

# **Influence of Immortal Revolutionary Exploits Performed by Kim Il Sung in Korean Revolution and Global Independence**

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The revolutionary exploits performed by President Kim Il Sung, the great leader of the people, are not eclipsed even with passage of time as they inspire and guide the people who struggle for emancipation, independence and sovereignty.

Kim Il Sung said in his work that just as worker bees form a group and live in a disciplined way, centering on a queen bee, so the collective must have a centre and discipline.

*The people are my God*—this was the noble idea of all Kim Il Sung’s ideological and philosophical choices that made sacrifice himself to the people.

As he couldn’t compromise with injustice nor endure the sufferings of the people, Kim Il Sung left his homeland at his early teens with firm resolution not to return before Korea was liberated.

The people require a leader to depend on in order to overcome hardships and achieve their goals in the most difficult period of historical development.

In the difficult period of history, the Korean people greeted the birth of the great son of Mangyongdae who would shoulder the destiny of the entire Korean nation.

Kim Il Sung, the founder of socialist Korea, embarked on the road of revolution to liberate Korea from the Japanese occupation (1905-1945). He authored the Juche idea, thus illuminating the road ahead of the Korean revolutionaries and people.

Thanks to his outstanding leadership, the era of independence in which the popular masses became masters of their own destiny was ushered in and the truth that victory in the cause of revolution and sovereignty, independence and prosperity of the country and nation are guaranteed and consolidated by force of arms was proved.

The great leader Kim Il Sung said.

**“Today the common task facing the progressive people of the world is to build an independent new world. By an independent world I mean a world which is free**

**from domination and subjugation between countries and nations and from aggression and war, in other words, a new world where the international community has become democratic.”**

President Kim Il Sung was in close cooperation with the progressive people in the struggle against imperialism and for the development of the non-aligned movement. He evolved a theory on global independence to build a new free and peaceful world.

As regards with President Kim Il Sung's leadership ability and influence of his revolutionary exploits which enjoys high admiration among the oppressed people of the world, he gave unsparing support to the countries in Africa, Latin America, Europe and the Middle East in their struggle for national liberation and a new society so that they could free themselves from sufferings. It was neither a coincidence nor a propaganda that Sam Nujoma, the first Namibian president said that Namibia could achieve independence thanks to the efforts made by President Kim Il Sung of the DPRK.

Thanks to President Kim Il Sung's outstanding leadership, deep concern and energetic activities, the non-aligned movement became a powerful force that extended support and solidarity to developing countries in Africa, Latin America and the Middle East in their struggle for independence and against colonization and imperialism.

President Kim Il Sung was a sincere friend and benefactor of the countries in Latin America, especially of those in Africa. He gave unstinting support to the African people who were suffering from difficulties in realizing independence of those in colony and building a new society of justice. He sent many DPRK specialists and technicians to several African countries at the state expense so as to help building their state and armed forces and developing their industry, agriculture, education, public health and physical culture unconditionally. Saying that it is necessary to develop agriculture in order to be self-sufficient in food that guarantees independence and sovereignty of a country, he personally taught African countries the farming methods and irrigation techniques suited to their climate and topographical situation.

On the proposition of President Kim Il Sung, the inflexible leader of the non-aligned movement, Pyongyang held a symposium of non-aligned countries for increase of food and agricultural production. He paid deep attention to the establishment of agricultural research centres for agricultural development in Africa.

The devoted DPRK agricultural scientists gave technical assistance to establish “Kilissi Kim Il Sung Centre for the Research of Agricultural Science” in the Republic of Guinea, which produced varieties of ameliorated seeds popular in the West Africa. Thanks to their technical assistance, “Chollima Institute of Agriculture” was established in Tanzania of East Africa. The DPRK’s assistance boosted agriculture of many African countries.

The African people facing with the tasks of development and overthrowing of neo-colonialism are well aware that maintaining the lines of independence in politics, self-sufficiency in the economy and self-reliance in defence enable them to safeguard their national sovereignty and create conditions for realizing their independence despite all difficulties, accomplish the cause of independence and resist against the intervention of neo-colonialists. It was because the African people perceived that, only when they made free political options as intended and required by them as elucidated by the Juche idea, could they become genuine masters of their society and destiny and nothing and no one could threaten them.

As said by President Kim Il Sung, a state can talk about democracy only when it maps out policies in conformity with will of the popular masses, applies them in accordance with their interests and guarantees effectiveness of their genuine freedom, rights and well-being.

For the progressive African people who aspire to peace, justice and solidarity, the DPRK is a standard and model of democracy in which the respected Comrade Kim Jong Un writes a noble history of the people-first principle upholding the grand plan of the great leaders Kim Il Sung and Kim Jong Il, the symbol of virtues, who believed in the people as in heaven and devoted all their lives to them. The Workers’ Party of Korea, a strong party of the people, makes selfless, devoted efforts for the good of the people under the leadership of the respected Comrade Kim Jong Un.

The moon cannot take the place of the sun no matter how it may shine brightly at night. As the sun in the sky is eternal, so the august name of President Kim Il Sung and his exploits will remain forever in the hearts of the progressive people in Africa.

President Kim Il Sung who devoted himself not only to the good of the DPRK people but to the global independence was an outstanding head of state and a companion of struggle for decolonization and development of Africa and a genuine friend who set an example with his honesty and disinterested mutual moral obligation.

Through their struggle the African people are well aware that Kimilsungism-Kimjongilism is the supreme guide for realizing the independence and development of mankind under the current turbulence that is characterized by foreign intervention, pandemic COVID-19 and economic and financial crises precipitated owing to the neo-cold war.