

Unificationism: the way of Filial Piety

Overview

Who is God?

God is our Creator and Parents of all humankind, the origin of masculinity and femininity.

God is love.

God is the God of Redemption and Restoration who was embodied in the person of Jesus Christ.

God is our eternal Parent and partner in the realm of Heart.

The Dual Characteristics of God & the Creation



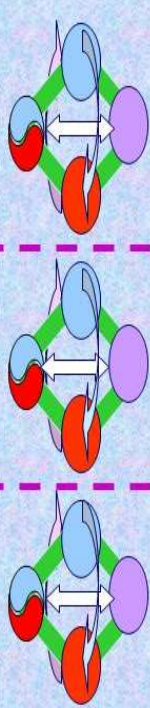
Human beings, male and female, were designed together to be a microcosm of the universe and the direct object partner of God.

Who are we to God?

We are the children of God.

We are destined to be the dwelling place of divine spirit.

Reflecting the Nature of the Creator

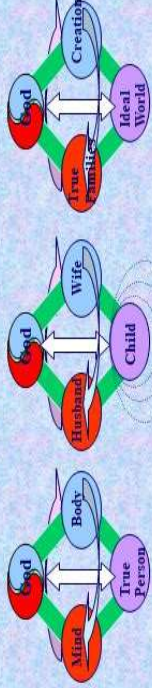


- 1) Harmony of Internal Character and External Form (personality & power)
Genesis 1:28 “Be fruitful, multiply and have dominion...”
- 2) Harmony of Masculinity and Femininity (original parents)
- 3) Harmony of True Subject-Object Relationship (Creator & creation) Genesis 9:1

“The Three Blessings”

have dominion...”

Object of Goodness for the Joy of God



- 1) Personal Victory
 - 2) Family Victory
 - 3) True Ownership
- Families who fulfill the Ideal of Creation are a:
- Microcosm and center of harmony for the whole of the Creation
 - True object of absolute love and joy for God
 - Qualified co-creator of goodness through realizing the three Blessings



The Purpose of Creation

The realization of the home of love, for you, your eternal partner, and even for the Creator and Source of Love.

How did the Human Fall change humanity?

- False root of love--false lineage, false love, false life.
- Genesis 2: 17 “in the day that you eat thereof you will surely die”
- 1 Corinthians 15:22 “as in Adam all die, so in Christ, will all be made alive.”
- John 3:3 “Except a man be born again, he cannot see the Kingdom of God.”
- John 8:44 “You are of your father the devil...”
- Ignorance--ignorance of the love of God and the loss of divine sovereignty through the corruption of lineage.
- God’s sorrow--Genesis 6:6; Jeremiah 9:1; Ezekiel 16

The Crime of Adam & Eve



naked & unashamed
Genesis 2:25

covered their lower parts
Genesis 3:7

What is the History of Restoration?

The Old Testament Age (Tanach) Restoration of God's lineage through Abraham's descendants. Reverse the conditions of the fall through the Covenant.

The New Testament Age of rebirth and spiritual salvation through faith.

The Completed Testament Age of the final restoration of true families and the kingdom of God on earth and in the realm of spirit. Total salvation.

Why Unificationism?

The quest of God for the Kingdom where the divine will is done "on earth as it is in Heaven".

The realm of heart to live with God in a subject/object relationship through filial piety in a life of attendance to our Heavenly Parents.

The way of heart and attendance that reverses the effects of the human fall completely--the sovereignty of Heavenly Parents restored, total salvation through the restoration of all humanity and all Creation, even the angels.

Suggested Resources

As a Peace-Loving Global Citizen--an autobiography by Rev. Dr. Sun Myung Moon

Mother of Peace: And God Shall Wipe Away All Tears from Their Eyes--a memoir by Hak Ja Han Moon

Exposition of the Divine Principle--Holy Spirit Association for the Unification of World Christianity.

Realizing Jesus: What the Bible Really Tells Us about Jesus--by K. C. McCarthy