

“How Great Is the Grace of the Lord who Loved Such a Person as Me!”

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“It was so shocking to me to hear a young man suddenly died at the traffic accident. ‘We may meet with death. Then all that will be awaiting me is hell.’ I became really clear-minded!”

In 1999, when I was 9 years old, I began to attend Yeosu Manmin Church along with my friends. The life in the church was so interesting to me that I loved telling my mother and friends the bible stories, saying, “Do you know why Jesus was hung on the cross and died? It’s because of our sins.”

My Wandering Began at 20

During my puberty, I was shaken in my faith. While I was attending church, I had doubt in my mind. I thought, “Adults have all kinds of experiences, so they can throw them away easily without any lingering desire. God! If I fall into a deep mire of wandering, please take me out of there

and lead me to the right way.” My foolish and stupid thoughts began to be revealed into actions at 20. As a saying goes, “Many a little makes a mickle,” I followed the earthly flow and befriended the world, but hesitated to attend the fellowship in Christ.

Shortly after the graduation from the high school, I got a job and became imbued with the sense of freedom as an adult. And I began to think what I really desired to be, and continually moved into a new company, and at the same time endeavored to cultivate myself attending English school, cultural center, dance school, and so on. I was distanced from the church and my heart became filled with worldly honors, desire for wealth, and earthly pleasure.

I Suffered from Chill and Menstrual Periods

From my childhood I had felt so chilly and trembled that even in summer I had to switch on the electric pad and cover my body with winter blanket. In winter I had to use twofold blankets and switch on electric pad at the highest level. That serious chill caused me to suffer from piercing headache.

One summer night, my family and I went out to the Han River, but I felt too chilly and trembled too much as if I had been drowned into water in cold winter. We had to leave there in 5 minutes. When I took off my padding jumper and went to office in May, my fellow workers welcomed me clapping hands.

They encouraged me saying, “How about taking herbal medicines?” or “I’d recovered after I ate ginseng and red ginseng for one and half a years.” Despite many kinds of recommendations, I didn’t put any of them into action because I was worried of aftereffects. To make matters worse, menstrual period was very serious. Because of that serious pain, I sometimes couldn’t go out of the office but just cried loudly or fainted out. It was often troublesome to fellow workers and seniors in the office. But I never thought of going to hospital. I just tried to ignore that pain because the pain from menstrual periods and chilly pain are different depending on each person.

Wandering between the Church and the World

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In 2004, when I was 23 years old, I went worse and my family was afraid to advise me to turn back and follow the right way. I was not only wandering in faith but in poor condition in body as well. I was really exhausted. I often said to myself, ‘Eunjung, no more! Be on the alert and renew your believing life!’ because I had the knowledge of the Word of God. But I didn’t put my resolution into action.

One day in 2008, I heard that a man of the same Young Adults’ Mission had met with a traffic accident and died on the spot. It was so shocking news to me. ‘Death really happens to us! If I die right now, the destination is hell’ thought I. After that I was afraid of death, and even while crossing the street I had to look around for fear of death.

When I came to think I might die in that spiritual mire, my mind was really converted. And I tried my best to change my life. But it was not easy to pray without ceasing, and to cut off the former manners of life and worldly pleasures. Time continued passing with my foot in the church and the other in the world.

God! Forgive Me!

My mother is Pastor Boksik Kim serving at Manmin Central Church, and my father is Deacon Myungsoo Hwang, a trailer driver doing transporting business. My father has been transporting Muan Water from Muan to Seoul for the last a dozen of years. During my wandering, mother didn’t rebuke or point out to me but instead earnestly prayed the Holy Spirit might move my heart. This prayer of her love finally brought me a chance of my change.

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On November 2, 2009, when the Two Consecutive Daniel

Prayer Meetings began, I came to repent of my past life and sins with tears and runny nose. I shed a lot of tears and sincerely cried to God in prayer, “God! Forgive me my foolish life! From now on I will love only the Lord.” I was so sorry for the last time I had wasted. If I find brothers and sisters who are in the similar shoes of mine, I’d like to tell them, “It’s not too late. Please renew your spiritual strength. Everything on earth is vanity!”

With my change, not only my family but also my guidance teacher and mission members rejoiced greatly. I felt sorry to Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee more than to anyone else. But when I think how happy he would be to see I had come out of darkness and now is shining bright lights through his patient prayer and love, I am always comforted.

I am so happy like walking on a cloud

On December 13, 2009 my family and I came to Senior Pastor to greet him. I requested him to pray for me with two prayer titles: the healing of severe chill and menstrual periods. Reading my prayer requests, he said to me, “It’s proper to feel cold in cold winter and feel hot in hot summer” and prayed for me. That night I believed that I had been healed by his prayer, and took off very thick coat and instead put on light clothes and went out. I felt no chilly anymore. When I ran up, I felt I was sweating-!

I used to wear a padding jumper even in May before, but I walked around in light clothes taking off the jumper in the cold winter, and the people around me were so surprised. In addition, my menstrual periods were recovered and I have not taken menstrual leave for 3 months. All these changes were made possible because God saw my little efforts to live by His word and gave me His grace and love enough to practice His word. How great His grace is toward me who is nothing!

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An Extraordinary Rainbow Appears over Manmin Central Church

Symbolized by the Fulfillment of God’s Covenant, In the Form of a Ring Featured with a Diamond



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The globe is seriously suffering from frequent natural disasters and various problems in politics, economics, and society. The extraordinary rainbow that looked like a ring whose top is a diamond that appeared in this dark world was a sign of the fulfillment of God’s covenant of blessing that has been given to Manmin by God and will shine the whole world with true light.

On April, 14, extraordinary rainbows appeared over the tower of the cross on the building of the church for 2 hours from 9:30 until 11:30. One rainbow looked like a ring whose top is engraved with a diamond at the place of the shining sun, and the other was a circular one surrounding the sun.

It was so clean and sunny from early morning. Church members were praying in the sanctuary and pastors were busy in departing from the church to pay a visit to new believers. Pastor Rainbow Sungchil Lee found a rainbow on the sky and said, “I saw a small bow-shaped rainbow around the sun at first, but it was becoming bigger and clearer, and finally a rainbow passing through the sun and a circular rainbow around the sun appeared.” Many church members said to one another, “Rainbow didn’t appear over the church without giving us blessings. This time we are

also expecting another blessing.” A few dwellers living near the church stopped and watched the rainbows.

When these rainbows were presented on video or picture, other members also became filled with hope and love. It is because they know this rainbow is the sign of God’s fulfillment of His promise and plan for the third stage of the history of Manmin Central Church including the world evangelization with the holiness gospel, the construction of the Canaan Sanctuary and Grand Sanctuary, and the qualification of entering into the City of New Jerusalem.

Rainbows usually appear on a clear day after it rains. Many members of Manmin Central Church see various forms of rainbows on a sunny day, including circular, linear, twin, symmetric, double, triple, and fourfold rainbows. On the 15th day of May in 1998, a circular rainbow appeared

around the sun for the first time, and from that time on, whenever we held church events and did God’s works in the name of Manmin, various shapes of rainbows have appeared and God has been glorified.

God gave many promises to those whom He loves. His promises were given Adam the father of mankind, and Abraham, the father of faith and after the Flood, Noah received His promises. Genesis 9:3 reads, “Every moving thing that is alive shall be food for you; I give all to you, as I gave the green plant.”

The 4th chapter of the Book of Revelation depicts the rainbow surrounding the throne of God. When the apostle John saw God who was sitting on His throne, he confessed, “He who was sitting was like a jasper stone and a sardius in appearance; and there was a rainbow around the throne, like an emerald in appearance,”

and again “Out from the throne come flashes of lightning and sounds and peals of thunder. And there were seven lamps of fire burning before the throne, which are the seven Spirits of God” (Revelation 4:3, 5). The rainbow refers to the covenant of God and also its fulfillment and His power.

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True Value

"More than that, I count all things to be loss in view of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them but rubbish so that I may gain Christ." (Philippians 3:8)

We have only one life. Thus, we cannot invest our precious lives for something that is so meaningless and valueless. In this message, let me introduce to you some patriarchs of faith who discovered what is truly most precious and devoted their lives to get it. Through their beautiful life stories, I hope you will also keep in mind once again what the most precious thing is.

First is the life of the apostle Paul. Paul was a Jew, the elect of God, and a Pharisee who strictly kept the Law. He was born a citizen of the Roman Empire, and he studied under Gamaliel, who was the foremost scholar of the time. He had the highest qualifications physically and spiritually, and thus, he had great pride in it. He liked winning in debates with others through his knowledge, and he did not accept what was not right in his view. He was full of pride, but from the time that he met the Lord Jesus on his way to Damascus, his life changed completely. He considered all the things as rubbish that he used to consider precious and enjoy. He gained the most valuable thing, which is the eternal kingdom of Heaven. He tried all his best to preach the gospel so that other people might also reach this Heaven.

He confessed in Philippians 3:7-9, "But whatever things were gain to me, those things I have counted as loss for the sake of Christ. More than that, I count all things to be loss in view of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them but rubbish so that I may gain Christ, and may be found in Him," and he gave his everything, and he counted everything he used to consider precious to be but rubbish. He gave his wealth, fame, and time, and he received harsh persecutions and sufferings joyfully if that was for preaching the gospel. Finally he sacrificed his life for the gospel.

All things on this earth will finally change and perish. But if you have Heaven in your heart, its value never changes. To the extent that the level of your faith and the goodness of your heart increase, the value of Heaven will only increase. As your soul prospers, all things go well with you, you will be healthy, and your spiritual power will increase. The more you cast away your greed, the greater the blessing you can receive from God and the greater the glory you can



Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

enjoy in Heaven (2 Corinthians 5:13-14). I hope you will advance into the most precious Heaven with all your heart, mind, and soul, being in the love of Christ who controls us.

The second is Nicodemus and the believers of the early church.

Nicodemus was a Pharisee and a ruler of the Jews. He came to Jesus at night and heard about the rebirth and the secret of eternal life. He thought Jesus was a man of God, but he still had some fear left in his mind. So, he came to Jesus at night when nobody could see him. But later this Nicodemus changed completely. He openly and boldly spoke for Jesus before the Pharisees who were planning to kill Jesus. And after the crucifixion, he brought a mixture of myrrh and aloes for the funeral of Jesus.

By meeting Jesus, Nicodemus gained the truth for which he was desperately longing, and he realized the true value of life. Because this true value was so precious, he gained the boldness to say what is right is right even if it meant he could lose his high position and power, or even his life.

The same goes for the martyrs of the early church. From the resurrection of the Lord until Christianity became official in the Roman Empire in 313 AD, there had been severe persecutions against Christians. The believers had to face so many persecutions just to keep their faith, even though they didn't do anything evil. If they were caught, after being tortured they became the prey of lions or they were crucified. They encouraged one another to keep the faith. Even when they stood before ferocious lions, they accepted their death being at peace, praising God.

Third is Two Witnesses.

The Two Witnesses' ministry, which is recorded in the book of Revelation, will be unfolded during the Seven-year Great Tribulation. They constantly have the conflict in heart thinking, "Is this faith really true? Or it is the Christ that Christians are talking about? Is my faith meaningless?" They have been praying to God to show them what the real truth is and to show them the evidence. For them to accept Jesus Christ means they have to forsake everything they have in their lives in their society. Also, it is by no means something easy to be left on this earth for the period of the seven-year tribulation, risking their lives in order to preach the gospel. They will perform great power of God in their ministry and people will be afraid of them, but when the time comes they will be captured by the anti-Christ and martyred.

At one moment nearing the Seven-year Tribulation, they will come in contact with the gospel of holiness and the powerful works of God, and they will understand the true value. They will realize that Jesus Christ is the true Savior for mankind and the Messiah for whom they had been waiting. They will understand that their prayers to understand the truth are answered. Now, as they come to understand the most precious thing, they determine to give their lives for the Lord. Even when they are left on this earth for the Seven-year Tribulation, even when they are persecuted by the power of the anti-Christ, their fervor for their duty never cools down. After they fulfill their duties, they will reach a position in Heaven that is glorious to the utmost degree.

Jesus promised us, the believers, the most precious glory of Heaven by taking the sufferings of the wretched cross. Many patriarchs who received this promise of Heaven showed us an example of faith. Do not forget the glory of God the Father that will soon be revealed before your eyes. I pray in the name of the Lord that you will only march towards the true value in every moment of your lives.

For additional information or to read the message's text in its entirety, please visit Manmin Central Church on the web at (www.manmin.org), select the "English" menu, and click on "Words of Life."

News Break

2010 Church-wide Evangelism Campaign and Contest

The 2010 Church-wide Evangelism Contest is held from May 2 until June 2 under the supervision of the Evangelism Committee of the church. Evangelism is the Great Commission of the Lord and the duty of all believers. Any of believers can do it if he/she realizes the love of God who counts a single soul more valuable than the whole universe. Many members of the church are expected to participate in this campaign to save more souls with the wisdom and spiritual courage given by the Holy Spirit. At this evangelism contest will be awards for persons, missions, groups and special cases.

Filipino Pastors' Visitation to Manmin

From the 16th until 22nd of April we had 7-day visitation of two Filipino pastors, Bishop Robert Neri, Chairman of Christian Bishops and Ministers Association of the Philippines and Vice President of All Creation Christian Network of Ministries International, and Bishop Celso M. San Jose, Founder and President of Masters Seminary, President of Evangelical Council of Independent Bishops of the Philippines and Secretary of All Creation Christian Network Ministries International. They were so touched at the worship services and Daniel Prayer Meeting, and visited Manmin TV Station, Muan Sweet Water Site, Rainbow Rising Village (Welfare Center for the Elderly).



Bishop Robert Neri (right) and Bishop Celso San Jose(left) along with Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

Holy Spirit Fullness Prayer Meeting with Ms Boknim Lee at the Suwon Local Sanctuary

On April 20, the Holy Spirit Fullness Prayer Meeting with Mrs. Boknim Lee President of Manmin Prayer Center took place at Suwon Local Sanctuary and 110 people attended. President Boknim Lee, after delivering a short message, led the prayer meeting with prayer warriors and district leaders of the 28th Parish. When they laid the handkerchiefs on the people in attendance, many repented of their sins with tears and runny nose, and were filled with and influenced and scorched by the Holy Spirit, and even received the gift of tongues. And through President Lee's healing prayer with the handkerchief, they were healed of severe chill, cystitis, and arthritis, and glorified God.



President Boknim Lee praying for the people in attendance at the Holy Spirit Fullness Prayer Meeting in Suwon Local Sanctuary

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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.
4. Manmin Central Church believes in the resurrection and ascension of Jesus

5. 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)

Dr. Jaerock Lee Selected as One of the Top 10 Most Influential Christian Leaders of 2009

at www.invictory.org and www.christiantelegraph.com the Largest Christian Website in the Russian-speaking Communities



Christian Telegraph (www.christiantelegraph.com) and Invictory (www.invictory.org) selected Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee as one of the top 10 most influential Christian leaders of 2009. He was listed as TV Speaker of 2009 for his sermon has been being broadcast to many affiliate churches around the world and conducted the 2009 Israel United Crusade. Christian Telegraph and Invictory surveyed the pastors and Christian leaders who had the most influential power in the Christian communities of the globe, and selected and announced the top 10 most powerful pastors and revivalists. Under the permission from the Invictory Media, we are going to deal with the whole article in the same way it is on the website <http://www.christiantelegraph.com/issue8525.html>.



Serhiy Velbovets is the president of Invictory Christian Media Group with offices in USA, Canada and Ukraine. He holds degrees in computer technologies, international economics and theology. In 2000 he created the Christian portal in Russian language which is now the largest Christian website in post-soviet countries with millions of visits each month.



Rick Warren
newsmaker of the year

Pastor of the famous church in the USA - Saddleback Church, became one of the most important newsmakers in the year of 2009. He led the prayer during President Obama's inauguration, took stand to protect Christian values in America. His name most often appeared in the news headlines than the names of other Christian ministers.



Brian Huston
media person of the year

Senior pastor of the Hillsong church Sydney that has its affiliate churches in capital cities of many other countries received the title of the media person 2009. Pastor Huston and his team began to actively use social Internet services in their ministry. The new worship album of Hillsong United jumped to top positions of the world charts and became the leader of downloads on the Internet. Also a major presentation of Hillsong TV-project The I Heart Revolution: We're All In This Together was held in Sydney this year.



Rick Joyner
teacher of the year

The head of the MorningStar Ministries took the role of referee and spiritual mentor of Todd Bentley, who left the ministry in 2008 after the scandal following the divorce with his first wife. In the video interview Rick Joyner took with Todd and his new wife, he tried to show the root of the problem that happened with the young minister and to teach other Christians to escape such problems in the future.



Yonggi Cho
pastor of the year

Pastor of the biggest church in the world, which is based in Seoul, South Korea, held a major conference for pastors. Thousands of Christian leaders from all around the globe came to take part in the conference. Despite of his age Yonggi Cho still continues to build his church and to teach pastors from all over the world to build affective and growing ministry.



John Maxwell
motivator of the year

One of the most famous Christian writers entered a popular social network on the Internet in 2009. Now he has even more opportunities to share the principals of successful Christian life. His books continue to influence an enormous number of people all around the world, no matter whether they are Christians or not.



Morris Cerrullo
evangelist of the year

Evangelist with the name known all around the world visited countries of the former USSR in 2009. During his seminars with Christian pastors and leaders, the evangelist shared secrets of successful evangelism. Morris Cerrullo came with his grandson who took over the ministry of his grandfather.



Jaerock Lee
TV evangelist of the year

Pastor of a mega-church in Seoul, South Korea, gave much importance to development of television ministry in his church in 2009. Even in affiliate Manmin churches during the service there are pastor's Lee sermons broadcasted from the central church. Together with the TBN channel, a major Israel tour was held by Manmin church. Thousands of Christians from Israel as well as from around the world had a chance to view the tour through television.



T.D. Jakes
preacher of the year

One of the most important preachers and a pastor of a big church in the United States of America visited Kiev, Ukraine in 2009. The goal of this visit was to preach for thousands of Russian-speaking Christians during the conference and to millions who watched the conference through television. Despite the economical downfall in the USA, Jakes' ministry grew and became more affective last year.



Michael Bickle
man of prayer 2009

Founder of the International House of Prayer gathered about 500 000 people to take part in the international interdenominational prayer against abortions in Kansas. At his initiative a day and night prayer for the country and for God's guidance for America began. The prayer movement grew around the country and prayer meetings are now being held in different states.



Mark Andersen
the strategist of the year

Initiator of the Christian movement Call2All thought out the plan of affective evangelism and mobilization of all Christian resources in different countries of the world. Conferences dedicated to development of evangelism strategies, are being held all around the world, even in countries forbidden for the Gospel.