



## Declaration of Kim Jong Un

The speech made by Chairman Kim Jong Un of the Workers' Party of Korea made at the military parade held in celebration of its 75<sup>th</sup> founding anniversary is attracting the attention of the world.

It can be said that it has three meanings.

First, it is the declaration that none of the Korean population has fallen victim to the malignant virus.

The achievements of Kim Jong Un, who defended the security of the people and the state amid the world health crisis will be recorded in history. But he said that the credit goes to the people.

All the people were moved when he said: I thank them for being healthy free from disease; the fact that we have defended all our people from the harmful epidemic disease sweeping the whole world can be said to be a natural duty and success of our Party; however, I am moved by this success, and as I see their healthy appearance, I can find no word other than *thanks*; today's victory that is striking the world with admiration is a great victory achieved by our people themselves.

Second, it is the declaration that he will remain faithful to his people's trust.

In the speech, he noted: Our people have always believed and absolutely trusted me, and supported my choice and determination, whatever it is; such ardent and sincere trust and encouragement is the most valuable wealth for me, which cannot be bartered for any fame and millions of tons of gold, and inexhaustible strength which encourages me to have no fear and know no impossibility; I solemnly swear once again in this place that I will live up to the people's trust without fail even if my body is torn and crushed to pieces on the way of defending their great trust and that I will remain faithful to that trust.

Third, it is a solemn declaration that no other country can provoke the DPRK.

It is reflected in these sentences: Our military capability is changing in the rate of its growth and in its quality and quantity in our own style and in accordance with our demands and our timetable; our war deterrent, which is intended to defend the rights to independence and existence of our state and safeguard peace in the region, will never be abused or used as a means for preemptive strike; but, if, and if, any forces infringe upon the security of our state and attempt to have recourse to military force against us, I will enlist all our most powerful offensive strength in advance to punish them.

The state-of-the-art strategic weapons displayed on the venue of the military parade clearly showed the weight of his declaration.

## **True Feelings Kim Jong Un Expressed**

“I thought over what I would say first at this moment, when we will be looking back upon every page of our Party's 75-year history filled with glory, but my heartfelt, sincere word for our people is only one, *thanks*.”

This is a part of what Supreme Leader Kim Jong Un, Chairman of the Workers' Party of Korea, said in his speech delivered at the military parade held in celebration of the 75<sup>th</sup> founding anniversary of the Workers' Party of Korea.

His speech moved the Korean people and the whole world.

In retrospect, this year the DPRK was faced with huge challenges and difficulties, like dealing with the anti-epidemic emergency and recovering from the catastrophic natural disasters, when everything was in short supply owing to the harsh sanctions by the hostile forces. All of these hardships were undoubtedly a heavy burden and pain for every family and every citizen in the country.

The Korean people, however, did not feel pessimism or vacillation.

Rather they placed national affairs before their family ones, shared every difficulty experienced by the state with it, and firmly supported the guidance of their leader and the WPK with their sweats and sincere efforts.

As a result, the country witnessed unbelievable reality in which none of its population fell victim to the malignant virus, and houses better than the damaged ones were built in the areas stricken by natural disasters.

Kim Jong Un's expression of this true feelings in the speech represented his heartfelt thanks to the people who have sincerely trusted in and followed their leader and firmly defended the WPK's cause even in such hardships.

His speech also carries his steadfast will to put the dreams and ideals of the people into reality without fail.

The people's dreams and ideals are just the same as his own.

In the speech he expressed his intention to invariably administer and continuously expand the advantageous policies and measures, which are aimed at improving the people's wellbeing and providing more benefits to them, and said that sharing destiny with the people in the face of severe trials and experiencing the united strength of our people till now, he had come to know well what the WPK should do in the future. He continued that the Eighth Congress of the WPK to be held in January 2021 will advance plans and detailed targets for doing it, stressing that the ideal of the people is great, and the day when it is realized will surely come.