

What is the Unification Church?

The Unification Church is a cult.

Paul Cardin in his *Christianity Cults and Religions* pamphlet wrote:

The Unification Church was founded by Sun Myung Moon, in 1954. Its current headquarters are in New York City.

The Divine Principle by Sun Myung Moon is said to be their “Completed Testament.” Unificationists or Moonies as they are called claim that the Bible is “not the truth itself, but a textbook teaching the truth.”

God for them is positive and negative. He created the universe out of himself and the universe is his body. They believe that God is suffering and needs Sun Myung Moon to make him happy. Moonies reject the triune God.

Jesus for Unificationists is perfect though he is not God. They claim that Zechariah is Jesus’ father and that Jesus was not born of a virgin.

The Unification Church teaches that Jesus failed in his mission on the earth and that he was not resurrected. Sun Myung Moon instead fulfilled the Second Coming and he is superior to Jesus.

The Holy Spirit for Moonies is a feminine spirit who works with Jesus to lead people to Sun Myung Moon.

Unificationists must accept and obey their true parents, Moon and his wife, to be freed from sin and become perfect.

Human souls are not resurrected according to Moonies; rather, they go into a spirit world. All men in their teaching will be saved, including Satan.¹

The teachings of the Unification Church are false and they should be rejected (2 Pe 2:1). Jesus is God, the second person of the trinity (Ps. 2:7, Col. 1:15–19). Every knee should bow at his name (Phil. 2:10). God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth (Jn 4:24). Men must turn from sin and toward Jesus (Acts 9:35). Human souls possess immortality (Matt. 10:28). One goes to heaven or hell depending on his relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ (1 John 1:3).

¹ Cardin, Paul. *Christianity Cults and Religions*. Rose Publishing, 2010.