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## “In times of trouble, the church gave me strength and comfort”



Since Dr. Jaerock Lee started Manmin Church in 1982, he has manifested various signs and wonders like the apostles of the early church. He has also healed the sick by the prayer of God's power, and preached the gospel to them.

Especially he has provided scholarship support to students so that they would never give up studying. He has also supported students in need with special lessons, transportation expenses, and student gift cards so that they can focus on studies to achieve their goals.

Brother Bosuk Kim (19) the president of the High School Student Mission said, “Since he learned that my family couldn't afford it, Dr. Jaerock has helped me with tuition for piano lesson from the time I was a freshman. I'm taking special piano lessons for applied music while preparing for college entrance.”

Last August 18, total of 73 including 11 elementary students, 15 middle school students, 15 high school students, and 32 college students received scholarships for the third quarter of 2019.

Deaconess Mijha Suh (52) said, “I was healed of anemia, headache, and depression thanks to Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer. When I couldn't afford the expenses he provided me with living expenses, too. My first daughter also received a scholarship and she got a good job after graduating from college.”

Out of her gratitude, Virginia (46) from Democratic Republic of the Congo said, “When

I came to Korea, I could not get a job, but this church supported me for 10 years and we were able to settle down well.” She now serves the Lord as a cell leader in her parish, as a French interpreter in the church and currently has a job of teaching the culture of DR Congo as well.

His father's sudden death left Brother Ho-Hyun Choi (27) with great debt when he was 10. But he could overcome the situation thanks to the support of the church. He is quoted saying, “When I was high school student, I was so thankful for a laptop computer the church provided because I definitely needed it. If I had not been a Manmin member back then, I wouldn't be what I am today.”

Manmin Church has supported and helped isolated and neglected neighbors. The church still provides members who cannot afford basic everyday needs with living expenses and meals.

In particular, the church has supported those who couldn't afford various dental needs. In 2018 alone, a total of 174 members received the support for their dental implants and dentures.

Additionally, the church has provided five public offices and two community welfare centers with 70 whole bags of rice every month. It also practices the love of the Lord through various community activities such as a heating and cooking briquette program, kimchi sharing, funeral support service, service for prison inmates, and hair dressing support.

### The Church on the Word of God and Jesus Christ

Pastor Vladimir Osipov,  
St. Petersburg, Russia

The moment I arrived in Korea, I felt the waterfall-like flow of God's love. There were moments of experiencing God's abiding with me. Every Manmin member welcomed me with a smile and served me with love. I met many new members from abroad who came for the Manmin Summer Retreat, but they felt like a family that I've known for years.



In the Gospel of John, Chapter 9 a man born blind said, “We know that God does not hear sinners; but if anyone is God-fearing and does His will, He hears him.” Manmin's ministry has been full of the amazing works of God's power through Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer and the countless testimonies that have been received. Jesus said in John 4:48, “Unless you people see signs and wonders, you simply will not believe.”

Manmin Central Church correctly teaches the word of God. It correctly teaches us to keep the Lord's Day holy. With the love of the Lord, the word of God teaches us how to lead a life of holiness practicing the word of God. As I listen to the word of holiness, I can feel the heart of God, come to love Him, and have desire to live by His word.

Since I received tremendous grace through this word of holiness, I will take a part in Manmin's Ministry to preach the word of holiness till the end. Thanks to prayer and support of Manmin, we could establish Mission centers, and a seminary college in Russia.

In the Lord are the powerful word of God and the works of the Holy Spirit. Manmin will continue to go on; it will preach the gospel to all over the world and well manage the God-given duties. All glory and thanks to God the Father who set up Manmin Central Church!



# “The Nature of God”

“Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God; and everyone who loves is born of God and knows God. The one who does not love does not know God, for God is love.”  
1 John 4:7-8

Senior Pastor Rev. Jaerock Lee

Love is the most essential nature of God. It is in the highest level among all the natures of God. God is love itself. The love that God gives is the love that sacrificed His only begotten Son for us. This love gives up life just as Jesus did.

We received this love, and thus we ought to love God and keep the commandments of God. As we love each other and gradually resemble God, we can eventually reach the level of sanctification.

## 1. Love – the most essential nature of God

In the Bible which God wrote, God introduced Himself in various ways.

Such examples are as these; God of patience and endurance (1 Peter 3:20, 2 Peter 3:9) God of compassion, mercy, and forgiveness (Psalm 103:8, Isaiah 54:8, Lamentations 3:22, James 5:11), holy and faithful God (1 Samuel 2:2, Hosea 11:12, 2 Corinthians 1:12, 1 Peter 1:16), righteous God who works according to justice with no partiality (2 Chronicles 19:7, Psalm 37:6, Zechariah 9:9, 1 Peter 2:23), perfect God with no variation or shifting shadow (James 1:17).

At times, God is described as ‘a jealous God’ in Exodus 20:5 and Joshua 24:19. But the jealousy of God is completely different from a man’s jealousy that originates in fleshly feelings. It is an emphatic expression of the heart of God who wants no-single-soul to reach the path to death but to come forth as His true children. It is to tell us that to fear and love God is the duty of a man, and that it is to receive blessings (Deuteronomy 10:12-13).

God is the Creator of everything in the universe, and the Governor and the Judge of all things. He is God of justice with no partiality that pays back each person according to what he has done. He commends you for the good things you have done but for the things you have done wrong, God punishes and gives you a trial from time to time.

God does not unconditionally forgive and wait for us only because we are His children. He disciplines us in His justice, and leads us to come out on the path of truth. God treats us with a desire for us enter the everlasting heaven, and come closer to the throne of God.

Only when you feel this heart of God can you understand that His justice is from His love.

If you can understand His love, you can also understand God’s nature. If you study the deep heart of God in the 66 books of the bible, you can see all things begin with His spiritual love and end with the spiritual love.

## 2. The Providence of Human Cultivation began with the Love of God

It was in His love that God created everything in the universe and the first man Adam. God is from everlasting to everlasting. He wanted to share love forever with someone. God wanted true children who could understand His love that is the most essential nature among all else, and love God from the depth of heart.

At His side, God had many spiritual beings such as angels who unconditionally obey God’s commands. But they have no free will which is the most important factor in sharing love. They are like robots; they only obey, but they cannot feel joy, anger, sorrow, and pleasure. They cannot share love from the depth of heart. That’s why God created man in the image of God so that they can share love together.

God created the Garden in Eden, and equipped it with the best environment that the first man, Adam, and Eve could live in. They, however, were not aware of relativity, which made it impossible for them to realize how much God loved them or just how happy their lives really were.

Although God told them that they would surely die if they eat from the tree of knowledge of good and evil, they didn’t know what the things like misfortune or death were. Over time, they forgot the word of God. When the crafty serpent deceived them, they committed sin, which resulted in making all mankind fall into sin.

The God of love foreknew all of this, but He gave Adam and Eve freewill to make a choice. He didn’t force them not to commit sin because He had already hidden His great providence; that being Human Cultivation. The true children that God wishes to acquire are those

who understand the heart of God the Father themselves, obey Him and love Him from the depth of their heart. God knew that only after man experiences hatred, sorrow, pain, misfortune, and so on while being cultivated, can he understand true happiness and love of God.

The first man, Adam, and Eve were driven out of the Garden of Eden because of their sin of disobedience, and the human cultivation finally began. Throughout the process of human cultivation, many people became what God wanted them to be, but there were also many who hurt God’s heart by walking away from God’s will. When people became no better than animals, all human beings except Noah and his family died in the Great Flood of Noah.

Yet, this great flood had the secret of God’s justice and love. That is, God allowed for post-flood people to learn a great lesson and look back on themselves through the Great Flood. God restarted the human cultivation through Noah, the righteous man in his time, showed a rainbow as a sign of a covenant so that the children of God would awaken all the time and get reminded of the lesson.

## 3. God leads man to a level of love through human cultivation

In order to show to the future generations His heart of love and the way of receiving His blessing, God established Abraham as the true example of faith.

By offering Isaac, his only son, who was more precious than his own life, he demonstrated in action his great love for God (John 15:13). God already knew that Abraham would pass the test, but He let Abraham face this test so that love and trust could be well established between God and Abraham.

Abraham was now called a friend of God, and God set him up as the forefather of faith and a good example of human cultivation so that all men could learn from Abraham the way of receiving the blessings God prepared.

God allows tests for churches and individuals. When they pass the test, God gives them blessings. Furthermore, once they set up

## 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.

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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a complete trust-relationship with God, they can receive whatever they ask for from God.

God can do anything. God can give anything. God can give whatever it is with no strings attached. But He blesses and answers you as much as you come forth in truth through human cultivation. That way, you can feel and experience His love little by little through each blessing and answer.

Even when the answer is slow to come, if you know the love of God, you can understand the heart of God who wants to give you the best thing at the best moment. Once you experience the emotion when you receive the answer, you can fully give glory to God. It is through this kind of process that we receive cultivation on this earth to achieve unchanging true love and come closer to all the more perfect love of our

Heavenly Father who is in heaven.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, We should understand that love is the most essential nature of God, and accomplish this unchanging true love. In the name of the Lord, Jesus Christ, that you may be treated preciously not only on the earth but also in heaven, and that you may come closer to thrown of God in New Jerusalem.

FEATURE STORY



## The witness of the Lord even to the remotest part of the earth (5)

“...but you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth.” Acts 1:8

### 2009 Israel Multi-Cultural Festival

On July 23, 2007, when Dr. Jaerock Lee left Seoul to begin his ministry in Israel under God's providence, a mission trip of a total of 777 days finally culminated in the Israel Multi-Cultural Festival which was held in Jerusalem on September 7, 2009.

The festival was held under the auspices of Crystal Forum (Israeli Pastors' Association) in International Convention Center, Jerusalem. Christian media personnel from 36 countries along with many political and financial figures attended and glorified God greatly.

At 6:30 p.m. September 6, 2009, the festival began with opening remarks by Pastor Oleg Hazin, the General Manager of the Crystal Forum, and then Hilik Bar, the holder portfolio of the Ministry of Tourism & Foreign Relations of the Municipality of Jerusalem gave the welcoming message to the congregation.

Manmin Performance team's colorful fan dance, praise and worship followed the message for 30 minutes. When the fiery works of the Holy Spirit filled ICC, the world-renowned revivalist Dr. Jaerock Lee began to deliver the word of God.

### Day 1 – God the Creator

As Dr. Jaerock Lee talked about the only God the Almighty who governs life and death, fortune and misfortune of people, the Creator of all the things in universe and beyond, those who attended the festival responded with applause, and gave great glory and thanks to God.

After the message, when Dr. Jaerock Lee began praying for the sick, the healing works started to take place. When the prayer was about to end, the stage was full of people who were eager to testify to their healings. The amazing works of God's power which can be found in the Bible made the people in attendance shed tears of joy.

Along with Israel local media, other famous world media outlets such as AFP and Reuters covered this 2009 Israel Multi-Cultural Festival. Reporters and writers of Korean Christian media also witnessed



the festival, and covered the festival, which brought great impact on Korean Christian community.

In addition, there were people who experienced the healing works while watching the festival live on TV all over the world. They made phone calls to testify to God's power that transcend time and space.

### Day 2 – Jesus Christ, the Savior

September 7, 2009 was the historic day that Jesus, who was crucified 2000 years ago, was proclaimed the Savior of all mankind while numerous world media members and Israelis were watching.

Dr. Frank Wright, the president of NRB, and Peter Shelish, a member of presidential advisory committee of Russia delivered messages.

After receiving a plaque of appreciation from the festival organization committee, Dr. Jaerock Lee explained, 'Why Jesus is the only Savior' with confidence. And there were more healing testimonies than Day 1. People stood up from wheelchairs, threw away their crutches, took off glasses, and stood free from pains. The healing testimonies continued in ICC till late evening.

### It was broadcast to 220 countries, and resolved the long lasting drought in Israel!

The 2009 Israel Multi-Cultural Festival took place in Jerusalem for 2 consecutive days and was broadcast live by 28 TV stations including GCN, CNL, TBN Russia, Enlace. Five other TV stations such as Daystar of USA broadcast the recording of the festival to 220 nations.

Before leaving Korea, Dr. Jaerock Lee heard about the long lasting drought in Israel, and he prayed for it. At the festival in a live broadcast he prayed to God again to send rain to Israel.

After the festival, it rained in northern Israel. Of special note, there was a great amount of rain in September which is a dry season. This news was covered by 'The Jerusalem Post,' and spread to the whole world through Internet and satellite.





## “The old idol-worshiping village turned into a God-believing village”



Moti Chand (40 yrs. Deli Manmin Church, India)

With no parents and no education, I was a frightened child with no self-confidence. I also had severe pain in my back. In Deli Manmin Church, I received Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer for the sick on tv, and I was healed of my back pain. With a grateful heart, I began preaching the gospel to people, which changed my nature. I was no longer frightened or fearful.

Just as my life was changed thanks to God, I hoped the people in my home village could change as well. Since the village of Gorakhpur in the state of Uttar Pradesh was one of the most remote areas of India. The people there had never heard of Jesus our Savior. So I started praying for them.

I visited the village in May 2018 when a relative got married. I introduced Jesus Christ to those who came for the wedding and other families as well. I told them what was written in the Bible is

taking place now. I then prayed with the handkerchief that Dr. Jaerock Lee prayed on (Acts 19:11-12).

An amazing thing took place in the village! A lady by the name of Seema (35 yrs.) was partially paralyzed. She couldn't walk alone. She couldn't get a job. But after receiving the prayer with the handkerchief of God's Power, she began walking and lifted her left arm.

A 3 year old boy, Ankush, who hadn't walked since birth, began walking after receiving the prayer. When many other people testified that their various pains disappeared, people started to receive the Lord.

Soon my family moved to the village and began preaching the word of God. Although there was no church, people gathered to attend the services of Manmin Central Church, provided by GCNTV HINDI Channel on Youtube. They attended Daniel Prayer Meeting and prayed together everyday.

The people in the village used to

worship idols, but they suffered from various problems. Thanks to Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer for the sick and the prayer with the handkerchief of God's power, however, they were not only healed of diseases, but their problems were also solved.

Anita, my niece, became demon-possessed a year ago. After hearing Dr. Jaerock Lee's sermons, she repented of idol-worshiping, and upon receiving the prayer with the handkerchief, the fire of the Holy Spirit came upon her, and the demon left her. She is now a healthy

student, and her family is happy again.

Manish was healed of an abscess on head, Rosini was healed of leucorrhoea, Prabhu was healed of piles, and Jangbahadur was healed of fever. Durgawati was blessed to deliver a healthy baby. The amazing works of God have continued to take place here. The biggest blessing so far is that we now have a 'in-house-church' with more 50 members.

I give all the thanks and glory to God who blessed me to preach the gospel by the grace of the Lord.



## “The church of life taught me the secret to God's blessing!”

Elder Woo-Yong Yang (71 yrs. 1-5 Parish)



Thanks to my wife's unceasing effort, I registered to Manmin Church in 1992. Because I was born to a family that believed in Buddhism, I knew nothing about God. I couldn't understand the meaning of Christian life. I was only a Sunday-churchgoer.

In May 2000, however, I witnessed the crippled start walking when Dr. Jaerock Lee prayed for the sick on the altar during the 2-week Special Divine Healing Meeting. I realized God is alive and tears came out. Since then, I've kept the Lord's Day holy, and faithfully managed my God given duty.

In 2002, I was invited to Dr. Jaerock Lee's India Miracle Healing Festival. As I watched the works of God's power – more than 3 million people gathered and countless people were healed – I was more assured of the living God and my faith grew stronger.

In June, 2004, I had a serious pain in my abdomen. A doctor diagnosed it as appendicitis, and recommended an immediate surgery. But I went to Dr. Jaerock Lee and told him that

I hadn't given full tithes since I had become bankrupt. After I repented of it, he prayed for me. When I said, “Amen” at the end of the prayer, the pain disappeared. I could eat well again. Later, an examination at a hospital showed no sign of the disease.

After my own experience of meeting the living God, I understood Dr. Jaerock Lee loved God foremost of all, that he loved souls so much and

asked for God's power to lead those souls to the Lord. I was so thankful for this fact.

Since then, there have been many changes to my life. I stopped depending on my knowledge. I've started to run my business in the right way according to Dr. Jaerock Lee's teaching. I abandoned my greedy dreams. I started over from nothing, but I didn't adopt any personally self-benefiting strategies. Even though the situation was pretty bad, I could manage my business. God sent me people who could help my business such as in commercials. Thanks to God's help, my business became prosperous.

The biggest blessing has been that I am so healthy, and that I have no sick body parts at the age of over 70. I am so grateful for this. God has also blessed my wife with health. My wife and I have played a Big Balloon Race, in Manmin Summer Retreat for 7 years.

I give all thanks and glory to God the Father who has blessed me to lead a healthy and valuable life.



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