

Bay Area Family Church: Sang Ik "Papasan" Choi transitioned peacefully

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Dear friends of Papasan Choi,

Our dear Papasan, Sang Ik Choi, transitioned peacefully at home, into his eternal home, at 10:50 pm on Friday, February 24, 2023, surrounded by his loving family. Aged 97, he would have turned 98 on March 28, this year (according to his passport!), and 99 by the Korean way of marking birthdays.

I am attaching some words of wisdom he shared on the occasion of his 90th birthday celebration. He sincerely wanted to share these words with all mankind, knowing that by realizing these simple truths, we can bring true happiness, which is the kingdom of heaven on earth.

I am born as the living God.

My conscience
is God's divinity.

My intellect
is God's ability.

My heart
is God's love.

The way of life
is to never hurt others,
and always help others.

To live happily
with family and others
is the heavenly way of life.

~ Papa Choi