

In MEMORIAM

Agari, Tadashi, 73, Stockton, CA, Jan. 11; he is survived by his siblings, Tomiko Varga, Atsushi (Wendy) Agari and Susumu (Leng) Agari; he is also survived by nieces and nephews.



bert and Tayeko; brothers, Steven (Susan) and Austin (Ruby); 2 nephews; he is also survived by many other relatives.



Matsumoto, Edna Uyeno, 96, Pasadena, CA, April 26, 2020; she was predeceased by her husband, Ben; she is survived by her daughters, Donna (Brian) Wakano and Doreen (Bob) Ono; gc: 1.



Nakatani, Sayo, 90, Pasadena, CA, July 24, 2020; during WWII, her family and she were incarcerated at the Heart Mountain WRA Center in WY; she is survived by her husband, Clifford; children, Mark and Lori (Magallanes); brother, Shizuo (Judy) Nakawatase; gc: 3.

Nako, Sarah Tomoye, 93, Placentia, CA, Aug. 13, 2020; she was predeceased by her husband, Robert, and daughter, Debbie Y. Nako; she is survived by her daughter, Eileen (Frank) Fetters; gc: 1; ggc: 2.

Inadomi, George, 89, Los Angeles, CA, Sept. 6, 2020; he is survived by his wife, Jeanette; children, Jennifer (Doug), LeeAnn (Robert), Matthew (Suzie); siblings Iris (Bob), Jean (Phil), Kiyo (Atsushi) and Larry (Gale); gc: 7.



Kamada, Kenneth Hiroshi, 59, Los Angeles, CA, March 26, 2020; he is survived by his parents, Her-



Ochiai, Sachi, 101, Los Angeles, CA, July 25, 2020; during WWII, her family and she were incarcerated at the Manzanar WRA Center in CA; she was predeceased by her husband, Richard, and daughter, Sheryl; she is survived by her son, Alan; daughter-in-law, Kathy; gc: 2.



Tamaki, Marion, 93, Plymouth Meeting, PA, Jan. 5; she was an active member of the JACL at the local and national levels; she was predeceased by her husband, Dr. H. T. Tamaki; she is survived by her children, Dwight (Patricia), Greg (Julia), Karen Buescher (Phil) and Drew Tamaki; gc: 9.

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TRIBUTE

LOIS TOMOKO TOYAMA



April 21, 1924-Dec. 31, 2020

Lois Tomoko Toyama passed away peacefully at the age of 96. Lois was born in Cortez, Calif., on April 21, 1924, to Masui and Tome Kawamura. She and her six siblings spent their early years working on the family farm. When World War II started, her family was incarcerated at the Turlock Assembly Center, where Lois was given her Modesto High School diploma by her principal, and later at the Amache

internment camp in Colorado. After the war, Lois returned to California and attended Reedley College, but then moved to Chicago where she enrolled at the Baptist Missionary Training School (now part of Colgate Rochester Crozer Divinity School). While living in Chicago, Lois met and married Saburo "Zip" Toyama. They came back to California in 1953 and settled in East Los Angeles where they raised their four sons Tim, Norm, Nate, and Titus.

Lois worked for the L.A. Unified School District, serving as a children's center teacher for over 20 years. In her retirement, she traveled with husband Zip around the world, took care of her grandchildren, and tirelessly supported her son Tim's movie projects. One of her most memorable moments was attending the Academy Awards in 1998 to see Tim's film, "Visas and Virtue," awarded an Oscar for best live-action short film.

Lois especially enjoyed hosting the family's annual July Fourth and Thanksgiving gatherings. As the family grew larger and multicultural, it was not unusual to have sushi with carnitas, persimmon salad, fried chicken, manju, and vegetarian Chinese dishes on the menu!

Lois' Christian faith was a source of her positive outlook on life. She and Zip were active members of Mission Valley Free Methodist Church. Even as she approached the end of her life, Lois kept up with the Daily Devotions - the large type version.

Lois was preceded in death by her parents, Masui and Tome; husband, Saburo; son, Norman; and siblings, Seichi Otow, Peter Makoto "Mac" Kawamura, Yuki Omi, Elsa Okuda, Joy Asami and Ruth Shinobi Matsuno. She is survived by her sons, Timothy (Naomi Yoshida), Nathan (Carol Wilbanks), Titus (Donna Komure), daughter-in-law Blanca (Olguin), her six grandchildren, Vanessa, Aaron, Elizabeth, Lucinda, Megan and Kaitlin, and many nieces and nephews. Due to the COVID pandemic, a memorial will be held at a later date.

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