

MORE NEW YEAR'S POEMS FROM THE SGI PRESIDENT

*Let us win throughout
This joyous year
And create a realm
Of happiness and peace
Based on the king of philosophies*

*The triumphant march of Soka
Continues gaily on its way
Under the sun
Of unsurpassed brilliance
Of the Mystic Law*

*The New Year has begun!
Lead a life
Of victory and hope
Fulfilling the Buddha's decree —
Our pride across the three existences*

To the Young Women's Division

With my prayers for the good health and growth of the young women's division members

*Dedicating your youth to kosen-rufu
And gaining immense good fortune
Regard each day
As yours in which to shine*

*Accumulating vast benefit
Infinite and immeasurable
Stride out onto the stage of today
With invincible resolve*

To the Youth Division

*My worthy young friends!
In these dark times
Of kaleidoscopic change
Illuminate the way
To the new century*

*Youth of boundless mission!
May you win in all endeavors
Holding high
The golden sword of justice
In your heart*

*Write a proud history
In your youth
Convinced that the benefit
Of living the greatest of lives
Will endure throughout the three existences*

To the Young Men's Division

*Be pillars of society
And your country
Inspiring all with your presence
As champions of kosen-rufu*

*Heroes of Soka
Stand firm and resolute
Then neither storms
Nor billowing waves
Will daunt you*