

Brilliant Exploits of President Kim Il Sung

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April 15, 2022 marks the 110th birth anniversary of Comrade Kim Il Sung, the eternal President of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

It is my great honor to participate in the e-seminar held on the occasion of this day with my humble paper.

It is not impossible but very difficult to describe or prove great exploits of Comrade Kim Il Sung.

Born in a plain thatched house in Mangyongdae, Comrade Kim Il Sung participated in the armed struggle to liberate Korea from the Japanese imperialists' military aggression. He was a giant of ideology, a man of practice. Many-sided knowledge he acquired was a valuable basis for changing all real conditions and circumstances of the Korean people.

Since his childhood, Comrade Kim Il Sung cherished boundless love for his country and people.

Comrade Kim Il Sung led the Korean people's heroic armed struggle to liberate Korea from the Japanese military oppression on August 15, 1945. This is enough to praise him as a great man produced

by Korea. However, this was the beginning of his epochal, historic, protracted and dynamic activities.

Comrade Kim Il Sung formed the Central Organizing Committee of the Communist Party of North Korea on October 10, 1945. With it as a starting point, the struggle of the working masses for socialism developed onto a new high stage under the leadership of the Party. The Communist Party of Korea, founded in Korea in 1925, failed to perform its historic mission as it was outdated and incompetent, and as a result, it was dissolved in 1928. Considering the historic lesson, Comrade Kim Il Sung clarified ideological foundations of the Party in his speech delivered at the inaugural meeting of the Party.

Availing myself of this opportunity to recollect, I consider it is necessary to think Comrade Kim Il Sung's wise instructions again and again. In his speech, Comrade Kim Il Sung said that our working class and working masses would have a genuine representative and defender of their interests and the Korean revolution would have its militant General Staff.

Comrade Kim Il Sung exposed to the participants in the meeting the dangerous character of radicalism and Left and Right opportunism and clarified the programme to be held fast to by the Party. It was to do immediately away with remnants of Japanese imperialism and feudalism, achieve democratic development of the country and realize complete sovereignty and independence of the country. Later, name and emblem of the Party were newly instituted and the DPRK was founded on September 9, 1948.

In his speech delivered on the occasion of founding the Republic, Comrade Kim Il Sung said that active efforts should be made to form a democratic national united front which embrace all patriotic and

democratic forces including not only workers and peasants but intellectuals, religious men and conscientious non-comprador capitalists.

The Workers' Party of Korea inscribes a hammer, a sickle and a writing brush representing workers, peasants and intellectuals on its emblem.

Of all the great exploits of Comrade Kim Il Sung, it is necessary to mention about the founding of the Korean People's Army that reliably guarantees freedom and sovereignty of the DPRK. In conclusion, I think it is indispensable to recollect the exploits of Comrade Kim Il Sung on the occasion of the 110th anniversary of his birthday. Followings are the intensive outline of his exploits.

- Comrade Kim Il Sung put an end to the history of the Japanese imperialist colonial rule.

- After liberation on August 15, 1945, Comrade Kim Il Sung liquidated remnants of the Japanese colonial rule and enforced democratic reforms in all fields of social life.

- Comrade Kim Il Sung repulsed aggression by imperialist allied forces and won victory in the Korean war lasted from June 25, 1950 to July 27, 1953.

- Comrade Kim Il Sung successfully accomplished the historic task of huge rehabilitation and reconstruction in a short period of a few years after the war.

- Comrade Kim Il Sung strengthened and developed the DPRK into a socialist country with powerful self-defence capabilities.

- Comrade Kim Il Sung developed in depth the Juche idea in keeping with concrete realities of the DPRK and advanced the Juche-oriented idea and theory of socialism.

- Comrade Kim Il Sung set an example of socialism to vividly prove advantages of socialism over capitalism.

Comrade Kim Il Sung worked with tireless energy in the whole period of his life. He passed away on July 8, 1994, but he was the sun illuminating the road ahead of the DPRK people for carving out their destiny. The DPRK people named April 15 when he was born the Day of the Sun to pay eternal tribute to him.

The DPRK shines as a free and independent socialist state thanks to the great exploits performed by President Kim Il Sung, the eternal leader.

The respected Comrade Kim Jong Un is the great successor to President Comrade Kim Il Sung and Chairman Kim Jong Il, the peerlessly great persons of Mt. Paektu.

We are sure that desires of great Comrade Kim Il Sung, the eternal leader and the President of the DPRK, will be translated into reality in the near future under the leadership of the respected Comrade Kim Jong Un.

The desire of Comrade Kim Il Sung is the united, powerful and prospering socialist Korea, the DPRK serving as an example for all the world people freed from the imperialist oppression.