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*Open Letter to the Unification Movement:*

*Is Wonju McDavitt Abandoning “Holy Mother Han” in her Time of Crisis?*



*Dear Brothers and Sisters of the Unification Movement,*

*It is with deep concern that I am writing to you today regarding a critical matter involving Wonju Jung McDevitt and Mrs. Hak Ja Han. Recent developments from Korea have revealed that both Wonju and Mrs. Han have been placed under an official governmental travel ban ([LINK](#)), identified as persons of interest in a scandal implicating the highest leadership of the Unification Church in the bribery of Korea's former president and his wife.*

*Reverend Dr. Sun Myung Moon famously emphasized that we now live in the age of the "Noonday Sun," when all things will be revealed. However, leaders of the Unification Church (UC) have actively suppressed information all throughout the schism, instructing members through official communications to avoid discussing the ongoing UC crisis—a scandal now engulfing Mrs. Han herself. This reprehensible attempt to keep members uninformed serves only to shield leadership from accountability.*

*Wonju McDevitt, a person profoundly unqualified for her role, now holds the highest position due to her proximity to Mrs. Han, having served previously as her*

hairdresser and personal assistant. Utilizing her position, she installed family members into critical roles without proper oversight, exemplifying unchecked nepotism. Whistleblowers have exposed the extent: her sister Im-Soon at the Little Angels School, brother Hee-Taek as president of Segye Ilbo, husband Michael McDevitt managing East Garden and Belvedere properties, brother-in-law Se-Geun Jung at Sun Moon University, and Tom McDevitt, another brother-in-law, as chairman of the Washington Times. Her ruthless politicking has eliminated rivals, inciting resentment among Korean leadership circles.

At this critical juncture that demands accountability, Wonju chose to flee Korea under the pretext of urgent medical treatment in the United States. Despite promises to Korean authorities to return by July 4th, reports from Korea indicate that she remains conspicuously absent, raising suspicions of leveraging connections through Tom McDevitt and the Washington Times, or possibly seeking diplomatic protection via her U.S. citizenship to evade justice.

Wonju's betrayal is further underscored by Youngho Yoon, the number three leader under Mrs. Han's administration, who recently told the Korean prosecution that Mrs. Han was directing all the corrupt actions he took; throwing her under the bus. Now, Wonju follows suit, abandoning Mrs. Han to confront the full consequences alone.

The allegations against Wonju and Mrs. Han are severe. Their administration of the Unification Church resembles a criminal enterprise, characterized by corruption, bribery ([LINK](#)), mismanagement, and the wasteful expenditure of public funds, notably on gambling casinos ([LINK](#))—activities now under active investigation by Korean authorities. These type of actions directly contributed to the catastrophic dissolution of UC Japan ([LINK](#)), officially declared "harmful to society." ([LINK](#))

We must acknowledge Wonju's critical role in orchestrating the schism that produced the Sanctuary Church under Sean Moon. Alongside other unqualified leaders such as Sean, Kook Jin, and In Jin, she was part of the cabal that deliberately promoted misinformation about succession, causing decades of division,

*litigation, and damage—painfully highlighted by the recent conclusive UCI case victory.*

*The American Unification community must not offer refuge to someone fleeing accountability. We must collectively insist Wonju immediately return to Korea and stand with Mrs. Han to face justice. Not even in the outside world does the “number 2” person in an organization abandon their leader, Members must demand Wonju stay by Mother’s side in this serious moment. Her attempts at evasion and betrayal can no longer be tolerated. This moment of judgment leaves nowhere to hide.*

*The recent (July 3, 2025) decisive legal victory for Dr. Hyun Jin Moon in the UCI case underscores an essential truth: justice ultimately prevails. The first generation's failure to align with God's chosen direction, represented by the Fourth Adam, Dr. Moon, echoes the Israelites' plight, barred from entering the Promised Land due to their disunity and disobedience.*

*Brothers and sisters, act now. Demand accountability from Wonju McDevitt. Urge her immediate return to Korea. It is our sacred responsibility to uphold truth, righteousness, and principled leadership aligned with God's providence. Avoiding personal responsibility for personal gain at the expense of God's providence can no longer be permitted.*

*In God's Love,*

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