

## Kim Jong Un Calls for Effecting Kim Jong Il's Patriotism

Kim Jong Un, first secretary of the Workers' Party of Korea and first chairman of the National Defence Commission of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, in his talks with leading officials of the WPK Central Committee on July 26, 2012 called to step up the building of a prosperous country by embodying Kim Jong Il's patriotism.

He said:

It is very important to embody Kim Jong Il's patriotism in the struggle to build a prospering socialist country.

By this patriotism we don't mean to raise it aloft as a banner; we mean that Party officials and its members and working people should learn from this patriotism and embody it in their practical activities to make our country wealthy and prosperous.

Kim Jong Il was a peerless patriot; he loved the country and people more than any others did and devoted his whole life for prosperity of the country and happiness of people, performing immortal exploits.

As was shown by the parade held on the occasion of the centenary of birth of President Kim Il Sung, our country, once deprived of its sovereign rights, has now become a military power of the world under the wise leadership of Kim Jong Il.

Kim Jong Il's long and difficult journey of patriotic devotion changed the look of the country and laid the firm base for the construction of a rich and powerful country.

Under his wise leadership our farmlands were rezoned, nature-driven waterways built, and countryside changed into socialist fairylands. Many update heavy and light industrial factories sprang up here and there and existing factories modernized to suit the requirement of the new century. And monumental edifices were built in different parts of the country.

This brilliant reality is a fine fruit of noble patriotism of Kim Jong Il.

Kim Jong Il's patriotism is the culmination of socialist patriotism. It is expressed by ardent love for the socialist country and people and most active devotion for prosperity of the country and happiness of the people.

It is true patriotism of a man who cultivates even a grass and a tree of the country with his warm blood.

Kim Jong Il's patriotism is based on the noble view of the country and his view of the people whom he could call "My God". The view on younger generation is also inseparable part of Kim Jong Il's patriotism.

Kim Jong Il's patriotism is a valuable relic he bequeathed to our people; it is an example of performance.

Kim Jong Un appealed to all officials, party members and working people to follow the example of Kim Jong Il's patriotism and embody it in their practice.

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