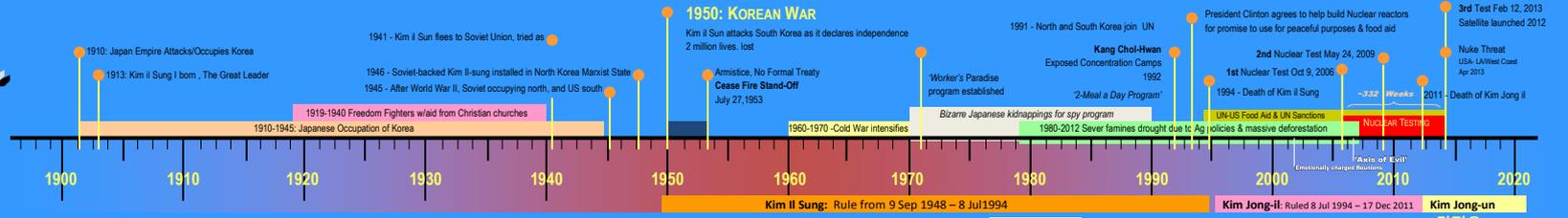


THE KOREAN CONFLICT

The purpose of this illustration is to provide a 'snap-shot' of North Korea with its now nuclear missiles. If any Korean invasion were to occur, both China and the US are pledged to support and intervene and go 'nuclear' even if necessary. China itself, like North Korea has often times threatened to 'nuke' the US due to the Taiwan issue. Prophetically speaking, North Korea is helping set the stage for a countdown militarily to Armageddon. North Korea has had a direct link to helping Iran also develop its nuclear capability, The Bible does speak of the 'Kings of the East' marching with a 200 million man army across the Euphrates to attack Israel at some future time. - Re 9:14-16. The Euphrates is in the midst of Iraq, a country that the US invaded since 2002. It was part of the nations that made up the 'Evil Axis' along side Iran and North Korea. Currently the US has the largest Embassy in the world there & several military bases. It would be hard to tread over the Euphrates without the US's direct intervention but perhaps that that time, the US would have either been invaded by the Chinese or so repressed due to its economic and social meltdown that no resistance would ensue to attempt at stopping the 'Kings from the East' from cross the Euphrates bent on world conquest and Israel's destruction.

MAKING WAY FOR THE KINGS OF THE EAST



RELIGIOUS PERSECUTION
As a closed materialistic and Marxist state, anyone discovered to be a Christian is usually executed or sent to prison camp or 'Concentration Camps'. The mere possession of a Bible can result in being jailed or death. Attending an *Underground Church* is considered treason. According to the Voice of the Martyrs (VOM), somewhere between 50,000 to 70,000 Christians are currently in these forced labor camps. Christianity is seen as a direct threat to the communist State. It is so ironic, given that the uprising of Kim Il Sung's up-bringing was Christian and the fight for initially for Korea's liberation since 1910 was supporting by Christian churches. It is a testament that what makes a follower of Christ Jesus is not where one was born or what 'Christian' family or how much church one had.

North Korea's government deny the existence of these prison camps but satellite imaging reveal the truth that persecuted Christians as well as political prisoners are being force to work, starved, tortured and killed in these camps. In an effort to reach out, South Korean Christians and other world ministries for decades have been launching tens of thousands of 'Scripture Balloons' carrying New Testaments, Scripture verses and other gospel messages into North Korea.



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COUNTRY COMPARISON BY CIA FACTS:

	N. KOREA	S. KOREA
Population	25 mil	50 mil
GDP (purchasing power parity), \$bn	40	1,622
GDP - per capita (PPP), \$	1,800	32,400
Infant mortality rate, per 1,000 live births	26.21	4.08
Life expectancy at birth (total population)	69.2	79.3
Area	122,762 sq km	99,313 sq km
Corruption Index ranking 2012	174	45
Total executed, 2007-2011	105	0
Internet users per 100 people	< 0.1	81.5
Intentional homicide, rate per 100,000 population	15.2	2.6
Intentional homicide, count per 100,000 population	3,658	1,251
Exports, \$ billion	4.71	552.6
Imports	4	514.2
Manpower fit for military service, males age 16-49	4,836,567	10,864,566
Military expenditure as a percentage of GDP	22.3	2.8
Military spending, \$ billion	8.21	26.1

North Korea has the 4th largest army in the world. For its size of only 25 million, it is staggering. It has currently a 1 Million Man army ready to mobilize at a given notice. The North Koreans have officially withdrawn from the 'Cease Fire' of 1953 and are technically still at war with South Korea and the USA. It is one of the most isolated countries in the world and for that very reason it is often referred to as the 'Hermit Kingdom'. It is an example of what communism leads to; a total Totalitarian State controlling every aspect of life for individuals.

35m
Taepodong 2 — 6,000 km Range

4,000 km Range
Taepodong 1 — 4,000 km Range

1,300 km Range
Rodong 1 — 1,300 km Range

FOOD AID DELIVERY N. Korea
2000-2010
Weight in Million of Tons monthly from UN/USA

3.5 MILLION estimated to have starved 1980-2004

NUCLEAR WEAPON TEST
Oct 9, 2006
Orang

MUSUDAN
Missile Launching 1998-2006

N. KOREA
조선민주주의인민공화국

NUCLEAR WEAPONS PROGRAM CENTER
Yongbyon

P'yongyang

DEFCON
The Defense Readiness Condition is an alert system used to describe the degree of Nuclear war and state or readiness by the U.S. Armed Forces. During the missile test launches and threats to 'nuke' the US West Coast, by N. Korea the US went to DEFCON 2 in Spring of 2013.

STATE WORSHIP
King Nebuchadnezzar
Plain of Shinar
ASIA

STATE WORSHIP
Kim Il Sung
'Eternal Father'



MARXIST TRINITY
The Kim Dynasty as sought to totally replace region but the worship of their own 'cult of personality' of the 3 leaders of N. Korea. Kim Il Sung has replaced Christian principles of worship, faith and allegiance by constructing a new Marxist Holy Trinity. Kim Il Sung as the Eternal Father, the Son of God is Kim Jong Il & now the Holy Spirit, aloof is Kim Jung Un. No other religion is tolerated. Christian, Buddhist, Daoists and Confucianism concepts threaten the state and thus exposure is carefully monitored.

