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The 'Power of the Pen' Is Renewing the Souls

The Works of the Holy Spirit Are Being Experienced Worldwide through Dr. Jaerock Lee's Books



Publication of Books: Through countless days of fasting and fervent prayer, Dr. Jaerock Lee has been in deep communication with God, and by the Spirit's inspiration he has written many books. Beginning with the publication of his testimonial memoirs *Tasting Eternal Life before Death* in 1987, more than 90 books including *The Message of the Cross*; *The Measure of Faith*; *Heaven; Hell*; *Spirit, Soul, and Body*; and *The Footsteps of the Lord* have been published.



Global Distribution Network: His books have been published by nineteen distinguished publishers around the world including Charisma Media (U.S.), Evangelista Media (Italy), and Grace Publishing House (Taiwan). They have also been distributed through many bookstores including New & Best (Ukraine) and Librairie Antoine (Lebanon). The books are also available anywhere in the world on Amazon.com which is one of the biggest online bookstores.



Exhibition in International Book Fairs: The books have been displayed earning many positive reviews in several major international book fairs in Frankfurt Book Fair (Germany), Beijing International Book Fair (China), BookExpo America (USA), London Book Fair (UK), Bologna Children's Book Fair (Italy), New Delhi World Book Fair (India), and Guadalajara International Book Fair (Mexico).



Publishing of e-books: Dr. Lee's books have been issued in electronic version as well. There are 326 volumes of e-books in 49 languages out there. They are available through many online bookstores such as Kyobo Book Centre, Ridibooks, Amazon.com, iBookstore, and Google Play Books.

Title	Author	Year of Publication	Number of languages with editions	Origin / Language
Sherlock Holmes	Arthur Conan Doyle	1887	60 th	English
The Good Soldier Švejk	Jaroslav Hašek	1923	59 th	Czech
The Message of the Cross	Jaerock Lee	2002	57 th	Korean
Quo vadis	Henryk Sienkiewicz	1895	50 th	Polish
Hell	Johanna Spyri	1880	50 th	German
Qur'an	See Origin and	650	50 (complete), 114 (portions) th	Classical Arabic

Multilingual Books: Dr. Lee's books have been translated in 58 languages and published in 306 volumes. His book *The Message of the Cross* and autobiography *My Life My Faith* are included in 'List of Literary Works by Number of Translations' by Wikipedia with *The Message of the Cross* at 57 language-editions and *My Life My Faith* at 35 language-editions.



Dr. Lee's books contain the word of life and powerful works. Numerous

people all around the world have experienced the astounding works of the Holy Spirit by reading his multilingual books. They have come to abound in love for and belief in God. They have gained a longing for Heaven, their hearts have been renewed, and many of them have experienced works of divine healing.



"My employee was healed of depression"
President Ding Yuan Ping of Grace Publishing House, Taiwan

One of my employees could hardly sleep due to depression. She had to take medicine continually and wasn't able to focus on her job. She was always dissatisfied and even blamed God. But while she was editing Dr. Jaerock Lee's book *The Power of God*, she was set free from depression. She realized Dr. Lee's pain he had had from his diseases before he met God was incomparable to her pain, and she changed her thought. Then depression disappeared! This incident was very special to us, and I felt great joy.



"Hope for Heaven added"
Brother Samuel Orozco Barceló, Colombia

I wanted to unravel the mysteries in the Bible and made a study of them. Meantime I encountered Dr. Jaerock Lee's books *Heaven I & II*. By reading them, I learned there are several different dwelling places in Heaven, and I could easily understand many of the 'mysteries' in the Bible. It increased my faith and hope and spiritual longing for Heaven.



"I received financial blessing"
Sister Nadakorn Thummasat, Thailand

Although I was a Christian, when I was sick, I would go to hospital and depended on medicine. In the meantime, I happened to read Dr. Jaerock Lee's autobiography *My Life My Faith*. Now, when I am sick, I look back on myself, repent, and receive Dr. Lee's prayer. In the book, Dr. Lee always gave offerings in worship services. Moved by it, I also gave offerings with my heart in every service. Since then, I have enjoyed financial blessings.



"My faith's foundation has been built"
Brother Yonghun Kim, South Korea

When I read Dr. Jaerock Lee's books, I felt my untruth fall apart and faith build its foundation. *The Message of the Cross* was, especially, amazing! I thought with moaning, 'Why has nobody told me that Christianity is this kind of belief?' I came to understand God's mercy and the Lord's sacrificial love from my heart.



"My soul was awakened by the book Hell"
Brother Selvaraj, India

Dr. Jaerock Lee's book *Hell* reveals things that I have never heard of in other churches. This great work awakened my soul that was in spiritual slumber. I was stunned to learn that even children may go to Hell due to sinful natures inherited from parents. I also realized the justice of God in which He repays one according to what a person has done on the earth. I placed this book at home in plain view so that visitors can read it. Once they read it, they exclaimed, "What a wonderful book!"



Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

“Therefore, come now, and I will send you to Pharaoh, so that you may bring My people, the sons of Israel, out of Egypt” (Exodus 3:10).

How the Israelites entered Canaan with belief in God’s promise is similar to how God’s children today take hold of Heaven by faith. I urge you to decide what you should do by looking now into the history of Israelites’ conquering Canaan.

First of all, let’s delve into how Israel was established and moved to and stayed in Egypt. We will also look into how Moses became the great leader of the sons of Israel.

1. The birth of Israel and the people’s movement to Egypt

Abraham had a son named Isaac, and Isaac begot Esau and Jacob. Esau had the birthright to receive God’s blessings as the first son, but he sold it to his younger brother Jacob for a bowl of lentil stew. Jacob longed for spiritual blessings and took hold of them even by force. God planned to fulfill His providence through the descendants of Jacob and refined him over a long period of time.

As a result Jacob received the new name, ‘Israel,’ and his descendants are the ‘sons of Israel,’ that is, they are the Israelites. To make this one family a great nation, God used His amazing wisdom. God arranged for Joseph, the eleventh son of Jacob, to go to Egypt and prepared for him to save the country from the seven-year famine that prevailed in the Middle East. By receiving God’s wisdom, he made preparation for the famine and saved the Egyptians.

The Pharaoh received such great grace from Joseph that he welcomed and accepted Joseph’s family

members, namely the Israelites who were also suffering from the famine, into Egypt. This way, the Israelites could stay in safety and even in comfort during the seven years of famine. They multiplied their numbers in Egypt.

The problem was that after the Pharaoh died a Pharaoh arose in Egypt who did not know about Joseph. This Pharaoh was afraid of the Israelites who had rapidly multiplied in number and he tried to keep them in check. He even ordered that all new-born Hebrew boys be put to death. It was a plan to destroy the Israelites as a whole. God had promised that Israel would form a great nation but instead they were in danger of being exterminated.

2. Moses humbled himself in the providence of God and became the leader of Israelites

Moses was born in this gloomy time. By the order of the Pharaoh, Moses would have been killed when he was born. But under God’s guidance he was taken and raised by the princess, a daughter of Pharaoh. More amazingly, Moses’ actual mother became his nurse-maid and brought him up.

All this was done within the plans of God the Almighty. God saved him from death and let him learn the best things in the palace of Pharaoh, and at the same time God let him be taught about his people and faith in God from his mother.

Though Moses was a prince of Egypt, he always had concerns about his people who were suffering. One day, he saw an Egyptian man beating a Hebrew, and in his outrage he killed the Egyptian. When this was revealed, Moses fled to the land of Midian. There he had an arduous life in the wilderness. His plans for his future and the hopes for his people were also gone.

In a sense, he became a man of little merit to fulfill God’s plans. When he was a prince, he had authority to do something great for the people of Israel. But now, he was merely a fugitive and a lowly man. For him it seemed there was nothing he could

do. Then what should we realize here?

In fulfilling His providence, God chose Moses not when he was confident as a prince of Egypt but when he had become humbled as a shepherd in the wilderness. This humble man, Moses, is the kind of person God can use. God achieves His providence through men who have broken down their thoughts, denied themselves completely, and obeyed God completely by relying on God alone. However, there is the need of trials to learn how to rely on God completely.

As for me, I was a confident man because I achieved my goals without fail once I decided to do them. I was confident about my ability and wisdom. I wanted to be a member of National Assembly and hoped that I would do many good things for my people. But God allowed for me to deny myself completely through seven years of diseases and poverty. I realized that there was nothing I was able to do and I had nothing that was mine not even my own life.

Then God came to me and healed me of all my diseases, and He called me as His servant. At that time I had no money, certainly not enough to open a church. I was not an articulate and persuasive speaker who was able to preach. I was too introverted to be a pastor. I was getting too old to enter into a theological seminary and my memory was poor. But God Himself called me and made me a pastor of power.

For Moses to obey God and fulfill His providence, he had to humble himself completely by remaining in the wilderness for forty years. During this time, Moses thoroughly realized that nothing could be done with his own wisdom, ability, or methods.

3. God showed His signs so that Moses could push forward with fulfilling His providence

Even while Moses was undergoing the refining trials in the wilderness, the persecutions and the slavery of Israelites in Egypt were still going on. The sons of Israel sighed because of the bondage, and they cried out; and their cry for help rose up to God.

God decided to save the Israelites and appeared before Moses. He said to Moses, “...so that you may bring My people, the sons of Israel, out of Egypt.”

He was now in anguish. He was just a shepherd, and it was sure that Pharaoh wouldn’t let the Israelites go. It was unlikely that even his own people would follow him.

God knew this Moses’ troubled mind. He did not just send him, but also showed him evidence. When Moses followed God’s instructions to throw down his staff, it turned into a serpent. When he took it by the tail, it turned into a staff again. When he put his hand in his cloak and took it out, his hand was leprous like snow. When he did it again, it was restored like the rest of his flesh. After seeing the signs of God, Moses left for Egypt with the staff, as God told him.

Spiritually, the ‘staff’ refers to faith. Just like people with weak legs can walk relying on a staff, we can do anything that is impossible with our own strength when we show faith in God the Almighty. Because Moses knew his shortcomings very well, he was also afraid and somewhat embarrassed, but only with faith in God he started the life-risking venture.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, God sent Moses and delivered the sons of Israel from Egypt. Ever since then, and for each era, God has sent His men to save His people.

Even today when the darkness covers the world, God wants to lead His people through His man who is obedient to Him. He wants him to testify to Him by manifesting His power, save countless people from this world that is comparable to Egypt, and take them into the Land of Canaan, which is the heavenly kingdom, the land flowing with milk and honey.

Therefore, I urge you to destroy all fleshly thoughts and speculations and to obey God completely. I pray in the name of the Lord that by doing so you will enter Canaan, the land flowing with milk and honey, and eventually even enter into the most beautiful Heaven, New Jerusalem!

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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Why Do Christians Observe the Sabbath on Sunday?

Q. Why do Christians observe the Sabbath and worship on Sunday when the Old Testament set Saturday as the Sabbath and in Israel the Jews still observe the Sabbath on Saturday?

A. God created the heavens and the earth and all things in them for six days, and He rested on the seventh day from His work. That is why in the Old Testament time, the Sabbath was observed on Saturday which is the seventh day of a week. However, in the New Testament time, the Sabbath observance is Sunday, the Lord's Day, which was the day when Jesus was resurrected after he died on the cross to save us. Let's now delve into the reason based on the Scripture.



1. Jesus Christ is Lord of the Sabbath

Genesis 1:3 reads, "Then God said, 'Let there be light'; and there was light." The light is spiritual light, meaning God's power and His sovereignty. By saying, "Let there be light", God who is the Light Himself proclaimed His authority all over the space and all things in it.

John 1:9 says, "There was the true Light which, coming into the world, enlightens every man." The true Light is Jesus Christ who was the Word and existed in the form of God but became flesh and came to the earth to save us.

In the 12th chapter of the Gospel of Matthew, the Pharisees saw Jesus' disciples pick the heads of grain and eat on the Sabbath and told on them to Jesus. Then Jesus explained this with an example of David and said, "For the Son of Man is Lord of the Sabbath" (Matthew 12:8). The Son of Man refers

to Jesus Himself, and He explained He, who is the true Light, is Lord of the Sabbath.

On the first day of the Creation, God let there be light. In the same manner, it was on Sunday which is the first day of the week when the true Light—the Lord—shone all over the world. It means that He was crucified to save all mankind and was buried on Friday, and it was on Sunday He overcame death and resurrected, thereby shining all over the world.

Now He became the first fruits of resurrection and gave the true Light and life to souls who lived in darkness of death and pain. From the day of His resurrection, God's children gained hope for resurrection and came to have true rest. That is why the Sabbath observance became Sunday, which is called 'the Lord's Day'.

2. 'On the Day after the Sabbath' in the Old Testament

Leviticus 23:10-12 states, "Speak to the sons of Israel and say to them, 'When you enter the land which I am going to give to you and reap its harvest, then you shall bring in the sheaf of the first fruits of your harvest to the priest. He shall wave the sheaf before the LORD for you to be accepted; on the day after the Sabbath the priest shall wave it. Now on the day when you wave the sheaf, you shall offer a male lamb one year old without defect for a burnt offering to the LORD.'"

Here, God told the sons of Israel to offer a one year old male lamb without defect 'on the day after the Sabbath' which is Sunday. 'A male lamb' symbolizes Jesus Christ who is the Lamb of God. 'The first fruits of your harvest' also stands for Jesus Christ who is the first fruits of resurrection just as said in 1 Corinthians 15:20 reads, "But now Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who are asleep." Even the Old Testament prophesied about Sunday worship and that it would be the Lord Jesus Christ's day.

3. True rest was given to mankind through Jesus' resurrection

After the first man, Adam committed the first transgression of mankind by eating from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, mankind lost true rest. As God said, "...for in the day that you eat from it you will surely die." Adam's spirit did die and his descendants—all mankind—were destined to eternal death that is Hell. However, Jesus came as our Savior. Sinless as He was, He took all the suffering of the cross on behalf of us and died. Yet on the third day He overcame death and was resurrected. Thereby He gave hope for resurrection and eternal life to men who had nothing but death ahead due to their sins.

Accordingly, anyone can receive the Holy Spirit as a gift and their dead spirits are revived when they accept Jesus Christ and repent of their sins. This is spiritual resurrection.

By believing Jesus Christ, we gain the right to become God's children and enjoy true rest. Still, rest on the earth is not perfect rest. So God has been preparing the everlasting and perfect resting place, Heaven. When the Lord

comes in the air, we will put on the imperishable form and meet Him in the air. This is physical resurrection, and then we will have true rest forever.

As explained, Sunday is the day that Jesus, who is Lord of the Sabbath, was resurrected and thereby gave us true rest. That is why Christians call Sunday the 'Lord's Day' and worship on Sunday.

Acts 20:7 reads, "On the first day of the week, when we were gathered together to break bread..." It means that they gathered on 'Sunday' which is the first day of a week and broke bread which symbolizes the flesh of the Son of Man. As the flesh of the Son of Man refers to the Word, they made the Word of God the spiritual bread of life through worship on Sunday. In addition, 1 Corinthians 16:2 says, "On the first day of every week each one of you is to put aside and save, as he may prosper, so that no collections be made when I come." They also gave offering on Sunday the first day of every week.

Therefore, we should understand the true meaning of the Lord's Day and keep it holy. Then we can have true rest under God's protection and with hope for resurrection and eternal life.

“God Was Pleased with My Keeping the Lord’s Day and Healed Me of Compression Fracture”

Junior Deaconess Youngsun Cho, age 73, Parish 12, South Korea

On May 17, 2014 I had an amazing dream while I was sleeping after Friday All-night Service. In the dream, Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee squeezed my solar plexus.

In those days I had had difficulty breathing. I could neither walk fast nor run because I quickly became breathless. After the dream, however, I was able to walk fast and even run with no problem. After experiencing the work of God, I enjoyed listening to sermons and tried to live by the Word of God.

In August in 2014, I saw another powerful work of God happening to me. Since fifteen years ago my right eye had a nasolacrimal duct obstruction which leads to an excess flow of tears. I needed to carry tissues or handkerchiefs all the time as I shed tears so frequently. I also felt ashamed because my eyelids were often stuck with yellowish-green discharge. I underwent surgery twice for it, but with no improvement.

But now a mysterious thing occurred after I received Dr. Lee’s prayer during the Seminar at the Manmin Summer Retreat 2014. My right nostril dripped constantly in the way the tears had previously kept running. In the morning on August 31, I blew my nose. I then felt it was cleared and at the same time my right eye felt cool. After that, the constant tears from my right eye stopped.

In November, I sold my house in Incheon and moved to my daughter’s to lead a better Christian life. I felt grateful for allowing me to live a proper believing life as well as live with my daughter and

my grandson. Now once again I was given another chance to increase faith.

While unpacking at her house, I was moving a flower pot. I tripped on something and fell down on the flowerpot. It felt like my hip bone collapsed, and severe pain swept over me. With the help of my grandson, I was rushed by ambulance to a hospital.

The screenings of X-ray and MRI revealed that my 12th thoracic vertebrae had been compressed with fracture. My doctor told me that I should stay in bed without moving for around three months. He would



▲ X-ray of her thoracic vertebrae: 12th one with compression fracture

see if there was improvement and would then decide whether I needed surgery or not. But I prayed earnestly to attend worship services on Sunday.

I entered the hospital on Wednesday, so it seemed impossible for me to go to church on Sunday. But my grandson obtained the hospital’s permission for me to go out and I went to church. On the way I experienced serious pain, but in my heart I was thankful I was going to church.

When I arrived at church the pain was so severe that I had to offer up the service lying down. I offered it up via GCN live broadcasting in our car parked in the church yard. God poured down lots of grace upon me through

the message. While I was receiving Dr. Lee’s prayer after the message, I was given faith of healing. As soon as the prayer ended, I abruptly sneezed twice. What a surprise! No pain was felt! My daughter said, “Mom, give it a try. Get up and get out of the car.” I could get up, and got out of the car, and walked naturally without pain. Hallelujah!

My daughter and I cried a lot and gave glory to God. After all services, we went back to the hospital. Other patients were surprised to see me walk into my room with a bright face. I testified to God’s healing.

It is said that in the case of compression fracture of thoracic vertebrae, improvement can be seen in six months at the earliest though it is treated with medicine, physical therapy, or brace-wearing. But my pain was gone, and in a few days, I came to walk normally. God’s power is really amazing! I give all thanks and glory to God.



▲ Junior Deaconess Youngsun Cho (third from left) recovered good health through the grace of God. She is having happy days while leading a Christian life with her daughter Deaconess Sunye Hong, her grandson Brother Junyoung Jung, and her granddaughter Sister Iseul Hong.

“As I Met My Good God, I Was Healed and Blessed”

Sister Yamuna, age 17, Chennai Manmin Church, India



▲ Yamuna (left), her father Balasubramani, her mother Pushpa, and her sister Mdhumathi are living in God’s love and blessing.

My family attended a Pentecostal church, but we moved to Kilpauk area in 2009 and we were looking for a church to attend. On December 25, 2009, we were guided to Chennai Manmin Church by Deaconess Maria. We have met the living God who answers and blesses us and who is so good. Now we are living happy Christian lives.

In 2008, my father had a motorcycle accident and his right ankle was injured. After that he found it hard even to sit down and stand up and moved about relying on a stick. So he had a very hard time working.

But he was healed when he received Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee’s prayer for the sick via GCN (www.gcnetv.org) during Friday All-night Service. He was blessed to move to another and better workplace too. My mother was also healed of stomach ulcers that had troubled her for ten years.

My sister also experienced the power of God. She used to have an allergy. It had repeatedly occurred and disappeared below her eyes. It was once spread all over her

face. Her face became rough and it felt itchy and painful. Pastor Joseph Han of my church, prayed for her with the handkerchief on which Senior Pastor had prayed (Acts 19:11-12). She also sprayed Muan Sweet Water on it. Muan Sweet Water is the fresh drinkable water that was changed from salty seawater by Senior Pastor’s prayer, and through the prayer and Sweet Water, she was completely healed!

In March 2014, I asked Senior Pastor to pray for admission to the high school that I wanted to attend. After his space-and-time-transcending prayer, I was accepted by the school which I liked.

My younger sister and I are members of Sisters’ Chorus and Power Dance Team in my church. My father is Vice President of Men’s Mission, and my mother serves the church volunteering for the members’ meal on Sunday. I want to be a professor in computer engineering and help the church and the shepherd. I give thanks to Senior Pastor, my shepherd of love, who has led us to meet our good Father God.



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