

## Great Pride

One December day in 1998, Chairman **Kim Jong Il** told officials in the following vein: Happiness is found in doing even one more thing good for the people, not in eating, dressing and living better than others. I always find my pleasure in the people's happiness, and I spare nothing for their wellbeing.

He continued with deep emotion:

These days, I am inspecting army units, industrial establishments and other sectors almost every day, and this is entirely for the people's wellbeing. As I have spent day and night with guidance trips, I've never had a peaceful sleep. Having my sleep is just a nap in the car on the road of field guidance. As I have lived in such a way, I have been accustomed to it and, on the contrary, sleeping on the bed seems to be inconvenient. To me, a nap in the car is the sweetest sleep and break, and it is the whole of my rest.

I've never regarded it as my troubles. Instead, I feel a great pride in it. I feel relieved of my fatigue and refreshed when I am told that the people come to be well-off, though I am working foregoing meals and without having an adequate sleep. Officials should do even a thing good for the people if they want to give me pleasure in the true sense of word.