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The Love of the Lord for All People around the World

The 25th Anniversary of *Manmin News*,
Spiritual Material for People in the World



So far, *Manmin News* has been translated and issued in 25 languages. It has been spread all over the world as it works to affect changes and revives innumerable souls. Dr. Jaerock Lee lays his hands on a copy every week when it is newly published and prays, "Let all readers receive the inspiration and fullness of the Holy Spirit and receive solutions to their problems, answers, and blessings."

Manmin News is loved by people due to its varied and encouraging contents for Christians such as the Word of Life, the testimonies, news about mission works and charitable works, and Christian guideline and it has now celebrated its 25th anniversary.

Manmin News was first issued as Manmin Joong-ang News on May 17th in 1987. At first it was published every other month. Later it was regularly published on a monthly basis and since October of 1991 it has been published every other week.

Manmin News has made great improvement now that it

not only delivers church news locally, but also now provides believers in overseas countries with spiritual material. In October 2009 when it was renamed '*Manmin News*,' the paper began publication on a weekly basis. Now it is also published online.

Manmin News serves as a crucial tool to spread the holiness gospel and the works of power to the whole world and to awaken churches, pastors, and church members throughout the world with publication in 25 languages including Korean, English, Chinese, French, Spanish, Russian, and Japanese.

Manmin News contains a

variety of news from Manmin Central Church and its branch and associative churches. It provides information necessary for a Christian life like 'the Word of Life' and 'Testimonies'. In this way missionaries in overseas branch and associative churches can make use of the paper as evangelization material, while church members also able to increase their faith by reading the articles.

A number of church members in Korea as well as abroad have testified that they came to have faith and received answers and blessings through *Manmin News*.

Pastor Nongnuk in Bangkok, Thailand stated, "While reading *Manmin News*, I came to know there is still a church where the powerful works of God take place and I can feel the inspiration of the Spirit in the 'Word of Life'. I am sure that God is using Dr. Jaerock Lee at this end time and allows for him to show that God the Creator is alive through the works of power and the holiness gospel."

Keeping up with Manmin's worldwide parish project, *Manmin News* has established a global news report network to rapidly make reports on gracious news and testimonies from every corner of the world

in real time.

In response to the love and interest from readers, *Manmin News* has increasingly been published in more languages. Soon *Manmin News* will be enjoyed regularly by readers in Hebrew, Estonian, Urdu, Ukrainian, and Vietnamese.

Manmin News in English, Chinese, French, Spanish, Russian, and Japanese is available on the website 'news.manmin.org'. A PDF format newspaper is also being prepared and an electronic newspaper service and Korean *Manmin News* for smart phone users is under development as well.

Even the Dogs Feed on the Crumbs

“But she came and began to bow down before Him, saying, ‘Lord, help me!’ And He answered and said, ‘It is not good to take the children’s bread and throw it to the dogs.’ But she said, ‘Yes, Lord; but even the dogs feed on the crumbs which fall from their masters’ table.’ Then Jesus said to her, ‘O woman, your faith is great; it shall be done for you as you wish.’ And her daughter was healed at once.” (Matthew 15:25-28)

Let’s suppose your beloved child is about to be expelled from school because he caused a major problem. You might go to school and ask teachers to forgive him even on bended knees. But what if his teacher insults you, saying “Your son is worse than an animal! Just get him out of here!”? What would you do then?

Some of you might just suffer the humiliation and continue to seek favorable arbitration and arrangement. On the other hand, it might hurt your pride and think, “How could she insult me like this?”

When a Canaanite woman came before Jesus to have her demon-possessed daughter healed, she was treated like a dog. However, the woman didn’t let it hurt her feelings or consider it humiliating. She rather humbled herself and implored Him to set her daughter free from the demon.

1. The Syrophenician woman was treated like a dog but her confession moved Jesus’ heart

It happened when Jesus went into the district of Tyre and Sidon. A woman cried out, saying, “Have mercy on me, Lord, Son of David; my daughter is cruelly demon-possessed.” She pleaded to drive away the demon from her daughter. Considering the times, it was hard for a Syrophenician who was one of the Canaanite descendants to approach Jesus, who was a Jew. This is because Jews despised the Gentiles and didn’t want to be associated with them. Moreover, it was even more unimaginable for a woman to ask something before Jesus who was a man. But she came before Him because she desperately wanted her daughter to be healed. Despite her earnest plea and shout, however, Jesus didn’t say anything and seemed to do nothing for her.

Her plea was earnest such that His disciples came and implored Him to send her away, because she kept shouting at them. Then, He said something totally unexpected to her. He said, “I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.” It meant He would save not a Gentile, but only Israelites.

Then, the woman came and began to bow down before Him, saying, “Lord, help me!” But Jesus likened the woman to a dog, saying, “It is not good to take the children’s bread and throw it to the dogs.” Jesus said this to her to test her faith. In this situation, people’s feelings might be hurt because they feel treated like a dog and they will just return to their place.

But the woman completely humbled herself and said, “Yes, Lord; but even the dogs feed on the crumbs which fall from their masters’ table.” Her words weren’t spoken just to get her daughter healed. She didn’t have any anger. Because she put complete trust in Jesus, she didn’t have any discomfort and her pride didn’t suffer, either. In addition, her heart was of goodness and humbleness, so she could say such a positive word.

Hearing her confession, Jesus was deeply moved,



Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

saying, “O woman, your faith is great; it shall be done for you as you wish.” Her daughter was healed at the moment. By humbling herself, she passed the test of faith well and received answers to her heart’s desire.

Some might be able to offer humble words from motives of craftiness although they don’t have a humble heart. But if what is spoken does not come from a sincere heart, the truth will be revealed in the end.

The Syrophenician woman could give the spiritual answer Jesus wanted until the end because she had a good inner heart and a humble heart. If our hearts are like hers, we will have no hard-feelings toward others and our feelings would not be hurt no matter what words were directed toward us. Furthermore, we can give words that move their hearts. When others say something that can hurt your ego, if you respond with words of goodness and move their hearts, they will feel empathy toward you and realize what their problem was.

2. The forefathers of faith spoke in moving confessions out of goodness

John the Baptist, who made ready the way of the Lord, said, “After me One is coming who is mightier than I, and I am not fit to stoop down and untie the thong of His sandals” (Mark 1:7). He humbled himself and said it was an honor to talk about Jesus, the Son of God. He said that he was not fit enough to stoop down and untie His sandals.

Also, when John heard that all who had previously followed him came to Jesus, he said, “He must increase, but I must decrease” (John 3:30). He knew when to step back. He didn’t assert himself but just wanted to exalt Jesus. That’s why he could be praised by Jesus. Jesus said about John, “Among those born of women there has not arisen anyone greater than John the Baptist” (Matthew 11:11).

The apostle Paul also said, “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...” He threw away all he had and said knowing Christ Jesus surpasses everything (Philippians 3:8-9).

When he didn’t know the Lord, he took the lead in the persecution of believers and killed them. But after he met the Lord, he considered himself as “the last of all, as to one untimely born” in 1 Corinthians 15:8. Also as written in 1 Timothy 1:15, he also humbled himself saying that he was the worst of sinners.

In addition, he had such great love for the Lord and souls that he 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.” Since he had such an inner heart, he was able to manifest the greatest power in those times of the New Testament and lead many Gentiles to the way of salvation.

3. A good heart that accepts advice and having mistakes pointed out with a lowly heart and blessings that follow those who have this heart

There are three types of people when others point out their faults. Check yourself as to where you fall.

Those of the first type don’t accept the reprimand of others for their faults with a grateful heart, but instead it causes discomfort that enters their hearts. They may even lose fullness. Others of the second type make excuses for their faults. But people who make excuses can’t experience development in their spiritual growth. They just stand still. There are people of the last type who accept their admonishments and advice with a thankful heart and try hard to correct their wrongdoings. They can change themselves into men of the truth quickly and become spiritual workers.

In this way, the consequence is quite different depending on how you react to others’ reprimands. Therefore, those who believe that they can change through others’ advice should long to receive advice from others.

On the contrary however, if you don’t have love towards others you can’t point out their faults. Everybody wants to say things that sound good and hates to say things that sound bad. Thus, when you are reprimanded, you must not have any hard-feelings but think “He loves me and wants me to change.” Then, you can come into spirit quickly.

Dear brothers and sisters, the Syrophenician woman received blessing by speaking with words from a humble heart that moved Jesus’ heart. Furthermore, humble men can be used as a precious vessel by receiving God’s love and strength from Him like the apostle Paul and John the Baptist. This is because they had good hearts in God’s sight and moved others’ heart even with words. I pray in the name of the Lord that you will receive God’s great love and blessing by giving confession of goodness.

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. 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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Manmin News for all people in the world celebrated its 25th anniversary.
 We give all thanks and glory to God the Trinity who has led us to translate and publish it in 25 languages.
 On this page, we will show you some letters from pastors and believers in and out of Korea who received grace reading *Manmin News*.

【 From India 】



“This is beneficial to all people and a wonderful newspaper”



Pastor I. Stephen
(All Pentecostal Pastors Fellowship,
Virudhunagar District)

I give congratulations in the name of the Lord. In the celebrating of *Manmin News*' 25th anniversary, I am very happy to have a chance to speak to you, the readers.

Manmin News is a very amazing newspaper for people all over the world. I like this newspaper that includes Dr. Jaerock Lee's Spirit-filled messages. The testimonies also help readers increase faith and shows God's power in a powerful way.

Manmin News in Tamil is much help to pastors. Reading it, many people have received blessings both in spirit and body. I pray that *Manmin News* will be translated into more languages and lead countless souls to the way of salvation.

【 From Japan 】



“Manmin News with beautiful pictures add to hope for Heaven”



Deaconess Kitahara Takako
(Ida Manmin Church)

I am very blessed to read the Japanese *Manmin News*. I was filled with emotion and grace not only reading sermons and Christian guideline but also seeing pictures of church events.

In particular, news that described New Jerusalem in Heaven made me feel like I was seeing it and I came to have more hope for New Jerusalem.

Moreover, the testimonies in the newspaper made me stand firmly on faith. Even though they gave their testimonies in a few short paragraphs, I gained strength by reading about their Christian lives and testimonies. I am delivering *Manmin News* to my neighbors so that more people can read it.

【 From Australia 】



“Your soul will prosper and you will experience divine healing works”



Deaconess Hanee Hong
(Gold Coast, Brisbane)

Congratulations on *Manmin News*' 25th anniversary. I am spreading the gospel by placing English and Chinese versions of *Manmin News* in my business, which is Korean food restaurant named “Arirang.” I began to do it in order to make the valuable God's messages delivered by Dr. Jaerock Lee and the amazing works of power known to people. I saw customers who were sick or had a sick family member showed greater interest in *Manmin News*.

I also distributed around 800 copies a month in residential areas. While doing so, my protruding wrist bone that troubled me for more than ten months become normal. In this way, *Manmin News* helps us receive answers and healing as well as helping our souls to prosper. I hope more and more people will enjoy this good news.

【 From Belgium 】



“It moved my heart and let me stand firmly in faith as the Lord's disciple.”



Brother Fabrice Flandre
(Hainaut Manmin Church)

The French version of *Manmin News* has helped me stand firmly in faith as the Lord's disciple. I have received blessings in spirit and body through Dr. Jaerock Lee's messages and through divine healing testimonies that teach me about spiritual communication.

I often distribute *Manmin News* in Chattlowa, Belgium every week and deliver it from home to home. This is because I know the Lord moves people's hearts through *Manmin News*.

Manmin News plays a very significant role and it is a blessing. I pray that you will continue to glorify God through this precious ministry until the Lord comes back.

“The Spirit-filled Sermons by Dr. Jaerock Lee, the Mission Works, News, the Feature Story, and Testimonies!”

“I am blessed to read Dr. Jaerock Lee's books and listen to his sermons via Internet. When I am exhausted teaching believers as a pastor, *Manmin News* is my energy. I am touched and encouraged by it.”

From Pastor Lee in Mapo gu, Seoul

“I was amazed by Dr. Jaerock Lee's overseas ministry. It was a new and fresh challenge to me, too. I give thanks for letting me know the church like that of the Bible's Philadelphia. It is God's grace that I can eat the food of life, which is the Word of God, through Dr. Lee.”

From Brother P in Pusan

“The good news messages are included in *Manmin News*. I was deeply touched by the message entitled “What are the right roles of wives and husband in the Lord?” Now the divorce rate is rising. It is a blessing that I read such a message that teaches us the right thing.”

From Sister J in Bucheon, Gyeonggi do

“Manmin Central Church is filled with grace and love. The power of God performed by Dr. Jaerock Lee is truly astounding. I can tell Dr. Lee is the shepherd of life God uses preciously at this end time.”

From Elder H in Deagu Metropolitan City



Deacon Pilgyung Chung
(3-31 Parish)

“Seeing My Small Deeds of Delivering *Manmin News*, God Has Given Me Great Blessings”

I was born into a Buddhist family of many generations. I attended the Buddhist temple diligently and offered the Buddhist prayer. I had exorcists perform exorcism and listened to fortune telling. I even persecuted Deaconess Songyee Chung, my daughter who attends church against her parents' will. But my wife and I ended up setting our feet firmly in Manmin Central Church for the first time on October 7, 2007.

I made up my mind to repay the Lord's grace

After I started to attend Manmin Central Church, I came to have peace and happiness. But I felt so sorry before God thinking of idol-worshipping, persecuting my daughter for her going to church, enjoying alcohol, and leading a prodigal life. So I started to think of the way to wash away my past sins and humiliation and repay God's grace.

Following the decision I naturally made up mind not just to repent with lips alone, but also to bear proper fruit of repentance and pay back the grace of the Lord. Then, I came up with delivering *Manmin News*. At first, I distributed 1,200 copies of it in my neighborhood. I was filled with happiness evangelizing people.

While spreading the gospel, I became healthy and the number of copies increased. Nowadays, I distribute more than 6,000 copies every week. As the fruit I received the Manmin News Award for the best distributor twice in a row in 2010 and 2011.

I am blessed to lead a healthy life in spirit and body by the power of God

For the last 30 years, I suffered from diabetes and after-effects of surgery on herniated lumbar disc. What's worse, I hurt my left wrist working in a construction site a few years ago. Afterwards, strength didn't come back to my wrist. While spreading *Manmin News*, however, diabetes and the after-effects were gone and I came to have strength in my wrist. I came to use it freely.

On February 16, I went to hospital due to severe pain on my left side and lower abdomen. My CT scan showed I had urinary stones. On February 17, Pastor Sungheon Ahan, my parish pastor visited me and prayed for me with the handkerchief on which Dr. Jaerock Lee had prayed (Acts 19:11-12). Actually somewhat to my surprise, my pain was relieved after the prayer. In the afternoon of that same day, Pastor Ahan prayed for me again with the handkerchief and the pain totally disappeared.

My wife also couldn't get on an elevator by herself because of serious nervousness. While leading a Christian life, she became able to ride it on her own and her eyesight has also improved.

All these blessings in spirit and body are the fruit of the love of God who was delighted in my repentance of my past life and my small deeds of delivering *Manmin News*. I want to continue to spread the newspaper and take a lead in leading many souls who the Lord bought with His blood to the way of salvation. By doing so, I'll try to repay His grace. I give all thanks and glory to God the Trinity.

“I Was Healed after I Turned Away from My Past Lukewarm Christian Life”

Sister Chanmee Hwang (College Juniors' Mission)

Beginning March 22, I felt pain in my left wrist. It got worse over time that I all but fainted when something just brushed against it. I had a check-up on March 26 and 27. According to the result, I had four calcified stones on the wrist. It was diagnosed as calcific tendinitis carpal tunneling. The stones touched tendons, which caused severe pain.

The doctor told me to have a surgery saying it was a rare case for someone so young as my age to have such calcification. But I thought it would be a good opportunity to experience God's love and power since I've always seen divine healing works performed by Dr. Jaerock Lee.

Looking back upon my Christian life, I tried to figure out what caused this disease. I realized it came from my lukewarm faith. At the moment I realized it, a lot of tears flowed down on my face. I was born in a Christian family, but I hadn't had a dramatic incident to feel the Lord's love. So I used to think “I should not live like this” and make up my mind, but there was no development in my Christian life.

On March 15, before I had wrist pain, Dr. Lee had appeared in my dream and holding my hands he said, “I want to go to New Jerusalem with you but you have a heart like that of a tourist [and not a citizen].” He correctly pointed out my measure of faith. Dr. Lee's advice full of love in my dream came to my mind. I couldn't stop tears.

Then, I attended Divine Healing Meeting in Manmin Prayer Center. Mrs. Boknim Lee prayed for me with the handkerchief on which Dr. Lee had prayed (Acts 19:11-12). I received the grace of thorough repentance. After that, the condition that caused severe pain was gone.

On April 20, I had an x-ray test again in hospital. The x-ray showed that the four calcified stones had almost disappeared and I had just a trace of them remaining. The doctor kept asking me if I really hadn't received any treatment. I said no. He didn't seem to understand it, but rejoiced together with me.

I made up my mind to get healed completely and relied on God by repentance, fasting, and prayer. Finally On May 9th my test results showed there was no trace at all. Hallelujah!



Before prayer
March 26, 2012
The calcified stones



After prayer
May 9, 2012
No stones



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