

The Value Implications and Practical Progress of Cultivating New Men of the Times through the Spiritual Genealogy of Chinese Communists

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Abstract: As a valuable spiritual wealth of the CPC, the Spiritual Genealogy of the CPC centrally embodies the excellent qualities of the CPC, and the essence of the genealogy provides spiritual nourishment for the new generation to grow up and become successful, and plays a crucial role in their comprehensive development. Taking the spiritual genealogy of the CPC as a guide is of great value and significance in cultivating the patriotism, firm political stance and “four self-confidence” of the new generation. Therefore, it is important to promote the spiritual lineage of the CPC through diversified practical activities, a favorable social learning atmosphere, and the creation of new communication platforms to cultivate qualified newcomers to the era.

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Introduction

The Spiritual Genealogy of Chinese Communists is the distinctive political character forged by the Party in the process of realizing the great rejuvenation of the Chinese nation, and it is the wind vane of the excellent style of the CPC in the new era. Carrying forward the great spirit of the founding of the Party and deeply publicizing the spiritual genealogy of the CPC will surely provide important value leadership for the cultivation of new men of the times, strengthen the foundation and cast the souls of young people of the new era who have ideals, dare to bear responsibilities, are capable of enduring hardships and are willing to struggle, and gather the spiritual torrent of the times that will move forward with courage and perseverance in order to realize the great rejuvenation of the Chinese nation.

1. Connotation of the Spiritual Genealogy of Chinese Communists

1.1 Ideals and beliefs are the ideological core of the spiritual spectrum of the Chinese

Communist Party

Ideal conviction is the “calcium” of the spirit, and firm ideal conviction is the foundation of the CPC's life. Since the founding of the Communist Party of China (CPC), different great spirits have been formed in different historical periods: the great spirit of the founding of the Party has manifested the lofty ideals of not being afraid of sacrifices and daring to struggle; the spirit of Jinggangshan has vividly embodied the qualities of people who dare to break into a new path and win the struggle; the spirit of the Long March has inspired people to be firm in their revolutionary ideals and beliefs; the spirit of Lei Feng has inspired people to be willing to help and dedicate themselves to the cause; the spirit of reform and opening up has inspired people to be bold and bold and to do things. The spirit of reform and opening up inspires people to be bold

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and innovative. Entering the new era, the Chinese Communist Party remains firm in its original intention and mission, uniting and leading the people of China to achieve a great victory in the war against epidemics, realizing the great feat of eradicating absolute poverty in a comprehensive manner, and forming the great spirit of resistance to epidemics and poverty alleviation and attack.

1.2 The supremacy of the people is the value of the spiritual genealogy of the Chinese Communist Party

Chinese leaders have pointed out that “the people are the greatest underpinning of our party's rule, the solid foundation of our republic, and the root of our strong party and country.”^[1] Looking back at the history of the Party over the past hundred years, the CPC has always insisted on seeking happiness for the people and rejuvenation for the nation, and has always incorporated the people's expectations into practical exploration and practice, which has gained the support and adherence of the masses of the people. Throughout the century-long development of the great spirit of the Chinese Communists, the spirit of Lei Feng, the spirit of Jiao Yulu, and the spirit of craftsmanship are the vivid embodiment of the great sentiment of serving the country and the people. On the road of poverty alleviation, the Party has led the people of China in a sustained struggle with practical actions, and solved the problem of absolute poverty in a historic way, which is a vivid embodiment and practice of the tenet of “wholeheartedly serving the people”, and eventually led the people of China to deliver an outstanding “China's Answer Sheet”, which demonstrates the power of China, the strength of the Chinese people, the power of the Chinese people, the power of the Chinese people, the power of the Chinese people, and the spirit of the Chinese people. This has demonstrated China's power, China's spirit and China's efficiency in the world, and has once again contributed Chinese wisdom and Chinese solutions to the world.

1.3 Seeking truth from facts is the practical symbol of the spiritual genealogy of the Chinese Communist Party

Seeking truth from facts is the fundamental viewpoint and essence of Marxism, the basic ideological line of the Communist Party of China (CPC), and the guiding principle and fundamental requirement for understanding, analyzing and solving problems, which has run through the course of the CPC for more than a hundred years, and is the core essence of the spiritual genealogy of the CPC people, the fundamental value principle and the practical mark, which ensures that the direction of the Party will not be deviated and the goal will not change, and the strength will not be reduced, while the Party will push ahead with the great rejuvenation of the Chinese nation in an all-round manner. It ensures that the Party's direction, goals and efforts will remain unchanged. Spiritual factors such as adherence to truth, starting from the actual situation, and scientific truth-seeking contained in the specific revolutionary spirit of the CPC are vivid manifestations of the ideological line of seeking truth from facts. Therefore, entering the new era, it is necessary to deeply understand the new environment and situation, based on the actual situation, and analyze specific problems.

2. Value implications of cultivating new generation people with the Spiritual Genealogy of Chinese Communists

2.1 Contributing to the cultivation of patriotism in new generations

Enhancing a deep sense of patriotism among young people is an inevitable requirement for fostering a new man of the times. With the rapid development of new media, which brings convenience to people's lives and also creates many challenges, young people, who are still in the critical period of value maturity, are extremely vulnerable to the negative influence of the emergence of undesirable social trends when it is difficult for them to recognize undesirable information. Take historical nihilism and national nihilism as an example, by deliberately distorting China's history and smearing the image of the Party, these undesirable trends affect young people's correct knowledge of national history and the CPC, and are prone to problems such as weak national consciousness, weakened patriotism, low sense of struggle and lack of action.

The nurturing factor of patriotic struggle contained in the spiritual spectrum of the CPC is intrinsically consistent with the basic moral and ideological cultivation of love for the Party and patriotism needed to cultivate new generations. Therefore, taking the spiritual genealogy of the CPC as a guide is conducive to helping the new generation to form a correct understanding of the history of the CPC and the country, and to establish a correct outlook on history, the nation and the country.

2.2 Contributing to the cultivation of a high political stance in the new generation

The spiritual genealogy of the Chinese Communists is a spiritual treasure accumulated and deposited by the Party in the course of its century-long struggle, and is a vivid manifestation of the firm political stance and noble moral qualities of the Chinese Communists. In the report of the twentieth Party Congress, the Chinese leadership emphasized: “Carry forward the spiritual lineage of the Chinese Communists, which has its source in the great Party-founding spirit, make good use of the red resources, carry out in-depth publicity and education on core socialist values, deepen the education on patriotism, collectivism and socialism, and make efforts to cultivate new men of the times to take up the great responsibility of national rejuvenation.”^[2] Therefore, by deeply grasping the nurturing value of the spiritual genealogy of the CPC, and vividly presenting the Party's practice of more than 100 years of struggle to the newcomers of the era, it is conducive to promoting their continuous improvement of political literacy, firm political stance, resolute support for the Party's leadership and political direction, strict adherence to Party political principles, adherence to the service of the overall situation, and maintaining a high degree of consistency with the Party in thought and behavior, continuously improving historical self-confidence, ideological self-control and practical self-awareness, strengthening political identity, and enhancing theoretical and practical self-awareness. We will constantly improve our historical self-confidence, ideological self-control and practical self-awareness, and enhance our political, theoretical and emotional identity.

2.3 Helping to lead the new generation to strengthen the “four confidences”

The spiritual genealogy of the Chinese Communist Party provides newcomers with value leadership and spiritual support, builds the foundation of faith, and strengthens the “Four Confidences”. Firstly, the genealogy of the CPC helps newcomers to the era to have a firm confidence in the road. For a long time, under the strong leadership of the Communist Party of China (CPC), the CPC has made brilliant achievements and proved the correctness of the socialist road and its suitability to China's basic national conditions with practical actions and great achievements. Secondly, the genealogy of the CPC spirit helps newcomers to the era to have firm theoretical self-confidence. By promoting the genealogy of the spirit of the CPC, the CPC promotes the research, interpretation and publicity of the Party's innovative theories, and inspires newcomers to strengthen their theoretical studies, thus enhancing their confidence in the theoretical system of socialism with Chinese characteristics. Thirdly, the genealogy of the spirit of the CPC helps newcomers to the era to have firm confidence in the system. The socialist system with Chinese characteristics, as the fundamental institutional guarantee for China's development, follows the development laws of historical materialism and scientific socialism, and has strong vitality and unique superiority. Fourthly, the spiritual genealogy of the Chinese Communists helps newcomers of the times to strengthen their cultural self-confidence. The spiritual genealogy of the CPC is the inheritance of the excellent traditional Chinese culture and its innovative development, which is in essence the endogenous continuation of the excellent traditional Chinese culture, and its embodiment of the Chinese national culture and the advanced culture of the CPC can continuously enhance the pride and self-confidence of the new generation.

3. Practical approach to cultivating new generation people with the Spiritual Genealogy of Chinese Communists

3.1 Diversified practical activities

Cultivating the new man of the times with the spiritual genealogy of the Communist Party of China as the lead is a complex systematic project, which requires the continuous enrichment and development of theories as well as the

promotion and support of practice. It is necessary to carry out relevant social practice activities, combining the reality and ideological characteristics of the youth of the new era to create a variety of forms of practical education activities, so that they can actually participate in the activities, and experience and feel the red story behind the activities. At the same time, it is also possible to participate in social practice activities, the old revolutionary areas to carry out social research activities, to further enhance the understanding of history, and then deepen the depth of knowledge of the resulting great spirit.

3.2 Creating a positive social climate for learning

For the learning of the spiritual genealogy of the Communist Party of China (CPC), it is necessary to create an excellent social atmosphere, so that the new generation of the times will be able to appreciate the important practical value of the spiritual genealogy of the Communist Party of China (CPC), deepen their knowledge of the spiritual genealogy of the Communist Party of China (CPC), and consciously take it as a value-oriented guide to their own development and action. To create a favorable social learning atmosphere, we need to focus on two aspects. First, in terms of spiritual construction, the Party and the government should increase the publicity of the spiritual genealogy of the Chinese Communist Party, raise the importance of the spiritual genealogy of the Chinese Communist Party, and can provide hierarchical and diversified educational methods and contents based on the ideological and behavioral qualities of the newcomers of the times. Secondly, in terms of material construction, the Party and the government should improve the basic propaganda facilities of the spiritual spectrum of the Chinese Communist Party, improve material security, vigorously highlight the spirit of the Chinese Communist Party, and promote the realization of the spiritual spectrum of the Chinese Communist Party in-depth.

3.3 Investing in new communication platforms

While playing to their strengths, media platforms should strengthen their joint development, and make concerted efforts to tell China's story and promote the spiritual genealogy of the CPC in a form that is popular with the youth. First, we can create thematic educational websites and theme boards related to the spiritual lineage of the CPC on the basis of traditional media platforms to carry out publicity and education activities; second, we can create official accounts on popular new media platforms such as WeChat, Weibo, and Jitterbug, and regularly publish articles or videos on the theme of promoting the spiritual lineage of the CPC, so as to attract people's participation in an interactive way online. Through the establishment of new communication platforms and the innovative development of communication methods, the spiritual genealogy of the CPC has led to the cultivation of new men of the times, the promotion of the Great Spirit, and the singing of the main theme of the times.

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