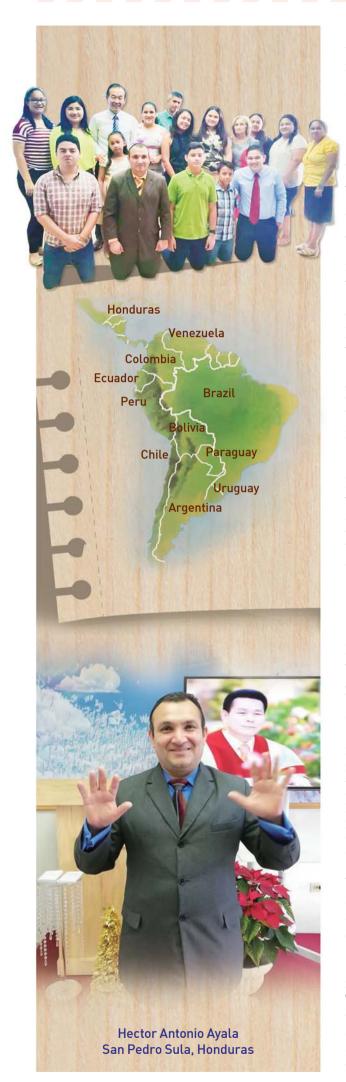
Crystal Forum Plays Central Part in Evangelism in Israel

After 2009 Israel United Crusade, the Christian community in Israel has become much more active. They are holding various events such as Praise Festival, Married Couples Seminars and Youth Seminars.

The Israeli pastors are also seeing the works of repentance and healing that are taking place when they pray for the people with the handkerchiefs on which our Senior Pastor Rev. Jaerock Lee had prayed (Acts 19:11-12). Furthermore, they are conducting meetings and crusades in other countries including the United States, Russia, Bulgaria, and Finland, manifesting amazing works of the Holy Spirit.

The Crystal Forum invites the pastors and performance teams of our church to their pastors' conference, praise festivals, and even to special occasions such as the 70th anniversary of the nation of Israel. They are also learning the ministry of Manmin by participating in the Manmin Summer Retreat and church anniversary events. It is their hope that all the Jews will accept Jesus Christ and none of them will remain here on Earth and suffer the 7-Year Great Tribulation.

We're Born Again by the Word of Life!



One day in 2007, I watched the seminar under the title 'Measure of Faith' on JBN TV in Honduras. I was impressed by the message. I had never heard such a message before, in Honduras or in America.

Registered As a Manmin Member

I searched the Internet and found out that the message was originally preached by Rev. Jaerock Lee, the Senior Pastor of Manmin Central Church in South Korea. I listened to his sermons on the Internet. Listening to such treasure-like messages as Message of the Cross, Heaven, Hell, and Measure of Faith, I received the conviction of my salvation, and I was full of hope of heaven.

I registered in Manmin Church in 2011 via the Internet, but it wasn't easy to attend the live-broadcast of the worship services that were held on the other side of the globe. So, I tried to look for churches that were at least somewhat similar to Manmin church. I went to several churches for Sunday services, but my spiritual longing for Manmin only increased.

In November 2015, I heard good news. The Chairperson of the Pastors' Association of Manmin Central Church, Pastor Soojin Lee was coming to Honduras to lead a meeting. I attended all 3 sessions. I was just thankful for the holiness gospel. I even became emotional by the fact that I could lead a Christian life understanding the will of God properly.

A Local Sanctuary Opened

One day, I came to know about Brother Carlos Leon who was sharing the Senior Pastor's messages on Facebook. I actually went to a church he recommended but my spiritual needs were not met completely. It's because I wanted to find a church that was exactly same as Manmin Central Church.

So, from September 2017, several believers including myself who had the same longing for the Senior Pastor's messages began to take turns to gather and worship together in their houses. Thankfully, we came in contact with Pastor David Jeong Yeong Jang of Colombia Manmin Church, and we came to attend all the worship services and activities of Colombia Manmin church through YouTube. We attended all the Daniel Prayer Meetings and other worship services. Today, there are about 30-40 meetings in Brazil, the United States, Argentina, Venezuela, Ecuador, and Chile that participate in this way.

In March 2018, we got a separate place for ourselves and opened a local sanctuary. Today, we have 18 members who are united in the Holy Spirit in leading our faith life. We are experiencing the love of God and the Lord, divine healing works, and receiving answers to our prayers including financial blessings.

Meeting the Living God through Divine Healing and Financial Blessings

Blanca Claros, age 45, woke up in the middle of the night due to excruciating spinal pain. She couldn't move at all, and she was captured by the fear that she might die. With the help of her daughter she received the prayer for the sick of Rev. Jaerock Lee on video, along with the handkerchief on which Rev. Lee prayed that was placed on her back that was painfully affected. After the prayer, the pain was gone and she became perfectly normal.

Isis Jossely Paz, age 24, sent an email to Manmin Central Church in South Korea asking the Senior Pastor to pray for the healing of her skin disease. She also tried to realize and change herself through prayers. The Senior Pastor prayed for her in South Korea, and she was healed completely transcending time and space. She is filled with hope of heaven now.

Fernando Martínez, age 37, attended the 2002 Honduras Crusade with Rev. Jaerock Lee. He was shocked when he heard the powerful message and witnessed the powerful works of God. He still has the emotions that he had had until now. Nowadays, he learned how to give proper tithes through the messages of the Senior Pastor, and when he has put it into practice, he is receiving financial blessings.

He was also healed of severe headache. His wife also had an extraordinary event. When she saw the face of the Senior Pastor on TV, her shoulder pain disappeared!

Families Come to Have True Faith and Happiness

After the opening of the local sanctuary in Honduras, we are so happy that we can learn many things regarding true faith through the word of life. The messages of Manmin shed the light on the sins and evil in our heart and teach us how to get rid of them. Our faith is growing as we've learned how to pray and how we're supposed to give tithes. We are also trying to circumcise our heart following the examples set by the Senior Pastor.

My children have also been changed since we became Manmin members. They pray in the morning and in the evening, and they are marching toward the city of New Jerusalem, the best dwelling place in heaven. My wife and I are also trying to change ourselves being faithful to God's kingdom, and God gave us financial blessings as well as health.

God of love has called us to become the flock of Manmin and blessed us to lead our lives of faith with the assurance of salvation. Above all, we are getting the best things that we can imagine in faith from the words of life and powerful works of God, given to us by a true servant of God. I am thankful for God's love, and I hope to spread this holiness gospel to as many people as possible.



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