

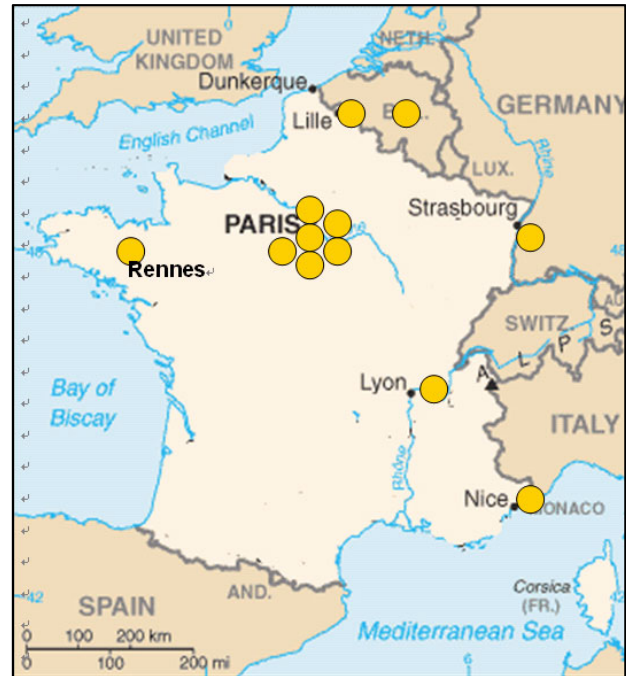
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Our **PARIS** event took place at the “Georg V auditorium” right beside the most famous sights of the city – the Arc de Triomphe, Champs Élysée and Tour d’Eiffel. The hall of about 400 filled up very quickly in expectation of meeting **Dr Hyun Jin Moon** representing the King and Queen of Cosmic Peace. There was a true mixture of all of God’s children, young, middle aged and old, of all races, skin colors and religious affiliation. Our young musical performers added to the sense of one big family of humanity under God. Beautiful slides illustrated Dr. Jean-Luc Berlet’s explanation of UPF’s five principles of peace. Pastor Joseph Binguimale, one of our foremost Ambassadors for Peace, testified to how Reverend Moon’s inspiration had transformed his life. It was a very spiritual and profound introduction. He was delighted to see the sons and daughters, and even grandchildren of the Reverend Moon take up the task and mission of their parents and grandparents with so much heart and devotion. When Dr. Hyun Jin Moon took the stage he was welcomed by a standing ovation. He responded with “Bonjour” and his appreciation to be in Paris and went on to put so much heart and depth into his Father’s Address that everybody was overwhelmed by his power and presence. Paris has been waiting so long for such a life giving visit of God’s precious word and the gift of the World Peace Blessing in the presence of the True Family.



We were very honoured and happy to receive Kook Jin Nim's beloved and beautiful wife **Ji Yea Nim in BRUSSELS, BELGIUM** on this beautiful bright September day. As there was no event in neighbouring Holland and Luxembourg, both countries sent a group to support our event. During lunch, just prior to the event, we were greatly surprised to learn that Ji Yea Nim's aunt (her father's sister) is married to a Belgian man and they are both living just south of the Belgian capital. Ji Yea Nim called them by phone and they came and attended the event in the afternoon – amazing! We will surely try to maintain the connection with them. Among the 140 overflow audience spreading out to the terrace were several families of 3 generations. The atmosphere was very warm and welcoming. The program kicked off with a flute solo and singing performance from the 2nd generation, followed by a lively UPF power-point introduction by national leader Mr. Philippe Jacques. Ambassador for Peace, Pastor Emmanuel Wanki, warmly praised True Parents work for world peace and we gave a rousing welcome to Ji Yea Nim for the main address, which she delivered with a lot of confidence, inner strength and warm embrace towards the audience. After the event there was an opportunity for Ji Yea Nim to do some sight-seeing in beautiful weather. She was very relaxed and enjoyed the historical centre of Brussels, particularly the impressive Grand Place.



RENNES is a front line of our movement in France. On the one hand, it provided the three first three disciples of True Parents in this country. On the other hand, it is also the origin of the national hostility to our True Parents, starting in 1975. At that time, the Catholic Church, the local media and some families united in a front determined to destroy our Movement in France. The short campaign in Rennes to prepare for **In Sup Nim's** arrival had some healing dimension. We met some local VIP's (including the priest of the orthodox church and the local rabbi), who confessed to having very strong prejudice against True Father, about our faith, about our marriages, about our political commitments. However, even though these VIP's did not attend the event, they expressed a sincere sympathy for our activities, because we went to see them boldly and without fear. The event went well. In Sup Nim spoke with spiritual authority and was an excellent representative of our True Parents. We had a blessed family of 4 generations and a whole Mongolian family enjoyed our program. The Blessed Families worked very hard and supportively to make the event successful. In Sup Nim expressed his deep concern for the second generation. After the victory cake, eight people had an unforgettable dinner with In Sup Nim in a beautiful countryside setting near Rennes. Thank you, God and True Parents, for entrusting us as one of the 12 cities to participate in this precious moment in the providential history of France.



Shin Il Moon, 30 years old, one of the 12 representatives of our True Parents on the World Peace Tour, arrived from Rome in the early morning. We were curious to know if he knew something about **LYON** - then he spoke unprompted about the “Olympique Lyonnais” football team! We ended our sightseeing at their stadium to feel more directly the atmosphere of a great French club football. That day there were several good goals for World Peace in Lyon! In the afternoon event, Shin Il Moon delivered a lively speech with many personal experiences intermingled in the text – something of the same spirit as his grandfather who is famous for adding extemporaneous comments to his prepared speech. This dynamic way of relating created a good atmosphere and made it easier to catch the direction of God’s Providence. Among the guests who made their way to the event lets recognise Doctor Ibrahim Beydoun and his spouse, famous and influential city figures; Mr Eitel Moutome, responsible to provide weekly free food to over 200 families in need; and Mr Jimmy Ramarojohn active supporter of a Madagascan welfare charity. Members, Ambassadors for Peace and their guests, as three united generations were meeting in the very same hall where early unification members gathered around the family of the first pioneer of Lyon. Once the event was successfully completed Shin Il Nim remained, enthusiastically discussed with the participants and posed for photographs.



The village of **ORSAY LES ULIS** is the home of the University of South Paris with its world famous science faculty, it lies some 20 kilometers outside Paris surrounded by woodland. In this beautiful area we received the World Peace Tour and the visit of True Parents’ granddaughter, **Shin Sook Nim**. She has such a bright and joyful spirit and put her whole heart into her rendition of the core message of her grandparents. We were so encouraged knowing that the world needs this example of true love that passes through the generations and grows in strength and righteousness. Our Ambassadors of Peace were very happy with the event and inspired to engage the task of building the Universal Peace Federation as an Abel United Nations. It was very evident that Shin Sook Moon really felt good in the family atmosphere that was generated by our event.



CHARTRES that most famous of cathedral cities among the wheat fields of Beauce welcomed **Shin Bok Moon** and, we did it, we pulled it off and it was great!! Among our guests was Recteur Merroun of the Mosque in Evry, the largest Mosque in Europe. He absolutely wanted to come and share with us encouraging words concerning his very positive experiences with UPF. Our guests were our acquaintances

from school, or colleagues from work. Many Blessed Families, and members of the second generation also attended and tried their best to help Alexander and Lucia Kempf, National Messiahs to France who worked tirelessly to make this event a reality.

I believe that Shin Bok Nim had a very good experience. He read the speech with a lot of dignity and self assurance. His presence was a healing balm for all of us; we realized how much we missed our True Parents. His presence made us also realize that God's lineage is secure. Shin Bok Nim helped us all to have a beautiful feeling, secure in the true love of God. Bravo!



The grand “Maison des Associations”, in **STRASBOURG**'s old town, could receive the first ever member of the True Family to visit Strasbourg, Mr **Hyung Jin Lee**. Even though only 2 blessed families live in the region, we could gather people from France, Germany, and Switzerland, since Strasbourg is the home of the Council of Europe, the European Court of Human Rights and the European Parliament, a European enclave inside France. This diversity helped to create a family atmosphere, mingling people of all generations and nations. After a UPF presentation by City Leader Remy Vollmer, we had a very moving testimony given by an Ambassador for Peace, Mr. Claude Biyoudi. He explained how True Father's vision helped him to develop his intelligence of heart, and how he could on this foundation build an academy for street children, in his native country of Congo. The whole audience received with great joy True Parents' speech, given by Hyung Jin Lee Nim with passion and energy. How wonderful to see the third generation embracing and embodying their grandfather's heart to liberate God and Humanity. We ended the event sharing together a cocktail buffet, prepared by the local community, to make this special occasion a real celebration. That evening Mr Lee had time for some sightseeing with older second generation and even celebrated the birthday of one of them, Jessica Gravrand! Twelve of us gathered for breakfast in my home the next morning, where we had hosted Mr Lee for Hoon Dok Hae. He shared testimonies of his blessing, and experiences with True Children and True Parents. It was a very warm and relaxed atmosphere. He even made time to sit in the kid's bedroom and discuss football with them!! It was a very inspiring visit for us all, and Mr Hyung Jin Lee made a special effort to connect to, and encourage the 2nd generation.



On a beautiful autumn afternoon, the blessed families of the **ARPAJON** region and their guests came together at the Arpege Hotel to participate in the True Family's Three Generation World Speaking Tour. The program began with a brief cultural presentation consisting of Juliette Martin, 2nd generation, offering a very beautiful song 'The Rose', followed by a traditional Laotian dance by Mrs. Mai-Cuc Moine. The Chairman's address was read by Mr. Didier Guignard, pastor of the Arpajon blessed community and president of French Family Federation, to prepare the audience for the Founder's address. Mr. **Hirotaka Otsuka** revealed himself to be an excellent representative of True Parents as he read the Founder's address and communicated the depth of the message to those present. Our guests expressed agreement with the vision of peace that the UPF is advocating. We can only hope and pray that a seed has been planted through the True Family's Three Generation World Speaking Tour that will grow and bloom in the hearts of these participants, enabling them to gain an even deeper understanding of True Parent's vision!



Mrs **Shiori Kunitoki** could spend some time with local members before the afternoon event, eating lunch together. City leader, Jean-Luc Berlet explained something of the origins of **KREMILN- BICETRE**. The word Kremlin comes from Napoleon who built a hospital for soldiers injured in the Russian Campaign in this city. Bicêtre is the French version of the name of an English nobleman of the Middle Ages associated with the town. Now this is one of the last communist controlled city governments around Paris... the right place to make a meeting for peace! We hope that it was helpful for Shiori Nim to know about the place before she spoke to the audience. Certainly she appeared very much at ease reading True Father's Address. We felt bathed in innocence and purity. The atmosphere was very warm like a family program. Shiori Nim was smiling throughout and seemed to feel very well. We were very grateful to receive her, both guests and members were revived and uplifted.



The ancient city of **LILLE**, founded in 640, and lying close by the border with Belgium, is the home of an energetic FFWPU community. We were so excited to receive Mrs **Yeon Sun Yu** – she was very natural, simple and so warm-hearted. She took pictures with each guest and embraced them so warmly. Everybody was touched by her spontaneity. The hall was full as she declared True Parents' message of peace and she could join us in appointing eight new Ambassadors for Peace on this very significant day for our city. During the event UPF Lille made a donation to 7 presidents of NGOs for their work for peace, one professor gave an inspiring speech and 2 NGO presidents contributed with their music and songs.



MASSY is a town on the outskirts of Paris about 20 km from the centre of the City. It was our privilege to receive Mrs **Jin Hwa Yoshida** in the Comfort Hotel for the World Peace Tour of Three Generations of the True Family. Our afternoon program attracted members, Ambassadors for Peace and their guests. Our Emcee was from the Second Generation, a CARP member in Paris, Florent Chaillie. Jin Hwa Nim was very gracious and clear spirited in her delivery of the Founder's Address. It was our great joy to see True Parents' heart reach through to the 3rd Generation and out to all corners of France, even our suburb of Paris! Our thanks go to this amazing True Family! Our young second generation children greatly enjoyed Jin Hwa Nim's elder sister's heart!



The Third UPF World Peace Tour took place successfully in the Mercure Hotel in **NICE** with the dedicated support of Monaco's Korean national Messiah and several Japanese and Korean missionaries. An enthusiastic audience gathered and were enlightened and uplifted by the main address delivered on behalf of Father Moon by Mr **Young Jun Kim**. Among our guests we welcomed a Roman Catholic priest. The audience was captivated by the high spirit generated by our speaker, who later approached each of our guests and members with great warmth of heart. After the program we all shared refreshments and later Mr Kim could enjoy some sightseeing in the Principality of Monaco, the millionaire capital of the world!

Thank you True Family – France felt your victory and the Era After the Coming of Heaven!