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Hoping Indonesian Churches Will Be Like Manmin



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I minister to a church while teaching the gospel to children and students of various churches. I mentor a few churches and I also aid American pastors who are ministering in Jakarta. My wife and 3 sons are all ministers, too.

Including myself, 123 Indonesian pastors attended a seminar in early May. We heard from the speaker Pastor Soojin Lee about the secret of Manmin Church's revival and the reason why Jesus Christ is the only Savior. We were filled with the Holy Spirit and it was a chance to increase our faith. I could feel the presence of the Lord.

I am thankful for this seminar, and I hope all Indonesian churches will be like Manmin Central Church that loves God.

Manmin Central Church has spiritual transformation through faith and holiness. It is a church where all who worship there can be blessed regardless of the

denomination. I'd like to learn more about the prayer life and the importance of worship service and spread it Indonesia.

In the seminar I was amazed by the video about the power of God manifested in the international ministry of Rev. Jaerock Lee. I was so surprised to learn that he conducted a crusade in the Islam nation of Pakistan. I'd like to invite Rev. Jaerock Lee to Indonesia that has the greatest Muslim population in the world to have a crusade.

When Pastor Soojin Lee prayed

with the handkerchief on which Rev. Jaerock Lee prayed (Acts 19:11-12), Pastor Martha Dendeng was healed of chronic knee arthritis and gave her testimony. I was sure it was God's blessing.

In the Sunday morning service, we received Rev. Jaerock Lee's prayer for the sick on video, and I felt the fullness of the Spirit coming upon everyone.

I hope all the Indonesian pastors will become powerful ministers like Rev. Jaerock Lee and win many souls. May God's love and blessings be with you always!



My Mother and Sister Received Life before Death

I came to know about Manmin Central Church through Rev. Wilson John Gil when I was 11. A couple of years later, my younger sister Cynthia was dying of Celiac disease, but she was healed when Rev. Jaerock Lee prayed on her photo in Korea.

In 2000, Pakistan United Crusade with Rev. Jaerock Lee was held in Lahore, Pakistan. I managed 500 young volunteers for the crusade. It was an unprecedented crusade in Pakistan with numerous signs and wonders manifested.

There was also a great revival after Rev. Lee visited Pakistan. The gospel was spread rapidly, and people listened to Rev. Jaerock Lee's sermons on Isaac TV. Many couples received blessing of conception through his prayer. There is a Muslim woman who testified she was healed of her heart disease after she was prayed on by Rev. Lee in her dream.

In July 2018, my mother had heart pain and difficulty in breathing when she lost consciousness. Both her kidneys were failing and water filled her

lung. The diagnosis was kidney failure and heart disease. The doctor said she'd die within 24 hours. They had to start dialysis immediately.

My father, Rev. Wilson John Gill, sent an email to Manmin Church to receive prayer from Rev. Jaerock Lee. The person in charge sent a video of Rev. Lee's prayer for the sick. She received this prayer and was healed, and she no longer had to get the dialysis. Hallelujah!

I was 18 when Rev. Jaerock Lee had the 2000 Pakistan United Crusade. He prayed for my studies and future. Later, I graduated from Holiness Theological Seminary of Pakistan and was ordained as a pastor. I finished Manmin International Seminary course through Internet as well.

In 2018, I became a council member of Punjab state, the most populous state in Pakistan. I give all thanks and glory to God the Father and the Lord!



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Fruit of Patience

“But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.” Gal. 5:22-23

Senior Pastor Rev. Jaerock Lee

If we endure everything in goodness, we'll be able to overcome hardships with hope. As a result, we will have a broader heart. Even if we're wrongfully accused, we will just try to let the other person clear the misunderstanding. If we can reach this level, the words 'patience' or 'forgiveness' won't be necessary. This state is what spiritual patience is like.

There is also patience in the Love Chapter (1 Cor. 13). That patience is the patience needed to cultivate love. The patience as in one of the fruits of the Spirit is higher than that in the Love Chapter. It is patience about everything. Let's take a closer look at this fruit of patience.

1. Fruit of Patience

1) Patience to Change One's Heart

The more evil we have in our heart, the more difficult it is to be patient. If we have anger, arrogance, greed, and self-righteousness, we will easily get provoked and have hard feelings. However, to the extent that we cast away sins and evil and cultivate holiness, it becomes easy to be patient. We'll be able to forgive and understand without having to suppress hard feelings.

Luke 8:15 says, “But the seed in the good soil, these are the ones who have heard the word in an honest and good heart, and hold it fast, and bear fruit with perseverance.” Those who have good soil can be patient until they bear fruit.

For us to cultivate our heart and make it good soil, hard effort and endurance is necessary. We have to pray fervently and fast and make ourselves obedient. We should quit what we like if it is not spiritually beneficial. We must not stop mid-way just because it is hard.

We have to continually pray to change our heart until the sin natures are cast out. We must patiently try looking forward to the time of seeing ourselves transformed. When we cultivate holiness with faith in this way, all things will prosper and we will be healthy, even as our soul prospers.

2) Patience with Regards to People

When people with different personalities and educations congregate, they might have some difficulties. Especially in a church that is a place where many different kinds of people gather, peace might be broken due to different opinions. However, those who long for holiness will maintain peace in any situation and with any kind of person. They serve others even if it means they have to suffer discomfort.

They always understand others and serve others' interests with a good heart. Even if others act out in evil, they don't pay it back with evil but only with goodness. We also need to be patient when we spread the gospel and care for the souls. We should be patient with them with the hope that they will someday change.

As we sow the seeds of patience in this way, we will definitely reap the fruit in God's justice. As we pray for the souls with tears and patience until they change, we'll be able to have a broad heart to accept many people. It means we will get the authority to save many souls. It's the power to change their hearts through the prayer of the righteous. If we sow the seed of patience in any unfavorable situation, God will let us reap the fruit of blessing.

3) Patience with Regards to God

Mark 11:24 says, “Therefore I say to you, all things for which you pray and ask, believe that you have received them, and they will be granted you.” God gave us many promises that He'd answer us.

However, in many cases we don't receive the answer because we're not patient enough. God knows everything, so He answers us at the most appropriate time. If we're asking for something big, we have to fill the amount of prayer to get the answer.

Daniel began to pray to receive the interpretation of spiritual things. God answered him as soon as he started his prayers. However, it took 21 days until Daniel actually received the answer.

Daniel prayed with an unchanging heart for 21 days. If we genuinely believe we've already received the answer, it is not hard to be patient, because we'll think of the joy that we'll have when we receive the answer.

James 1:6-8 says, “But he must ask in faith without any doubting, for the one who doubts is like the surf of the sea, driven and tossed by the wind. For that man ought not to expect that he will receive anything from the Lord, being a double-minded man, unstable in all his ways.”

The important thing is how much trust we had in God when asking Him. If we really believe in receiving the answer, we'll be happy in any situation. We'll just keep on praying with faith until we have God's answer in our hands. Also, when we go through trials of heart or persecutions for the Lord's sake, patience is absolutely necessary for us to bear good fruit.

2. Fathers of Faith with Patience

Hebrews 12:1-2 says, “Therefore, since we have so great a cloud of witnesses surrounding us, let us also lay aside every encumbrance and the sin which so easily entangles us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of faith...”

Jesus suffered all kinds of mockeries and contempt coming from those He created. However, because He knew that He would sit on the right hand of God and that salvation would come to all mankind, He endured all the contempt and shame.

He died on the cross taking the sin of all mankind, and opened the way of salvation by resurrecting on the 3rd day. As He fulfilled the duty of the Savior, He sat on the right hand of God as the King of kings and the Lord of lords.

How was it with Jacob? He was on the run from his brother Esau for his life. And while he was sleeping with a rock for a pillow, he had a God-given dream. He kept it in mind and endured the 20-year trials to finally become the father of all Israelites.

Jacob's son Joseph was sold as a slave into

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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Egypt by his half-brothers. He was wrongfully accused and put in prison. However, he was never disheartened. He believed in God's promise given through his dream in his childhood. He trusted in God who was always watching him. He firmly believed in His love. He never lost his hope and endured while showing faithfulness in all things. Finally, he became the prime minister of Egypt.

David had many life-threatening situations running away from King Saul, but he endured with faith and made himself into a big enough vessel to an excellent king.

James 1:3-4 says, "...knowing that the testing

of your faith produces endurance. And let endurance have its perfect result, so that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing." I hope you will cultivate perfect patience. That endurance will increase your spiritual faith and broaden and mature your heart. You will definitely experience God's blessing and answer if we cultivate patience completely.

Dear brothers and sisters, Psalm 126:5-6 says, "Those who sow in tears shall reap with joyful shouting. He who goes to and fro weeping, carrying his bag of seed, Shall indeed come

again with a shout of joy, bringing his sheaves with him." There certainly is toil, tears, and sorrow when we sow the seeds and grow them. However, at the end is the joy of harvest.

God endured the pain of giving up His only begotten Son in order to gain true children with whom He could share true love forever. The Lord also endured the cross, and the Holy Spirit also endures for us with groanings too deep for words. May you remember the love of the Triune God and cultivate complete patience, so that you will get abundant harvest not only on this earth but also in the kingdom of heaven, I pray this in the name of the Lord.

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Can't those who died without hearing the gospel go to heaven?

A God prepared the way of human salvation since a time before the ages, so that anyone who believes in Jesus Christ could be saved. About 2,000 years ago, Jesus came to this earth in human flesh and was crucified to redeem all men from their sins. He then overcame death and resurrected on the 3rd day.

Therefore, in the New Testament era, one can be saved if we confess with our mouth Jesus as Lord, and believe in our heart

that God raised Him from the dead (Rom. 10:9).

God of love and justice has also made provisions for those people who died without hearing the gospel, or those who lived in the Old Testament era.

In the Bible, the standard of judgment for the sons of Israel was the Law in the Torah. However, the standard of judgment for those who haven't heard the gospel is their conscience, which is the standard to discern between good and evil in one's heart.

God Wants All Men to be Saved



Judgment of Conscience

Rom. 2:14-15 says, "For when Gentiles who do not have the Law do instinctively the things of the Law, these, not having the Law, are a law to themselves, in that they show the work of the Law written in their hearts, their conscience bearing witness and their thoughts alternately accusing or else defending them," Namely, the conscience becomes the Law and according to the actions of the conscience one's salvation is decided. This is judgment of conscience.

Therefore, for those who did not know the Law in the Old Testament times or those who didn't hear the gospel in the New Testament, if they act according to the conscience of goodness, it means they kept the Law. However, if they know it is evil in their conscience and yet commits evil anyway, and if they don't act in goodness knowing it is good, it is same as violating the Law.



Hearing the Gospel in the Upper Grave

Those who are saved by the judgment of conscience can't go into heaven directly. They go to the Upper Grave, which is like a waiting place in heaven. The counterpart for this place for hell would be the Lower Grave, Sheol or the Grave.

In 1 Peter 3:19, we can see Jesus preached the gospel to the souls in the Upper Grave after He died on the cross and before His resurrection. John 5:28-29 says, "...for an hour is coming, in which all who are in the tombs will hear His voice, and will come forth; those who did the good deeds to a resurrection of life, those who committed the evil deeds to a resurrection of judgment." Those who hear the gospel in the Upper Grave will be saved by the name of Jesus Christ and go to heaven.



God Gives Us Back According to Our Deeds

Even today, if there is anyone who dies without hearing the gospel, he'd be judged in accordance with the judgment of conscience. Those who have good conscience and can be saved will go to the Upper Grave, hear the gospel, accept Jesus Christ and receive salvation. God also distinguishes the glory of heaven for those who are saved by the judgment of conscience, according to each one's righteousness and goodness.

God prepared the way of salvation since before the ages to save as many souls as possible, and He also pays back according to each one's deeds even in heaven in order to give them the best things.

“Healed of Atopic Dermatitis”



Taeho Kim (18, Highschool Senior)

I had severe atopic dermatitis since birth. I had congenital fever all over my body since I was 2-weeks old. It persisted and then atopic dermatitis appeared. My head was full of scabs. My ears kept on discharging ooze. My whole body was affected except hands and feet.

A famous dermatologist said he'd never seen a more serious case. They couldn't give me any medicine because I was too young. The doctors couldn't do anything, so my parents had to just hope I'd get better.

In July 2002, my family was attending Daejeon Manmin Church. At that time, Rev. Jaerock Lee had a one-day crusade in nearby city, so we went there. My condition began getting better after I received his prayer, and I grew up healthy and normal.

However, after I went swimming or did some exercises, I had those rashes again on the inner part of the elbows or behind the knees. I couldn't bear with the itching and scratched. It caused bleeding. In winter there were a lot of dead skin cells falling off.

This year, I heard about special healing sessions. In the past, my parents would take me to receive prayer, but this time, I wanted to give my heart to God and receive complete healing.

For the healing session in February, I registered myself and tried to attend all the worship services in spirit and truth and attended the Daniel Prayer Meeting, too. I also attended the special healing session in March with a longing heart. I received the prayer with the handkerchief on which the Senior Pastor prayed.

And one day in early April, I realized my skin was not itchy any longer. The inner parts of the elbows were rough and they looked like they were burned, but now they were clean and soft. Hallelujah!

Furthermore, the serious acne and milia around my eyes got much better. I give all thanks and glory to God and the Lord for giving me this healing answer.

“I Am Happy After I Met the Lord”

Monica Wanjiku (29, Nairobi Manmin Church, Kenya)

I accepted Pastor George's invitation to Nairobi Manmin Church and attended the special healing meeting there on Oct. 7, 2018. The atmosphere was gracious and I was amazed to see so many people getting healed by the prayer with handkerchief of power (Acts 19:11-12).

My Christian life is a series of answers and blessings from God. My mother couldn't walk well due to right ankle pain. The diagnosis was she had a tumor in the ankle that could metastasize to her bone marrow and cause many complications. They had to remove it, so the surgery was scheduled in October.

I was worried about her and received Rev. Myong Ho Cheong's prayer. My mother was living in France, so he put the handkerchief prayed on by Rev. Jaerock Lee on top of my mother's photo. On the day of the surgery, they did the final exam, and they found something miraculous. The tumor was completely gone! Hallelujah!

The doctor was very surprised and did the exam 3 more times, and the results were the same. It was God's healing! My mother is very healthy now.

After having this experience, I also received prayer for my sister with whom we lost contact. She went to the UK 16 years ago, and we lost contact several years ago. Rev. Myong Ho Cheong prayed on her photo with the handkerchief, and this past January she contacted us. I was so happy to hear that she was doing well.



My 4-year-old daughter couldn't walk or run well due to the pain and swelling in her left ankle, but after receiving the handkerchief prayer, both pain and swelling disappeared. She can walk and run well now. My son drank unsanitary water and got severe stomachache that stopped him from going to school for 3 days. But the pain disappeared right after receiving prayer and he went to school the next day. Through prayers, I am receiving financial blessings since I got more customers than before.

It's only been 8 months since I accepted the Lord, and God is giving me so much blessing. I am spreading the love of this good God and the Lord, and in this past March, I gave my testimonies in the Sunday morning service and in New Comers' event to give glory to God.

After attending Manmin Church I experienced that nothing is impossible in the Lord. I give all thanks and glory to God the Father who blessed my whole family!



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