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## The Prayer Stopped A Blizzard in Huainan, China!

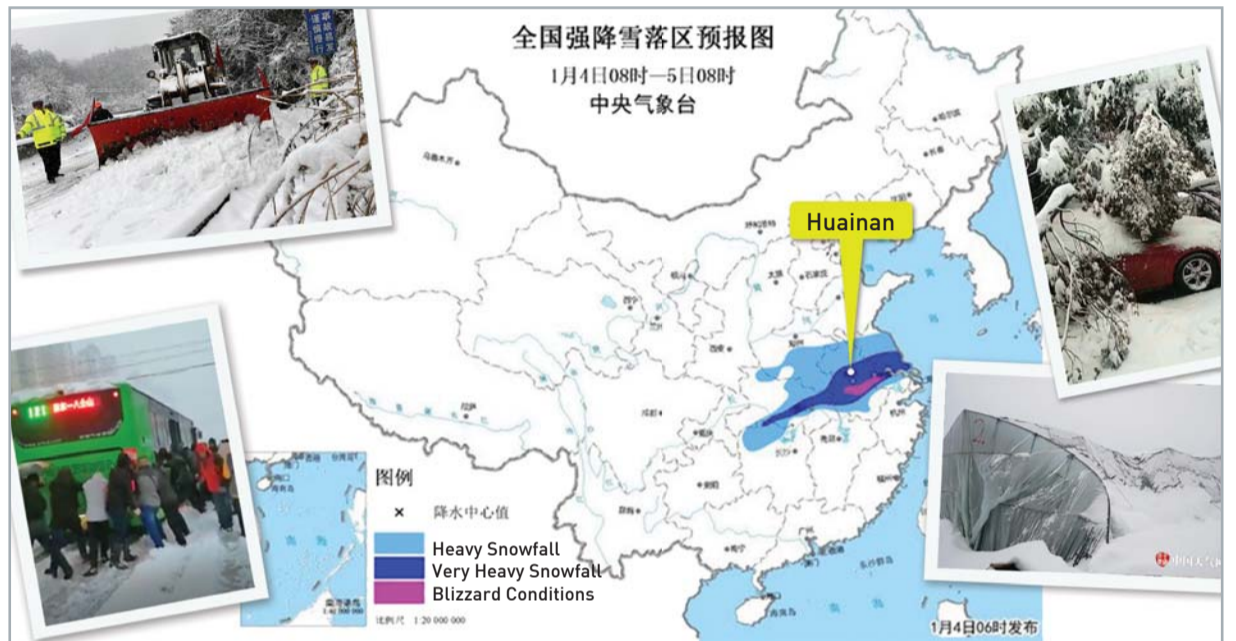
In early January 2018, the prayer of Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee transcended space and time and stopped heavy snowfall that hit Huainan in China.

The National Meteorological Center of China forecast the heaviest snowfall would hit Huainan located in Anhui province at the lower reaches of Yangzi River in China this winter from 8 A.M. on January 4 to 8 A.M. on January 5. The blizzard alert was issued, and the snow conditions claimed four fatalities and caused financial loss worth 1.15 million dollars.

Many Manmin members live in Huainan, and they farm vegetables in greenhouses. On the morning of January 4, around 20cm of snow fell in the area. If it had continued to snow at the rate, their crops would have been damaged. So, they sent a prayer request to Dr. Lee.

At 6:15 P.M. on January 4 in Korea, Dr. Lee prayed for them transcending space and time. After then, it began to subside and completely stopped around at 7 P.M. The local media reported that the blizzard alert had been issued with continuation through 8 A.M. on January 5 but it was lifted at local time 6 P.M. (7 P.M. in Korean time) on January 4.

The members said it snowed heavily, but it stopped completely at 7 P.M. (Korean time). It was less than an hour after Dr. Lee's prayer. Moreover, their greenhouses were not damaged in the heavy snow, and their cars were protected safely while there were many car accidents in the area (photo, right).



## Dr. Jaerock Lee's Books Were Displayed in New Delhi World Book Fair 2018

From January 6 through 14 in 2018, Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee's books were introduced at New Delhi World Book Fair 2018 held at Pragati Maidan in Delhi, India. This is one of the biggest book fairs in Asia. This year, approximately 800 publishing houses from 35 countries joined and 1.2 million people visited their booths.

As a local partner publisher of Urim Books, MSS has published and distributed Dr. Lee's books all over the world. In its booth, Delhi Manmin Church (Pastor John Kim) displayed

Hindi editions of Dr. Lee's books: *The Message of the Cross*, *Hell*, and *My Life My Faith*. The English editions of *Heaven and Spirit, Soul, and Body* were also displayed. A great number of people visited and looked through the books.

In addition, they publicized a new Hindi program that enables readers to access Dr. Lee's books on digital media, video clips produced for SNS or You-Tube users, and *Manmin News*. The video presentation concerning Dr. Lee's powerful works in particular appealed to many visitors.

Dr. Lee's powerful works from his daughter who had visited the book fair. While watching it he was healed of arthritis. His wife had been paralyzed in her lower body, but sensation restored to her legs.

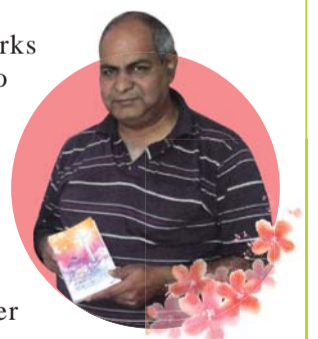
Brother Adarsh Warman, age 25, on the left in the photo, was trying to find ways to cure his cousin, Rinku, age 22, who had been determined to have permanent disability resulting from congenital cerebral palsy. He visited the book fair and heard about Dr. Lee.

He took his cousin to Delhi Manmin Church. After receiving the prayer in the church, his cousin came to walk for the first time in his life.



In this annual book fair, more and more people have experienced amazing works of the Holy Spirit through testimonies of healing by Dr. Lee's prayer and the holiness gospel.

Brother Satya Prakash Sharma, age 53, suffered from such serious arthritis that he couldn't walk properly. But he received a CD that contains





Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

“For to us God revealed them through the Spirit; for the Spirit searches all things, even the depths of God” (1 Corinthians 2:10).

# Holy Spirit's Ministry

blood of Jesus Christ. From this point on they have to live a righteous life, and to do so, they need the ministry of the Holy Spirit. To live a righteous life means ‘to struggle against and throw away sins even until the point of shedding blood and to lead a godly life according to the word of God.’

The Holy Spirit teaches the children of God the truth, brings it to their remembrances, and guides them into the truth so that they can lead a righteous life in the truth (John 14:26; 16:13). Thus, churches and pastors that are led by the Holy Spirit should teach and guide the believers in casting off sins and living in righteousness.

It is for this true purpose that God has been cultivating mankind to the point of giving up His only begotten Son. He wishes for you not to end up merely a saved child of God, but to come forth as a true child of God who resembles Him.

## 2. The Holy Spirit helps us have the realization of judgment.

During His 33-year life on this earth, Jesus performed His ministry for 3 years. But the ministry of the Holy Spirit lasts until the last moment of the history of human cultivation. He unceasingly proclaims the second coming of the Lord and the Judgment (Matthew 12:18).

But today, evils have become rampant in the world, and the conscience of people is also becoming stained with more evils. Even believers in Christ are becoming numbed to the Judgment. Such people live a life the same as that of worldly people.

Regrettably, many of them think once they accepted and believe the Lord as their Savior they will surely be saved in any case. They do not know how people will be judged on the last day, what the criteria of Judgment is, and what the result of Judgment will be. They vaguely think they will be able to be saved because they think they believe.

But concerning such people, in Matthew 7:21, Jesus exclaimed, “Not everyone who says to Me, ‘Lord,

Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father who is in heaven will enter.” We can be led to do the will of God when we hear what the Holy Spirit says to us and are guided by Him.

When we live in the work of the Holy Spirit, we don't have to think in detail whether or not we should say this and do that, what kind of word we should say in a certain situation, and how we should behave. We will naturally speak with words of truth and do deeds of truth by the guidance of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit guides the children of God in the way that they can receive praises, honor, and glory before the throne of God on the Day of Judgment.

If you obey and follow the Holy Spirit's guidance, you will not be judged for dreadful punishments, but for glorious rewards. I urge all of you to be led by the Holy Spirit every day and forcefully advance to a better dwelling place of Heaven daily so that you can stand in glory before the White Throne Judgment.

## 3. The Helper Holy Spirit helps us understand the heart of Father God.

Our life may be totally changed when we understand the heart of God who created us and has been cultivating us on this earth. So, the Holy Spirit always helps us understand the heart of God (1 Corinthians 2:10; Romans 5:5). The Holy Spirit helps us gain realization concerning how deep God loves us, how abounding His mercy and love are, how long He waits and how patiently He endures.

In this church, the spiritual realm has constantly been taught in detail, and it has been shown as if it were touched and felt with our eyes and hands. The spiritual world has been manifested on the earth so that the church members can feel God who is not seen.

And, the church has also shown the heart of God through numerous manifestations of power. The heart and origin of God has been explained

without ceasing, so that many of the members have come to possess the faith of fathers who know Father God who has been from the beginning just as written in 1 John 2:14. But such fruits could not have been borne at all if the Holy Spirit had not let you know the heart and origin of God.

In John 17:8, Jesus said to God, “For the words which You gave Me I have given to them; and they received them and truly understood that I came forth from You, and they believed that You sent Me.”

In a same way that Jesus did, the Holy Spirit also was sent by God, and the Holy Spirit has taught us only the words that God gave to Him. That's why we have been able to understand the origin and heart of God. Moreover, the Holy Spirit is interceding for us according to the will of God so that we may completely change and become true children of God (Romans 8:27).

If we restore the image of God by this help of the Holy Spirit, any of us can resemble God and become His true children.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, if you accept Jesus Christ who opened the way of salvation for all people by the love of the cross, repent of what you did wrong, and receive forgiveness, you can receive the Holy Spirit as a gift and gain the right to become God's children.

God's children who have become sanctified by the help of the Holy Spirit, can spread the gospel to the poor and set free the captives from sins of the world by the works of the Holy Spirit. They can heal people who are suffering from all kinds of diseases and infirmities and proclaim the way of salvation to those who are going the way of death and oppressed by the burden of sins (Luke 4:18-19). Thereby, they can proclaim the grace of the Lord and the glory of God over the whole world. I pray in the name of the Lord you all may be partakers in this blessed ministry and fully cover the earth with the fiery works of the Holy Spirit in the end time of the world.

While performing His duty on this earth, Jesus said in John 16:7, “But I tell you the truth, it is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you; but if I go, I will send Him to you.” Jesus performed the duty of a Helper during His earthly ministry, and here He said that another Helper would come and succeed to the duty.

The original ministry of Jesus is to open the way to release mankind from their sins and allow them to become saved children of God. But just His opening the way does not mean fulfillment of perfect salvation of mankind. That is why God sent us another Helper (John 14:17). He is the Holy Spirit, and He searches all things. Today let's delve into how He helps believers.

## 1. The Helper Holy Spirit helps us realize righteousness.

God sent Jesus to this earth to solve the problem of mankind's sins. Jesus was crucified, shed all His water and blood, and He drew His last breath. However, because He had no sin at all, He overcame death and resurrected. In this way He completed the ministry of salvation. He became the firstfruits of the resurrection and appears on the right hand of God's throne.

Anyone who believes in Jesus Christ and accepts Him as the Savior can be forgiven of their sins and can receive the Holy Spirit as a gift. At this point they are justified freely through the work of the precious

## 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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# God-pleasing Prayer

To become a spiritual warrior and fulfill God's providence for the end time, above all we need to fervently pray. This is because, together with our sanctification, our aroma of fervent prayer is the source of power to move heavenly hosts and angels, destroy the authority of evil spirits in the air, and demolish the camp of darkness. Let's now check our prayer in three aspects.

## With how much love for God and the Lord have you prayed?

Prayer, first, should be offered with the heart full of love for God and the Lord.

When the Jews were on the verge of destruction, Queen Esther came before the king of the Persian Empire to ask him to save the Jews. In fact, she might have been put to death because it was considered a violation of the law of the empire. But she had clung to God with faith, saying, "If I perish, I would perish," and she prayed with fasting. In the end, she received the answer to her prayer.

Daniel also prayed, not for a comfortable life, but to fulfill God's will and, on behalf of His people he repented the sins they committed. His intercessory prayer of love

was accepted by God and God answered his prayer through the angel of Gabriel (Daniel 9). In the same way your prayer must be offered in love.



When you pray for the kingdom of God, if you know and feel the heart of God who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth, you will pray more earnestly for His kingdom (1 Timothy 2:4).

And when you hear that an untold number of people died in big accidents or natural

disasters, your heart may be taken by sorrow and become fervent for souls' salvation. If one with a disease prays for others who are suffering from diseases, not only for himself, his prayer will be more quickly answered and he will be healed. It is because when the prayer of love moves the heart of God, His mercy comes upon us and we can bring down His answer.

If you really love God, the shepherd and the souls, you can pray in the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. You will also offer God-touching prayers with the tears of God, the heart of the Lord and of the shepherd. In this way, love serves as the passage to quick answers.

## How sincerely have you prayed for the kingdom of God?

To be sincere means to be unchanging, and to do one's best with faithfulness and truthfulness. Some people, when they are full of grace, tearfully and fervently pray. But when their fervor cools down, their heart becomes numb and they repeat the same words in prayer.

You should not repeat the prayer titles only with lips habitually. You should have an earnest longing to accomplish the will of God and pray with a faithful and truthful heart. With a sincere prayer, when you pray for a church event, you will be reminded of detailed prayer points for it by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. You will pray in detail for main workers who are preparing for the event, for the proper

weather, for the finances and for those who attend to receive grace and give glory to God.



If you pray with this sincere heart, you can pray for every detail by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit for the event without meaningless repetition. And you can pray with faith and love that come from the depths of your heart. When you pray for the kingdom of God and seek others' benefits, not your own, God will accept your prayer with joy.

Some pray for God's kingdom in the beginning but in the middle, they start

praying for themselves without realizing it. It is because personal matters come across their mind such as their family members to be healed and receive blessings. Others cry out in prayer for their own desires but when they pray for God's kingdom, their prayer is not fervent.

Matthew 6:33 says, "But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you." It is the secret to receiving answers. When you seek first God's kingdom and His righteousness, there is no prayer title that you cannot receive the answer to and you will grow in faith more quickly because God is delighted.

## With how much goodness have you prayed?

Psalm 66:18 says, "If I regard wickedness in my heart, the LORD will not hear." When you pray with wickedness in your heart, God does not listen to your prayer. Then, you cannot receive answers. Worse, if you do evil in action, it's less likely to receive answers.

Malachi 1:10 states, "'Oh that there were one among you who would shut the gates, that you might not uselessly kindle fire on My altar! I am not pleased with you,' says the LORD of hosts, 'nor will I accept an offering from you.'" God groaned and warned the people of the sacrifices that they offered God in formality without having reverent fear of God.

To revere God is to hate evil (Proverbs 8:13), so if you revere God, you will cast off every form of evil (1 Thessalonians 5:22). Thus, those who truly have reverent fear of God cannot commit sins nor even harbor sins.



If you say you revere God but you feel uncomfortable when things are not in accordance with your interest, or if you feel jealous of others, or if you feel upset with somebody who is against your will and argue with him in anger, your prayer cannot be accepted by God.

Of course a new believer's prayer can be accepted because God considers his/her level of faith. However, if you have faith, you should throw away evil for sure and offer up the fragrance of goodness to God who is love and goodness Himself.

Therefore, in order to lead countless souls to salvation and reveal the glory of God as spiritual warriors, you should become sanctified and offer up prayer of love, sincerity, and goodness. In addition, when you receive strength to offer up powerful and fervent prayer that moves the heavenly throne, you can become workers of power.

During my middle school years, I was beaten by a senior in the school. My left eye was swollen so much that I couldn't open it. The swelling subsided over time but it may have caused the failing of my eyesight. From the age of 18, things looked blurred in the eye and my vision began to fail. When I was 25, I wore glasses because I couldn't see the traffic signs on the road when I drove a car. Soon my right eyesight also worsened. In the end, I relied on glasses for 25 years.

After I registered in Manmin, I witnessed countless people recover better eyesight. In 2014, I wanted to recover eyesight in earnest. In 2015, Senior Pastor said during the sermon that many with poor eyesight would restore their eyesight and urged us to be prepared. I prayed with a longing and joined volunteer work in Manmin Summer Retreat. Throughout the retreat, I received his prayers with amen.

There my eyesight didn't improve during the retreat, but I didn't lose heart. I rather came to have a stronger desire to please God. I unchangingly kept a grateful heart before God and kept hope for healing. I did volunteer work in every retreat for three years. I was more earnest when I worked in my workplace because I spent



## “My vision improved by the power of God!”

Deacon Sungyoon Lee,  
age 49, Parish 12, Manmin Central Church

much time outside. When it rained or snowed, water splashed over my glasses and blocked my view. I became very earnest.

In December 2017, the special Christmas was around the corner, which was the day to finish the seven-year period that Senior Pastor filled the justice for us.

I was happy and excited. On December 17, I was waiting for Senior Pastor to greet him. My wife told me that tears were flowing down from my eyes. I wiped them with tissues in a surprise, but I couldn't stop them.

After I shook hands with Senior Pastor, I went to Sunday Morning

Service. The screen looked a little blurred, but I didn't take it seriously. During Sunday Evening Service, things looked more blurred and tears flowed down on my face constantly. I thought, 'I bought these new glasses not long ago. Is it because of them? Should I have my vision checked again?' And I took them off to wipe tears out. Right then, I was astonished!

The captions on the screen came to my eyes so clearly. 'Oh! What happened to me!' I looked around. I put my glasses on and off several times. It was certainly true that things on the screen looked clearer without glasses. My vision had already improved when I shook hands with Senior Pastor!

I went to hospital and had my eyesight checked. In fact, I had had it checked two months before, and the result was 0.2/0.2. But on the test, my eyesight was 0.9/0.9! I unknowingly said, "Wow! My eyesight improved!" Hearing this, the doctor said, "Eyesight only gets worse. It can't get better." He didn't believe me.

However, I can boldly say that my eyesight got better in a moment by the power of God the Almighty! On the day of healing, I was even healed of ringing in my ears that I had suffered from for several years. I give all thanks and glory to God of love and power.

## “Blessing overflows in my workplace!”

Deaconess Irena, age 39, Overseas Parish, Manmin Central Church

I was born into a Christian family and grew up in the Lord thanks to my grandmother. During the period of Japanese colonial rule, she had moved to Sakhalin with her family. Although Russia banned Christianity at that time, she had worship services at home with several other families. As her spiritual eyes opened, she would talk about heaven. She once said that angels were offering up beautiful praises in front of the throne of God.

She said her lifelong desire was to return to South Korea because a powerful pastor would appear in the country and lead all people of all nations to salvation. In 1998, her wish was fulfilled, and my family returned to Korea and began free believing lives.

In the meantime, my father was guided to Manmin Central Church by an acquaintance. In 2009, I also began to go to the church. When I witnessed the signs, wonders, and powerful works, I was convinced that Senior Pastor is the one that my grandmother had talked about.

From 2012, I helped my Overseas Parish Pastor with Russian interpretation when she visited Russian-speaking people. I felt happy to work for the kingdom of God. I chose a job that caused no problem in helping my parish pastor although there were other better offers. God, then, led me to a better workplace.

In 2013, Senior Pastor showed up in my dream. He gently said that I had done a good job and asked if I ate well and how I was doing in my workplace. I thought it amazing. Afterwards, I was hired by a hospital in Seoul that I had wanted to work for. I started to work as an interpreting manager for Russian-speaking patients and my annual salary increased more than twofold. My job made me become a more skillful interpreter and broaden my heart. One day, Senior Pastor appeared again in my dream. He called each of my Russian-speaking cell members and

asked me to take good care of them. After the dream, I was given a duty as a cell leader for a Russian-speaking cell in the overseas parish and as a Russian interpreter of Sunday Evening Service.

In May 2017, I joined a preparation trip for the international conference of World Christian Doctors Network. When we received Senior Pastor's prayer before the trip, he prayed for every detail that I had not even thought of. Back in Seoul, I was promoted in my workplace from a coordinator to a chief manager of the international department. I supervise all managers in charge of language interpretation except for the English team. I also acquired some licenses that are really hard to get and my income increased.

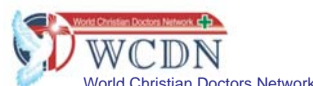
In October 2017, I participated in WCDN Russia Conference as an interpreter and received much grace from medical doctors and professionals who proved the divine healing cases based on medical data. I give all thanks and glory to God who has led me to blessed ways both in spirit and body.



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