

# Services of Comrade Kim Il Sung Rendered to Development of DPRK

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In the past, owing to the policy of sycophancy and dependence on outside forces of the feudal dynasty, Korea with 5 000-year-long history and brilliant culture gradually weakened in national power and was reduced to a theatre of competition of big powers for influence. And then, it was placed under the Japanese military occupation since 1905.

It was the great leader Comrade Kim Il Sung who saved the Korean people from the miserable fate of a ruined nation.

He was born in Mangyongdae, Pyongyang on April 15, 1912 and embarked on the road of revolutionary struggle for Korea's liberation in his teens. In the course of seeking the way out for the Korean revolution, he authored the Juche idea and commanded the anti-Japanese revolutionary struggle for two decades to victory under its banner, finally achieving the historic cause of Korea's liberation on August 15, 1945.

After his triumphal return to the liberated homeland, he founded the Workers' Party of Korea, carried out the democratic reforms, including the land reform, nationalization of key industrial establishments and enforcement of the Law on Sex Equality, and founded a regular armed force. Based on these achievements, he founded the Democratic

People's Republic of Korea, the first people's democratic state in the East, on September 9, 1948.

He creditably safeguarded the sovereignty and dignity of the DPRK in the Korean war unleashed by the imperialists. He also carried out the post-war rehabilitation and the socialist revolution in a short period and led the socialist construction of several stages to victory, thus turning the DPRK into a socialist power, independent in politics, self-sufficient in the economy and self-reliant in defence.

He regarded "The People Are My God" as his lifetime motto and his benevolent politics got a people-centred socialist system deeply rooted in the DPRK.

He advanced the fundamental principles and ways for Korea's reunification, including the Three Principles for National Reunification, the Ten-Point Programme for the Great Unity of the Whole Nation and the plan of founding the Democratic Federal Republic of Koryo, and devoted his all for the national reunification cause until the last moment of his life.

He defined independence, peace and friendship as the basic ideals of the DPRK's foreign policy and enhanced its international prestige through his energetic external activities. Working as Head of State and veteran of world politics for nearly half a century, he opened up a new era of independence and made immortal contributions to developing the socialist movement and Non-aligned Movement.

Though he passed away on July 8, 1994, he is always alive in the hearts of the DPRK people and the world progressives as the founding father of socialist Korea, pioneer of the cause of independence of humankind, eternal President of the DPRK and the Sun of Juche.

The revolutionary cause of Juche pioneered by the great

President Kim Il Sung and developed by the great leader Comrade Kim Jong Il is being carried forward by the respected Comrade Kim Jong Un.

Thanks to his energetic ideological and theoretical activities and wise leadership, the great leaders' revolutionary ideology was formulated as Kimilsungism-Kimjongilism, and the DPRK people are confidently marching straight forward along the road of independence and socialism.

Having the noble outlook on people of respecting the people by cherishing them as the august images of the great leaders who believed in people as in heaven during their entire lifetime, he administers politics of loving the people in order to translate their beautiful dreams and ideals into reality.

Today, by adhering to the principle of self-reliance and self-development, the DPRK people have erected monumental edifices one after another, further propelled the work of putting the national economy on a Juche-oriented, modern, IT and scientific footing and ceaselessly made miraculous breakthroughs in going beyond the cutting edge, thus opening a bright prospect for fully demonstrating the might of their self-supporting economy; they also have achieved continuous eye-opening successes in the sectors of science, education, public health, literature and the arts, and sports.

The Sixth Political Bureau Meeting of the Eighth Central Committee of the WPK chaired by Comrade Kim Jong Un this year called for making the Day of the Sun (April 15<sup>th</sup>) and the Day of the Shining Star (February 16<sup>th</sup>) this year important political occasions of further cementing the firm faith of the DPRK people to carry forward and accomplish the revolutionary cause of Juche pioneered and led by

President Kim Il Sung and Chairman Kim Jong Il under the guidance of the Party to the end, and also of demonstrating before the world the high enthusiasm and revolutionary mettle of all the Party members and people to glorify the decade of Juche 110 as the annals of victors bringing about the overall development of the Korean style socialism.

President Kim Il Sung and Chairman Kim Jong Il are the great leaders of our era who have put forward correct and ever-lasting guidance for the entire humanity, and it is also a great honor and sacred duty for us to join the DPRK people in celebrating this auspicious occasions.

Expressing our firm conviction that the friendly DPRK people led by the powerful WPK will continuously emerge victorious, we would like to once again pay my sincerest tribute to President Kim Il Sung, eternal President of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea who left an indelible imprint in the history of world by his outstanding Juche Idea.

Last but not the least, I want to recall the greatest opportunity I ever had in 1982 participating the 70<sup>th</sup> birthday of H.E. President Kim Il Sung and personally speaking few words while shaking his hand which is an everlasting memorable moment in my life.

**LONG LIVE IMMORTAL NAME OF H.E. KIM IL SUNG!!!**

**LONG LIVE GREAT LEADER H.E. KIM JONG UN!!!**

**LONG LIVE DPR KOREA!!!**