



Kim Il Sung - Kim Jong Il Foundation

Care for the Elderly

The DPRK, which sets the politics of prioritizing, respecting and loving the people as the supreme principle of the state activities, is enforcing policies for the elderly.

Today the elderly of the DPRK are being respected as the forerunners of the revolution in the garden of love for the people under the care of the respected Marshal Kim Jong Un. Thanks to the preferential treatment and protection in society, they are enjoying worthwhile life to their heart's content, singing that 60 is the prime of life and 90 is the first step to old age.

The Kim Il Sung-Kim Jong Il Foundation, which works to realize the maxim of "The People Are My God", the noble desire of President Kim Il Sung and Chairman Kim Jong Il, is paying deep attention to protection of the elderly. It will make positive efforts for the exchange and cooperation with international and regional bodies and other organizations and individual figures of many countries around the world.

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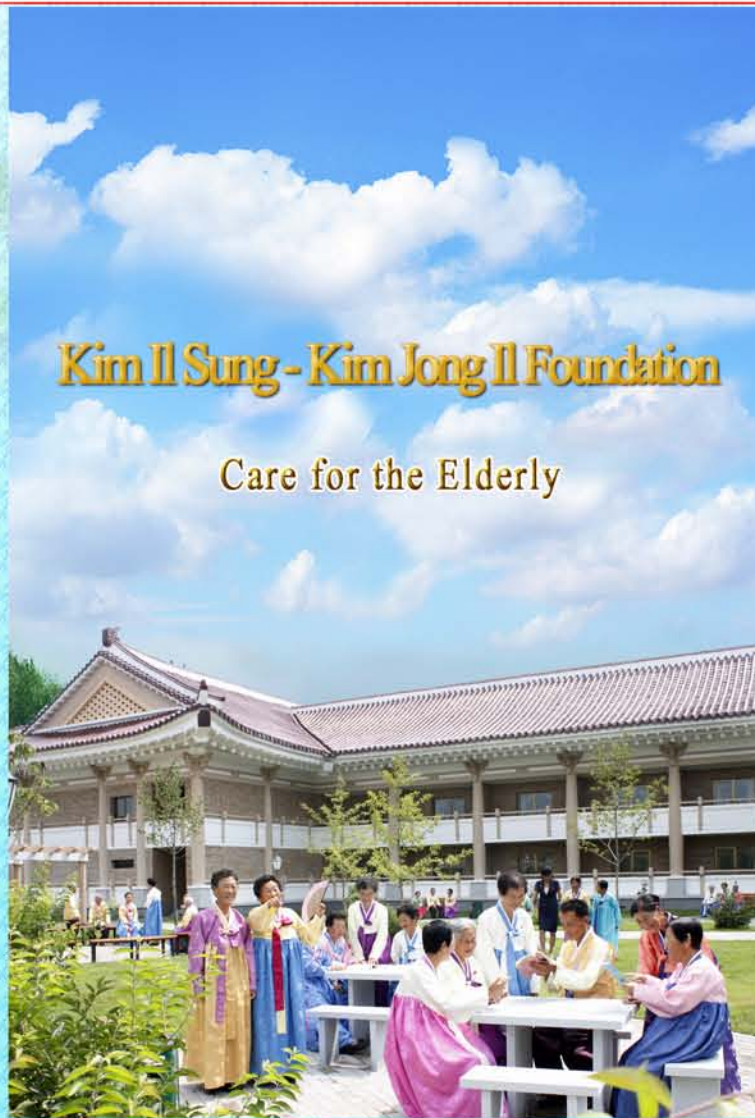
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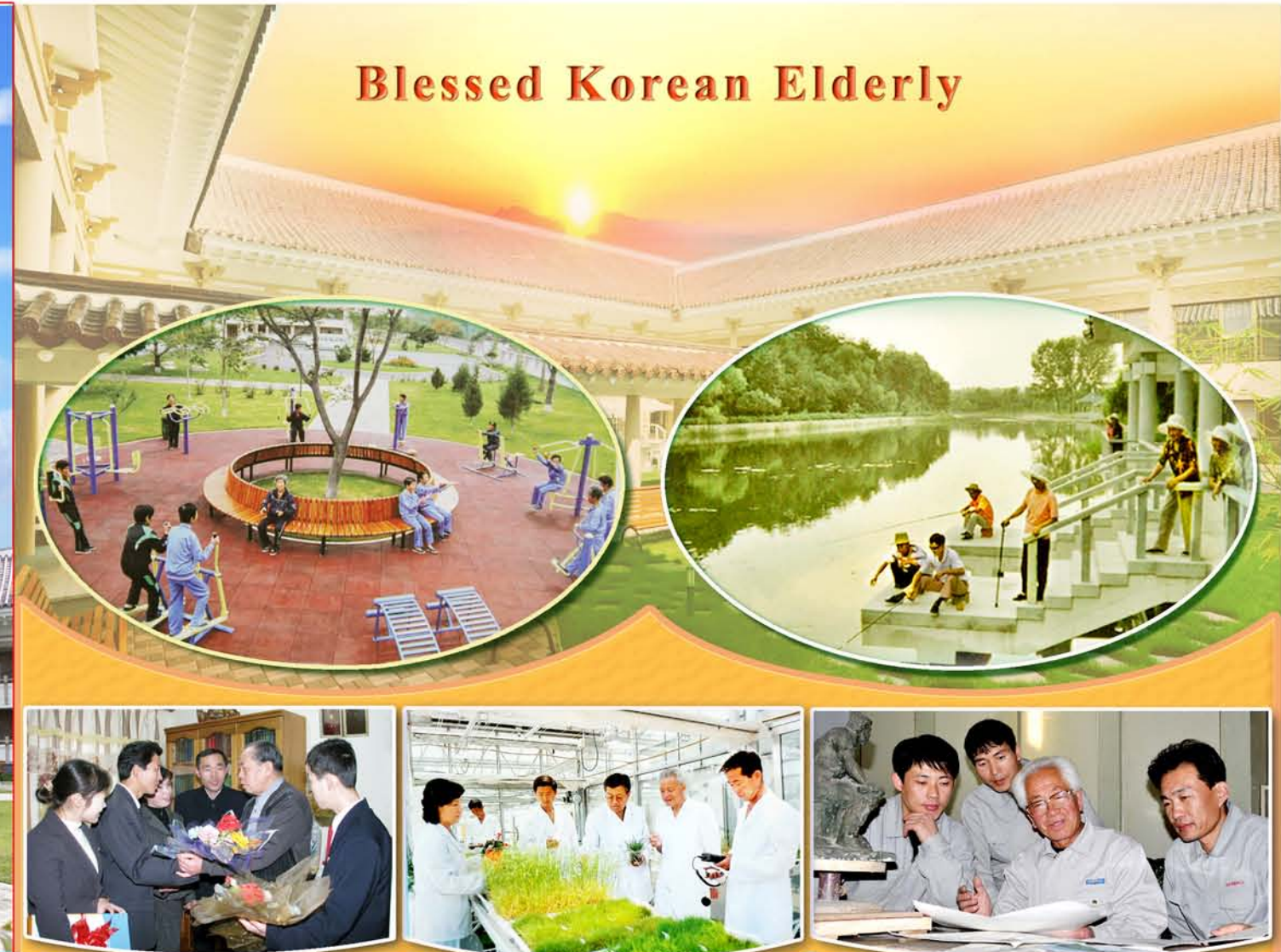
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Blessed Korean Elderly



In accordance with the "DPRK Law on Care for the Elderly", the State fully guarantees the rights and interests of the elderly and takes care of their life and health.

The Central Committee of the Korean Federation of Care for the Aged (KFCA) gives unified guidance to the work of the non-permanent committees of care for the aged in provinces, cities and counties (districts). The aged people participate in social activities as members of the Korean Culture and Art Association of the Elderly, the Korean Sports Association of the Elderly and the Korean Production Association of the Elderly according to

their wish and abilities.

In the DPRK where the people's beautiful dream and desire are being translated into reality, the number of macrobians is increasing as the days go by. The State arranges birthday spreads for the centenarians.

The aged people across the country are receiving old-age pensions under the social security system, and those with no care-takers live happily in the rest homes provided with all conditions for their convenience.

Pyongyang Rest Home, Cradle for the Elderly



In the Pyongyang Rest Home built in unique style of Korean architecture on the bank of the picturesque Taedong River the aged people are enjoying happy life.



Exercise room



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Beauty Salon



Courtyard