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The Church's 33rd Anniversary Service and Celebration Performance

People from 21 Countries Were Amazed and Glorified God with Joy



Manmin Central Church had its 33rd Anniversary Service and Celebration Performance. The church gave thanks to God who has been with them through the works of the Holy Spirit. Photo 1, Dr. Jaerock Lee's sermons from October 9 to 11 (Friday to Sunday), Photos 4, 7: Anniversary Eve Event and Celebration Performance, Photos 3 and 6, the overseas visitors received much grace from the service and performance, Photos 2, 5, they also shared joy of the celebration in the outdoor events.

At 3 P.M. on October 11, 2015, Manmin's 33rd Anniversary Service and Celebration Performance began during Sunday Evening Service.

Approximately 200 people came from 21 countries including U.S., Israel, Egypt, Spain, Mexico, and Kenya. Among them were many pastors, missionaries, and people in political and financial sectors. The worship services and events were interpreted simultaneously in nine languages including English, Russian, and Spanish.

Continuing from the Anniversary Eve and Sunday Morning Services, Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee preached the message entitled "The History of Manmin" taken from Hebrews 2:4. He gave explanation on Manmin's powerful ministry full of signs, wonders, and works of re-creation and said that through the ministry many people were led to the way of salvation.

After his sermon, the Celebration

Performance titled "The History of Manmin" was presented by the Performing Arts Committee that is chaired by Pastor Heejin Lee. This performance was broadcast live via the Global Christian Network, that spans 170 countries, and also through the internet. In the performance, the members who enter New Jerusalem, the best dwelling place in Heaven, reminisce about the ministry of Manmin, join in the banquet, and offer up joy and thanks to God. All these were beautifully expressed through God-given songs.

The Performing Arts Committee of Manmin Central Church delivered a high-quality performance through the cooperation with many professional staff concerning lighting, sound, video, and special effect.

Dr. Sergei Martinuk (USA) said, "I have not seen such a beautiful performance. It seemed like the song of angels were spread and I could feel the presence of the Holy Spirit.

Inexpressible peace, happiness, and emotion filled the moment."

Pastor Yonas Tsegaye Gebrewold from United Arab Emirates said, "I have attended many church events in Australia and Europe, but I have not seen such a magnificent and great event like this. The church members served one another, which impressed me, and I could feel the aroma of goodness from Dr. Lee."

At the front yard of the church were beautiful settings for photos that were decorated in the theme of the Garden of Seasons in the castle of the shepherd. The members, guests, invited family members and relatives took pictures and enjoyed themselves in the photo zones of spring, summer, fall, and winter. Also the newly remodeled Publicity Hallway was finished so that people could see the 33-year-history of Manmin. It attracted much attention.

On October 9th the Anniversary Eve Celebration Performance "Festival of Flowers" was held during the second half of Friday All-night Service. The beautiful instrumental renditions and dance expressed the festival held in the Garden of Flowers in the shepherd's castle in New Jerusalem. It gave the audience even greater hope for Heaven.

On October 12, overseas guests visited Muan Manmin Church where the well of salty water from the sea in front of the church was changed into sweet drinkable water by Dr. Lee's prayer. At this site of power, the visitors experienced the biblical event of bitter water at Marah being turned into sweet water (Exodus 15:25).

Since the church first offered up the Foundation Service on October 10, 1982, Manmin has grown for 33 years to become a mega-sized international church that has around 10,000 branch and associate churches. As the third stage of take-off enters in earnest, the national evangelism and the world mission will be achieved more greatly through the five-fold gospel of holiness and the works of power.



Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law" (Galatians 5:22-23).

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The 'Beatitudes' in chapter five of Matthew, 'spiritual love' in chapter thirteen of 1 Corinthians, and the 'Nine Fruits of the Holy Spirit' together make up one of the guide posts that helps us evaluate where we are in our faith. Now let's look into the fruits of the Holy Spirit and delve into one of them, love.

1. What is the fruit of the Holy Spirit?

Fruit is the outcome of having sown the seed, the budding, and the blooming of the flower. Similarly, the fruits of the Holy Spirit are the fruits that are borne when the Holy Spirit comes into our

God gives the gift of the Holy Spirit into the hearts of those who accept the Lord. Upon receiving the Holy Spirit, the dead spirit is revived. The Holy Spirit lets us know about sin, righteousness, and judgment. He helps us cast off sins and lawlessness and live in righteousness. He leads us to follow a life in Christ with faith and have the hope of gaining the kingdom of Heaven. As we obey the guidance of the Holy Spirit in our Christian life, our spirit begins to grow.

Not everybody who has received the Holy Spirit bears the fruit of the Holy Spirit. We can bear those fruits only when we obey the guidance of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is like a generator. When the generator runs, it generates electricity. Here, if the light bulbs are connected to the generator, the bulbs will shine the light. The darkness goes away because light has come. Likewise, when the Holy Spirit works in us, the things of the darkness, which

Fruit of Love

belong to flesh, will go away. Light will come into our hearts and we will bear the fruits of the Holy Spirit.

But we have to remember that for the light bulb to shine its light we don't just connect the bulb to the generator. We have to run this generator. In order for this generator to operate, we have to be on the alert and pray ardently. We also have to obey His guidance and practice the truth.

By this process we are following the desires of the Holy Spirit. When we diligently follow them, we will have the fullness of the Holy Spirit. Being full of the Spirit, our heart will change through the truth, and to that extent we will bear the fruits of the Holy Spirit. But when we try to follow the desires of the Holy Spirit, there is another kind of desire that hinders us. It is the desire of the flesh. The desire of the flesh tries to follow the things opposite in nature to the desire of the Holy Spirit. It leads us to follow the lust of the flesh, lust of the eyes, and the boastful pride of this life. When we follow the desires of the flesh, the Holy Spirit groans in our hearts. That's why we suffer from the disquiet in our heart.

That is why Galatians 5:16-17 says, "But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not carry out the desire of the flesh. For the flesh sets its desire against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; for these are in opposition to one another, so that you may not do the things that you please." If we follow the desires of the flesh, the consequences will be sins, lawlessness and works of the flesh. If we commit works of the flesh, we will eventually depart from the way of salvation (Galatians 5:19-21). We can reap the fruit of eternal life only when we follow the Holy Spirit (Galatians 6:8).

2. Love, the first fruit of the Holy Spirit

People of the world who do not believe in God also use the word 'love' a lot. But the love of the worldly people is the fleshly love that perishes and changes. On the contrary, the love that belongs to God is spiritual love which is truthful and forever unchanging.

When God created Adam, the love that He gave Adam was spiritual love. But Adam's spirit died because he disobeyed the Word of God. He corrupted into the flesh. From that time on, the love of people began to change into fleshly love.

A long time has passed since then, and today it is very difficult to find true spiritual love. There are so many people who make declarations of their love. But their love changes as time passes. They only have fleshly love with which they seek their own and follow their lust.

This is the case with the love between a husband and a wife. At first, they say they will love each other forever and they say they cannot live without the other person. Before, they tried to do what their spouse wanted them to do, but now if their spouse does not follow their desires, they give a hard time to their spouse. Today divorce is common. Soon they marry another person. Still, every time, they say they truly love the other person.

It's the same with the love between parents and children. But as the world becomes more wicked, it's rare to find parents who sacrifice their lives, even for their own children. If something is not beneficial for them, parents and children even have enmity amongst themselves.

The same goes with the love among brothers or friends. When favorable conditions are met, and when they share the same opinions, the love is sustained. But when the conditions change, the love can change at any time as well. This means they had only with a desire to receive. All this is fleshly love.

Then what is spiritual love? In 1 Corinthians chapter 13 we can find what true love is like. This is the true love that God really wants us to have.

The love that is one of the fruits of the Spirit is at a higher level than the spiritual love in 1 Corinthians 13. It is the love that encompasses sacrificial love which is the love sufficient even to give one's life. With this love one can give his life for God, for His kingdom and righteousness. The highest level of love is the love with which one can give his life even for his enemies who hate

3. In order to bear the fruit of love

God first gave us such love. Our Lord also loved us even to the point that He gave His life for us when we were yet sinners. If we know this love not just as knowledge but realize from heart what kind of love God gave to us, we can truly love God, too.

If we have true love towards God, our love and trust in God will not change no matter what the situation. It is the same towards other souls. We will love other souls with true love if we have true love towards God (1 John 3:16).

We will not have any desire to seek our own benefit. We will not want anything in return even if we give everything we have. But this kind of true love is cultivated in you to the extent that you cast off flesh from you.

In the Bible, we can see what kind of love the patriarchs cultivated. Moses wanted to save the sons of Israel, even if it meant his name would be blotted out of the book of life (Exodus 32:32). The apostle Paul said in Romans 9:3, "For I could wish that I myself were accursed, separated from Christ for the sake of my brethren, my kinsmen according to the flesh." When Stephen was being stoned he prayed saying, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them" (Acts 7:60).

How much of this kind of love has been borne in you? How much do you love God, the Lord, and brothers and sisters in Christ? Once I professed before you, "If I can save just one thousand people, I would be willing to go to Hell in their place." I know very well what kind of place Hell is. But if I can save the souls who are falling into Hell, I am willing to make that choice.

Just as Jesus died for us, I can give my life for those people. I don't love with words. I give my life and all my energy for them each day to lead them to salvation because I love them more than my life. I only think about how I can preach the gospel in more places; how I can make more souls believe in God by showing greater power; how I can let them understand the world is meaningless and let them take hold of better heavenly dwelling places.

How much of the love of God, who has given His only begotten Son, is inscribed in your heart? If you are filled with that love, you will also love God. You will love the souls with your true heart.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, I urge you as God's children to cast off all fleshly love which seeks one's own, desires to receive back, and changes. Instead, cultivate spiritual love, which is true and with which one can unconditionally give sacrifice of even oneself.

I pray in the name of the Lord that by doing so, you will achieve the heart of the Lord and the perfect love, enter New Jerusalem, and share eternal love with God forever.

The Confession of Faith

- 1. Manmin Central Church believes that the Bible is God-breathed Word that
- 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
- 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

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"[God] Himself gives to all people life and breath and all things." (Acts 17:25) "And there is salvation in no one else; for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must be saved." (Acts 4:12) English

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INTERVIEW 3

"My Ministry Has Been Renewed by the Holiness Gospel"

Pastor Sergey Bocharnikov, Spirit of Life Church in Nazareth, Israel

Listening to the sermon, "The History of Manmin," I was assured that God Himself has guided the ministry of Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee. He has set a good example as a pastor by living only according to the Word of God.

I could see him offer up all his life to God when I met him. That is why Manmin members can remain in fullness of hope for Heaven and live by the Word of God, too. During prayer, I always give thanks to God for His grace and love that allowed me to meet the spiritual shepherd.

The holiness gospel urges us to live a holy life as well as to spread it. The key concept of the holiness gospel is that when we live by the Word of God, His works will follow us. So, I have also tried to renew myself in the Word of God and taught it to my church members.

Manmin's 33rd Anniversary Celebration Performance was wonderful. It represented



Heaven and increased the hope for Heaven in us. I give thanks to Manmin Central Church that welcomed us with great love again this time.

"Dr. Jaerock Lee's Books Printed in Arabic Were Really Awesome!"

Pastor Gerges Morgan Poktor, Chairman of Pentecostal Churches of Egypt

In 2004, I heard about the ministry of Manmin for the first time and received much grace. In 2014, I attended Pastors' Seminar and Handkerchief Healing Meeting led by Pastor Taesik Gil in Egypt. I witnessed many healing works occur when Pastor Gil prayed with the handkerchief on which Dr. Lee had prayed (Acts 19:11-12). I give thanks and glory to God who still works today.

I read Dr. Lee's books *Tasting Eternal Life before Death, The Message of the Cross*, and *The Measure of Faith* in Arabic. Particularly, *The Message of the Cross* clearly explained the reason why God created mankind and why Jesus

is our only Savior. It touched me greatly. Also, *The Measure* of Faith told me that faith increases through obedience, which impressed me a lot.

I was very happy to meet Dr. Lee again through this visit. When I see his ministry, I feel



like I'm seeing the ministry of the Lord who served souls with sacrifice and obedience. He is the model of a pastor. I give thanks to the Lord who let me meet Manmin Central Church.

"In the Shepherd's Space, I Was Protected from Dangers of Robbers"

Pastor Paul Musafiri Nalwango, Director of Cabinet, the Office of the Vice-prime Minister, DR Congo

When he conducted a crusade in DR Congo in 2006, Dr. Jaerock Lee preached the Word with authority and manifested many powerful works of God. People were healed of their diseases and received answers from God. After I met him, my life was renewed. Through the holiness gospel, I learned about how to pray and to live by the Word of God. I was able to grow up spiritually.

Four years ago, on my way home behind the wheel of my car, I encountered a group of five robbers. They had guns, and two of them stood in front of my house and three surrounded my car. I immediately laid my hand on Senior Pastor Dr. Lee's photo and prayed, "God of the shepherd, protect me!" Then, I got off from my car.

A robber pointed his gun at me, but I came close to him saying, "There is no reason you should kill me". As the robber

stepped back from me, he fell down and the gun fired in the air. And all of them ran away. I had experienced the space of the shepherd.

During this visit, I felt Senior Pastor's love and sacrifice for souls again. I wanted to spread



the holiness gospel all around Africa with such love. While watching the celebration performance, I really wanted to go to the city of New Jerusalem. When I went to Muan Manmin Church, where Dr. Lee's prayer changed salty water from the sea into sweet drinkable water, I felt the presence of the Lord. As my spiritual eyes opened, I saw white mansions full of beautiful flowers given to each person there in a vision. I felt happy.

"Through Broadcasting and Books, I Found My True Shepherd Who Lives on the Opposite Side of the Earth"

Sister Beatrice Cornibe, Mexico

I was looking for a spiritual pastor for ten years. In the meantime, it was 2010. I came to know Dr. Jaerock Lee through Enlace TV. His sermons made me feel that he is the most spiritual person in the world. So, I eagerly hoped to listen to his sermons.

I found Manmin Central Church's website and listened to two or three of his sermons every day. For a year, I listened to more than 500 of his sermons, and it brought many changes to my life. I read many of his books in Spanish and French and attended every service and Daniel Prayer Meeting through the Internet. In August 2015, I experienced the space of the shepherd in Mexico! It has been 30 years since I moved to Mexico, but I had never seen dragonflies. However, three

dragonflies entered my house through the window when Manmin Summer Retreat 2015 was held in Seoul.

I finally visited Manmin Central Church on its 33rd anniversary. I had longed to see Dr. Lee. When I saw him



in person, I shed tears of emotion. I could feel a special love from him I had never felt from any pastor or Christian. He was very kind to every person. I did not know anybody in the church but the church members served me with love, which moved my heart. The performance was also wonderful.



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Manmin's Ministry Renews People's Lives with Love and Power

In celebration of Manmin's 33rd anniversary, around 200 people from 21 countries attended the church. They had learned about the holiness gospel or experienced the power of God through the church's overseas crusades, broadcasting ministry, or publication ministry.

They have many testimonies. Here are a few of their testimonies.

"The Church Prays Fervently and Eagerly!"

Pastor Misael Argeñal Rodríguez, Ministerio Internacional La Cosecha, Honduras



In 2002, Dr. Jaerock Lee preached in the Honduras United Crusade. And he also led a Blessing Crusade in my La Cosecha Church. Since then the church has revived so the number increased from ten thousand to twenty five thousand.

I paid a visit to Manmin Central Church to celebrate the

church's 33rd anniversary and build a closer relationship with the church. The church is very spiritual, and I felt Senior Pastor Dr. Lee and the church members united as one with love.

I attended Daniel Prayer Meeting, where I saw many church members praying fervently. I realized that the power of their prayer had great influence on the church's revival.

I had heard about Korean churches in Honduras. On this visit, I could see Koreans' enthusiastic prayer and felt thankful to God.

"Christians in Bethlehem Found Light of Hope"

Pastor Nihad Salman, Immanuel Evangelical Church in Bethlehem, Palestine



Bethlehem is the city where Jesus was born, but 99 percent of population is Muslim now. So we Christians had been under pressure in many aspects. Young Christians had no place to work and moved to other countries for work. No

wedding hall and no burial place were offered for Christians. We had no hope. But I believed that God was planning a great work towards Bethlehem and preached the gospel.

It was December 2007. Dr. Jaerock Lee visited Bethlehem on Christmas when we celebrated the birth of Jesus and conducted a meeting. Before the meeting, I asked him to show miracles written in the Bible and miracles, indeed, unfolded. I

was assured of God's will towards Bethlehem.

After the meeting, Dr. Lee asked me if there was anything we needed. I talked about the difficult situation of Christians in Palestine such as Christians not getting any burial spots. Hearing it, he said he would help us and bought us a burial estate. Through this, Christians in Palestine were encouraged and filled with the love of the Lord. They feel very grateful to him.

In September 2009, Dr. Lee conducted the Israel United Crusade in Jerusalem and proclaimed a powerful message that clearly explained faith. Then, he prayed for the sick and many people were healed of their diseases. I was thankful to God for His great works.

I want to extend my heartfelt thanks to Dr. Lee who has supported us so that God's kingdom would stand firmly in Bethlehem

"It Was Wonder that a Super Strong Hurricane Disappeared"

Pastor Vitaliy Fishberg, Power and Wisdom of God Manmin Church of New York, USA



Before leaving for Manmin Central Church, I asked Dr. Lee to pray for Hurricane Joaquin by email.

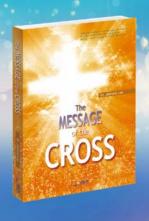
Hurricane Joaquin strengthened to the category 4 and its effects had already struck four states and caused great damage. And it was on

the way to New York. It was a critical moment.

During Sunday Morning Service, on October 4 2015, Dr. Lee prayed for it. Then, the hurricane vanished and the weather that had been very cold turned into good weather. It was amazing.

A few years ago, another hurricane hit New York and inundated many houses in the city. In 2013, my house at the seashore was damaged by a hurricane and we had to go to a refuge. A hurricane sometimes can kill people when it is strengthened to Category 4 or 5. But through Senior Pastor's prayer the strong Hurricane Joaquin went away! Hallelujah!





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