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“Emotion and Joy Overflowed in the Holy Spirit’s Explosive Power!”

The 2012 Pastors’ Seminar and Handkerchief Healing Crusade Conducted with Pastor Soojin Lee in Lima, Peru



Countless people came up to the stage to give their healing testimonies after being healed of many diseases through the handkerchief prayer (Speaker Pastor Soojin Lee)

In Peru, Latin America, Pastors’ Seminar and Handkerchief Healing Crusade were conducted with Pastor Soojin Lee, President of Pastors’ Association of Manmin Central Church and Vice Chairperson of United Holiness Church of Jesus Christ. The glory of God was greatly revealed there.

On April 13, Handkerchief Healing

Crusade was held in Carabayo (Acts 19:11-12). At the beginning of the meeting a local praise team led the preliminary praise and the video entitled ‘The Power of God’ was presented. It describes the ministry of Dr. Jaerock Lee who has led souls all over the world to the Lord with great and amazing power.

Then Manmin Central Church’s performance team overwhelmed the congregation with their outstanding performance. The Power Worship Dance Team performed Korean traditional fan dance and a Peruvian traditional dance. When Deaconess Yoonhee Song, soloist of Manmin Central Church, led praise the people in attendance offered up their fragrant aroma of emotion to God shedding tears.

Pastor Soojin Lee received a plaque of appreciation from Raphael Marcello, Mayor of Carabayo. Then, she delivered the message under the title of “Why is Jesus Our Only Savior?” and earnestly prayed for people with the handkerchief of power.

At that moment, many disabled men stood up from their wheel chairs and

walked around the meeting venue. People came up to the stage in order to testify to their healing. A woman whose breast had rotten due to breast cancer said with a smile her pain was gone. Additionally, the blind came to see and the lame to jump and walk. Joy overflowed on the streets of Carabayo.

Many politicians including Julia Rosa of the leading opposition party attended the meeting. They invited Pastor Lee and the performance team to the National Assembly of Peru saying that they wanted to receive her prayer of blessing.

On April 14, at the Pastors’ Seminar, Pastor Soojin Lee preached the message on “Why is Jesus Our Only Savior?” and “The Keys to the Church Revival.” Pastor Felipe Juamani, chairperson of 2004 Dr. Jaerock Lee’s Peru Healing Crusade Organizing Committee, attended the seminar with approximately 500 other pastors from several Latin countries including Brazil, Venezuela, and Colombia.

After the seminar, they made comments like the following: “I recovered my first love as a Christian.”

“I was filled with the Holy Spirit and received great grace.” “I suffered from pain caused by troubles in my internal organs, but my pain disappeared after I realized what sin is through the message and repented.” In addition to them, through Pastor Soojin Lee’s handkerchief prayer, people were healed of earaches, stomachaches, backaches, and knee pain. Others were set free from diabetes and depression. Many of them recovered better eyesight.

On April 14, Peru Manmin Church held its Sixth Anniversary Service and Handkerchief Healing Meeting. More than 1,100 members filled the sanctuary, halls, stairs, and even bathrooms. Pastor Soojin Lee proclaimed the messages with the titles of “Blessings When You Walk in the Light” and “Take Heaven by Force.” She delivered the messages of hope, saying, “Only when you cast away sins and become sanctified, can you go to Heaven as well as receive blessing on the earth.”

On April 16, the mission team visited the Ventanilla area where about 500 church members reside and added spiritual fullness to them.

In the meantime, Pastor Lee paid a visit to Peruvian National Assembly Building in response to the invitation of Julio Rosa. She met many politicians and discussed not only Peruvian current issues like its politics, economy, and social affairs, but she also established ties for partnership with Manmin Central Church in the future. After the conversation Pastor Soojin Lee prayed for blessing.



Peru Manmin Church’s 6th Anniversary Service



The praise time at the Pastors’ Seminar held in Peru Manmin Church



The performance of Power Worship Dance Team at the Handkerchief of Power Crusade in Carabayo



The mission team’s visit to National Assembly Building of Peru



Pastor Soojin Lee with the church members in Ventanilla

For Where You Go

“But Ruth said, ‘Do not urge me to leave you or turn back from following you; for where you go, I will go, and where you lodge, I will lodge. Your people shall be my people, and your God, my God. Where you die, I will die, and there I will be buried. Thus may the LORD do to me, and worse, if anything but death parts you and me.’” (Ruth 1:16-17)

Nowadays, egoism and materialism are so rampant that people don't follow their basic duties as human beings. Some people abandon their parents in a strange place during a trip. Some parents abuse their children or starve their children to death. Love cools down, and people are unloving, and transgress morals. This is the current situation.

In the Bible, a Gentile woman was loved by God for she served her mother-in-law who was alone after losing her husband at a young age. This woman was Ruth. With what kinds of her goodness and deeds did she give glory to God and how did she become so admired for generations?

1. When her mother-in-law was alone, Ruth served her until the end

Elimelech and his wife Naomi lived in Bethlehem. There was a famine in the land, so they went to the land of Moab with their two sons and remained there. Not long after that, Elimelech, head of the family, died. Ten years later, her two sons also died. All the men in the family died without any offspring, and there were only Naomi, and Orpah and Ruth, her daughters-in-law left.

In that situation, Ruth's mother-in-law, Naomi, heard that the LORD had come to the aid of His people by providing food for them, so she decided to return home. And she said to her two daughters-in-law, “Go back, each of you, to your mother's home.” She wanted them to return to their mother's house to start new lives because they were still young.

On her repeated urges, Orpah, the first daughter-in-law left Naomi weeping, but Ruth clung to her saying decisively, “Do not urge me to leave you or turn back from following you; for where you go, I will go, and where you lodge, I will lodge. Your people shall be my people, and your God, my God. Where you die, I will die, and there I will be buried. Thus may the LORD do to me, and worse, if anything but death parts you and me.” (Ruth 1:16-17) She said there was nothing but death that would make her depart from her mother-in-law.

Ruth couldn't leave her aging mother-in-law who had nobody to rely on. She wanted to follow her duty as a daughter-in-law even if it meant hardship and suffering. Since she was of goodness, she didn't think about her own hardship, but rather she had concern for her mother-in-law.

But if Ruth had had a mind to seek her own benefit, she could have just said a couple of times that she wouldn't leave but then she could have left Naomi pretending to be forced away by her mother-in-law just like Orpah did. But Ruth loved her mother-in-law from the bottom of the heart, so she had never even thought about leaving Naomi.

For Ruth, Bethlehem was a strange place. There was no home or food for them. Their livelihood was



Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

not certain there either. Still, Ruth did not seek her own benefit but she boldly chose the way of doing her duty to serve her mother-in-law, and she never regretted it.

2. God looks for a person of goodness like Ruth

Men of goodness don't look at reality and seek their own benefit. They just follow the right way and practice goodness even if they have to suffer a loss and their lives are put at risk. They don't stop doing good after several trials, but they sacrifice themselves for others' benefit and unchangingly practice goodness following their duty.

God is still looking for people like Ruth who do goodness and fulfill their duties without changing. But there are few who practice goodness. There is almost nobody who does goodness until the end even if he or she has to suffer a loss. Many people even forsake others' grace and betray them although they receive help from them.

Judas Iscariot betrayed Jesus, his teacher and did evil for his own benefit. He eventually fell into destruction. He betrayed Jesus who taught him the knowledge of life and was leading him to Heaven. Yet Judas handed Him over to elders and high priests for thirty pieces of silver.

Some people who preached the gospel with the apostle Paul left him and went back to the world when there was difficulty. Though they saw God manifest countless signs and wonders through the apostle Paul, they left him out of fear of persecution and hardship and for their own benefit, because they didn't have good hearts.

We can see people like this all around us. They said they would work faithfully with their lives and with fullness of joy when they met God for the first time. But, over time they forsake the grace. Also, some people vowed to God carelessly just in order to receive an answer. But they changed their minds and broke the vow after receiving the answer. They

just sought their own benefit, which is far from the heart God wants.

Therefore, it is very important how much we can keep the Word of God until the end with an unchanging heart under any circumstance. We have to go beyond the level of just saying “God, I love You.” We must keep trust in God even if our lives are put at risk. Even if we stand to lose our lives in a furnace of blazing fire like Daniel's three friends, we must keep the trust.

3. Blessings that are given to those who follow their duties and do good

Because God is so pleased with goodness, He pours down blessings upon us when we practice a little bit of goodness. In my church, a member set a good example in her town by serving her parents-in-law like Ruth did. Her husband abandoned her and went away from his home. She had to live with his parents in a little one-room house. Her father-in-law was even on the sickbed because of a car accident, so she had to take care of him.

But she didn't blame her husband or the situation. She didn't think, “Why do I have to live like this?” She didn't lose heart. She believed God would surely change her situation even though she was now in hardship. She only performed her duty and served her parents-in-law.

Seeing her fulfilling her duty unchangingly, God made her husband, who had no intention to return, go back home. In addition, God blessed her to move to a better house and lead a happy family life.

In this way, those who follow their own duties and seek others' benefit are loved by other people. People will recognize them saying they are trustworthy. They can be the source of joy to God when they fulfill their duties and unchangingly practice goodness like Ruth. Tests and trials will depart from their home, school, and workplace. The enemy devil and Satan cannot work because God protects them. So their problems will be solved and blessing will come upon them.

Although Ruth was not an Israelite, she could still be blessed to marry a wealthy husband who was one of her late husband's relatives because she followed the right way and kept fulfilling her duty. Through her descendants, King David was born. Ruth is in the genealogy of Jesus even though she was a Gentile woman.

Dear brothers and sisters,

Ruth was a Gentile woman, but she is not only in the genealogy of Jesus but also became a great woman in Heaven by fulfilling her duty as a daughter-in-law and serving her mother-in-law until the end. I pray in the name of the Lord you will be the one who enjoys amazing blessings by unchangingly practicing goodness that delights God.

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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Become a Messenger of Happiness

True happiness is not far away from us. It is in our hearts. We can find it in our everyday life and discover it when we live for others rather than ourselves. Why don't you find the reasons to be happy around you and make them the source of your happiness? Right now, you can deliver happiness to others with heart-warming words and deeds of expressing your care for them. Let us look into the communication skills that deliver happiness to others.

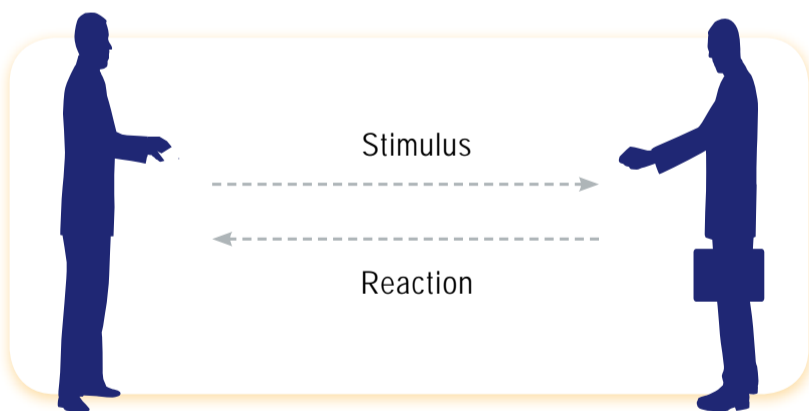
What is Communication?

We can become a messenger to deliver happiness when we learn the communication skills that can be applied to our everyday lives. Communication here refers to the process of communicating information with words, in writings, or body language.

For proper communication, three factors are required. It should include following: contents of communication, which accounts for 7%; good method of communication, another 38%, and body language, which accounts for 55%. Here we can realize that body language revealed outwardly can influence the effectiveness of communication the most.

Of course, what we say is very important, but its synergy effect largely depends on our facial expression, attitude, and behavior. The synergy effect is low when people who are engaged in the communication have relationships that are defensive. On the other hand, the effect is high when they respect each other and are open-minded and close to each other.

Make a Habit of Receiving Stimulus and Reacting in a Positive Manner



Communication is a chain formed with stimulus and reaction. When you speak, the contents, your tone, eye contact, facial expression, and attitude show your heart and personality. Your words, behavior, and attitude stimulate people in positive or negative ways. The reaction varies depending on whether the stimulus is positive or negative.

For example, if you think about something for a while and then speak bluntly with your arms crossed saying, "What time is it?" Then people might get a negative feeling from you and respond saying "Can't you see I'm busy? The clock is over there." But if you softly ask what time it is apologetically, people will try their best to help you even in a busy situation and answer, "It's about two. I want to help you more, but I am busy. I am sorry."

Those who have goodness and love that God wants don't have negative feelings. They can react with goodness and love even when people agitate them with negative stimuli. If you have a habit of speaking and acting as you please and as you feel, it becomes a deficiency of the body. Then, what do you have to do? You have to remember that communication is a chain of stimuli and reactions and try to feel good about everything and react in a good way. It's very important.



Open the Bank Account Named 'Feeling' and Save Happiness in It

Conflicts, both big and small, are usually caused by the absence of effective communication or a series of minor misunderstandings. Just as you can open a bank account in a bank, you can open a bank account called 'feeling' when you meet people. Let's say, when you save positive things like trust or happiness in the account, the deposit is 'saved' in the account. When you accumulate negative things and unbelief, it becomes a debit that is 'withdrawn' from the account.

For smooth communication, you have to correct your habit of speaking your opinion carelessly after listening to others just once without careful attention. You must listen to others, understand what they mean, and ask them if there is doubt. You have to repeat it. After listening to them one more time, then you can speak. If you have negative feelings toward someone, you must try to pile up positive things and trust with hearts of goodness and love that God loves. You can give heart-warming words, actively listen, positively react, and keep promises. When you try hard to increase the amount of deposits in the bank account called 'feeling' by giving positive stimulus and reaction to all people you meet, you can become a wealthy man who 'saves' happiness.

TIP

Let's 'Save' Happiness by Listening Intently

Chinese word '敬聽' means 'to listen intently.' It indicates to listen to a person 14 times with a heart and ears of the king; to listen to a person 14 times with a heart and ears of the king; to listen with the ears, eyes, and the heart; and it means to listen to a person until the end without interrupting in the middle.

Active listening includes not only listening attentively but also perceiving the speaker's intention, feeling, and situation with the heart. When you listen actively, you react so that speaker can feel you listen to him attentively.

For proper communication, it's good to raise questions, answer speaker's questions, respond with proper reaction, and make eye contact. Don't cross your arms over your chest or move and gesture uselessly. Pay attention to the speaker. Then, the atmosphere is more relaxed.

When I relied on Him God Led Me to the Shortcut of Blessing

Deacon Ohsung Kwon (1-3 Canaan Mission, Elim the Dream Factory)

The turning point in my life, entry into the military

In 1987, I started to attend Manmin Central Church with Deaconess Sukkyung Jung, my mother, when I was six. I didn't lead a diligent Christian life when I was in middle and high school but I changed after I enlisted in the army.

I was an advisory clerk in the army. I had a diligent and upright superior, so I learned from him how to work and formed good work habits. At that time, I regretted that I hadn't led a diligent life comparing my past life with his even though I said I believed in God. I made up my mind to do my best in all things as well as a Christian life after leaving the army.

After the military service, I worked for a manufacturer and supplier of sheet material that is used for sign posts, advertisement materials, graphics, and interior decorating. I practiced what I decided to do in the military. Not only did I cut myself off from the worldly pleasures and recreational things, but also I prayed without ceasing. No matter how busy I was, I kept the whole Sabbath, and gave the whole tithe. Of course, I didn't drink alcohol and tried hard to get recognition from coworkers.

In everything I acknowledged God and ran with faith

But my life at work was not easy. The company asked me to participate in the company outings and parties or to work frequently on Sundays.

In the meantime, in 2008, I was given an opportunity to decorate a bulletin board at the entrance of the main sanctuary and at the information desk of Manmin Central Church. This served as a good foundation for me to start up a company at the young age of 26.

I lacked knowledge, experience, and money, but I made up my mind to rely on God, not the people around me. Following Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee's teaching, I wanted to run my business only with faith.

In January, 2009, I finally started my business with the name, 'Elim the Dream Factory.' In April of the same year, our church's Canaan Mission, whose members are unmarried college graduates, was to give its devotional service. All I had at that time was personal checks that were worth around three thousand dollars. I got so eager to give offerings to God that I gave the money with all my heart. Then, God arranged for me to begin working together with a firm that needed my technology on the exact due date.

The firm and my business cooperated to produce wrapping film for vehicles. But for

production lines in Korea, it would cost a lot. That's why other companies usually give up producing it after trying three times and experiencing three failures. But I kept trying it praying earnestly, planting my offerings, and receiving Dr. Lee's prayer with all my heart and faith.

At the same time I fell into the hardships of taking responsibility for the livelihood of not only my employees but also partner workers and their families. But I just said with faith, "God knows the right time for me. Now I am being trained to be qualified as a CEO." I didn't give up, but I tried my best.

As a result, we finally succeeded in producing a sample after more than ten failures. The product came out on the market and got a good review, which allowed for me to receive many blessings. My company grew into an outstandingly recognizable corporation in the field. Through experiencing this God increased my faith and gave me abundant financial blessing.

A leading French company extended exclusive sales rights to my business

In January, 2012, I even obtained exclusive sales rights of HEXIS in France. HEXIS is an international corporation that produces special film and adhesive labels. This company asked the Korean national government to inquire into my business' status. Despite its short history and small size, my company was chosen by them.

We also received recognition as a partner who was able to discuss the future business plan with them as well as having obtained the sales rights. All of this was granted because I relied only on God and received Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer. I give all thanks and glory to my faithful Father God, Lord, and Holy Spirit. Hallelujah!



"I Came to Have My Son in My Arms Thanks to the Prayer of Dr. Jaerock Lee"

Sergey Velbovets
(President of In Victory Media Group)

I am a president of In Victory Media Group, which is a leading Christian portal site in Russian speaking areas. We have borne abundant fruit in Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer.

In December of 2011, my family experienced God's amazing power. My wife was nine months pregnant, but strange symptom occurred with her. The fetus in her womb that had been moving stopped moving for a few days. We were so apprehensive and surprised. We talked to her doctor on the phone first, but it was not a good sign. But I earnestly prayed believing God who can revive the dead.

I sent a prayer request to Jaerock Lee, who is the powerful servant of the Lord in Seoul, and asked him to pray for us. It was Friday, December 16 in 2011. After his prayer, an amazing thing happened. The fetus started to move again.

On December 27, my wife finally delivered a healthy baby, our second son. He was absolutely normal in health as the result of newborn screening showed. My wife said she had felt peaceful in the presence of God during the delivery.

I too am thankful that I can listen to the holiness gospel that never compromises with the world. Nowadays, many pastors preach a message that is good to hear for the church members rather than the message that pleases God. But Dr. Lee points out the sins God hates through the messages and puts an emphasis on having to become God's true children who live according to the Word of God. I believe that is why God has manifested many signs, wonders, and powerful works through him.

Many pastors and servants of God want to visit Manmin Central Church. I am very honored to work together with Dr. Lee who shows people that God is alive.



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