

# In MEMORIAM



**Akabori, Nelson Seigo, 86**, Sacramento, CA, Jan. 14; veteran, Navy; during WWII, his family and he were incarcerated at the Tule Lake WRA Center in CA; he was predeceased by his wife, Nancy; he is survived by his two daughters; 1 brother; gc: 4; ggc: 6.

**Fukunaga, Takamari, 99**, Pahala, HI, Nov. 11, 2022; he is survived by his children, Alvin (Jackie) Fukunaga, Allen Fukunaga and Elaine Kamakura; siblings, Yoshikage (Shino) Fukunaga, Suetaka (Vicki) Fukunaga, Shigeyuki Fukunaga and James Susumu (Ella) Fukunaga, Setsuko Toriano and Etsuko Sato; he is also survived by many nephews, nieces and cousins; gc: 3; ggc: 2.

**Goya, Mitsue, 90**, Los Angeles, CA, March 5; graduate, Honolulu Business College; she was predeceased by her husband, Robert Kwanji Goya; she is survived by her sons, Calvin (Shirley) and Allan (Lynelle); brother, Sueichi (Shine) Taguchi; she is also survived by many nieces, nephews and friends; gc: 1.



**Hisatake, Joseph L., 71**, Honolulu, July 24, 2022; he is survived by his wife, Gay Kuehnel-Hisatake; 5 children; brother, Gil; gc: 3.

**Hori, Kazuko Natsuko, 87**, Los Angeles, CA, Dec. 20, 2022.

**Ishii, Kay Kikuko Kawabe, 82**, Gardena, CA, March 13; M.A.; Ph.D.; during WWII, her family and she were incarcerated at the Heart Mountain WRA Center in WY; she was predeceased by her husband, George Ishii Sr.; she is survived by their children, Keri-Jean Ishii, George (Lory) Ishii Jr. and Brent Ishii; gc: 2.

**Ishii, Sally Seidler, 80**, Honolulu, HI, Feb. 6; BSN, University of Hawaii; she is survived by her husband, Thomas Ishii Jr.; sons, Wade and Jon; gc: 3.



**Joo, Aiko, 95**, Palo Alto, CA; she was active in Palo Alto Buddhist Temple; she was predeceased by her husband, Kishiro, and siblings, Harry (Sachi) Higaki, Juichi (Hisaye) Higaki, Shigeru Higaki, Mae Higaki and Isamu Hamai; she is survived by her children, Tom (Grace) Joo, Grant (Judy) Joo, Dan (Faith) Joo, Sandra Wagner, Gordy (Linda) Joo, Cammie (Gary) Uyeda and Judy (Darel) Tsuji; siblings, Naomi Higaki and Emi Hamai; sister-in-law, Sumiko Higaki; gc: 15; ggc: 4.

**Kadota, Marian Michi, 91**, La Palma, CA, Aug. 24, 2022; during WWII, her family and she were incarcerated at the Heart Mountain WRA Center in WY; she is survived by her husband, Frank; brothers, Norman (Yone) Shiota and Art (Kenji) Shiota; children, Danny (Gale), Dave (Holly), Steve and Nancy Wong; gc: 6; ggc: 3.

**Kodama, Jane Nanaye, 76**, Granada Hills, CA, Feb. 17; she is survived by her daughters, Kelly (John) and Michelle; and 3 sisters.

**Kurusu, Bessie, 95**, Los Angeles, CA, Aug. 2, 2022; she was predeceased by her husband, George; she is survived by her children, Susan (Terry) Matsunaga, Phyllis Amy (Bruce) Kurisu-Saltz, Kay Keiko (Gene) Mori and Alan (Glenna) Kurisu; she is also survived by nieces, nephews and other relatives; gc: 4.

**Masaki, Edward Shigeharu, 89**, Honolulu, HI, Aug. 22.



**Momoki, Shinji, 79**, San Jose, CA, July 11, 2022; he is survived by his daughters, Eva and Shirley; siblings, Naoko, Yoshihito and Kiyotsugu; he is also survived by nieces and a nephew.



**Morisaki, Fusako Mary Ann, 102**, Sacramento, CA, July 7, 2022; she was predeceased by her husband, Kiyoshi; she is survived by her children and other family members.

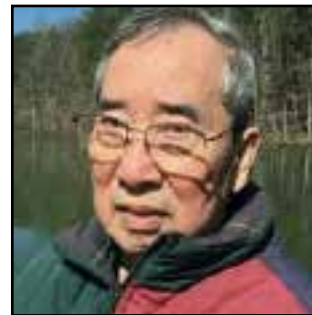


**Murata, Miyoko, 89**, East Stockton, CA, Jan. 23; during WWII, her family and she were incarcerated at the Manzanar WRA Center in CA; she was predeceased by her husband, Matsukiyo; she is survived by her children, Robert Murata, Julia Teranishi (Paul) and George Murata; siblings, Setsuko Tanaka and Sam Motoike; gc: 3.

**Nagase, Goro, 89**, Newark, DE, Sept. 10, 2022; he was predeceased by his wife, Takako; he is survived by his children, Terumi (Chris) McKenna and George Nagase; brother, Mitsumasa Nagase; gc: 1.

**Ryono, Chika, 86**, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA, Nov. 19, 2022; she is survived by her daughter, Pamela; siblings, Hitoshi, Mitsue and Reiko; she is also survived by many other cousins and relatives.

**Sato, Norman Hitoshi, 80**, Gardena, CA, Jan. 14; he is survived by his siblings, Wilbur Sato and Jane (Herbert) Kimata; he is also survived by nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews and other relatives.



**Tanikawa, Ruby Shigeko, 97**, San Jose, CA, Feb. 22; she is survived by her brother, Mac (Jane) Tanikawa; sister-in-law, Wakako Tanikawa; she is also survived by many nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews and great-grandnieces.

**Uehara, Bertram Hiroshi, 67**, Honolulu, HI, Jan. 3; B.A., University of Hawaii; MBA, Chaminade University; he is survived by his siblings, Valerie J. Uehara, Betty K. Arai, Dean T. Uehara and Bryce H. Uehara.

**Yamashita, Benjamin, 87**, Canaan, NH, Aug. 9, 2022.



**Yuki, Thomas Masami, 87**, Los Gatos, CA, Dec. 10, 2022; veteran, Army; during WWII, his family and he were incarcerated at the Poston WRA Center (Camp II) in AZ; B.A. and MBA, Santa Clara University; founding board member, American Bank and Trust; activities: San Jose Buddhist Church Betsuin; board of trustees, JANM; he is survived by his wife, Carol Shibata Yuki; children, Cheryl Wells (Rick), Trisha Yuki-Richards (John), Karla Cabico (Carl), Mariko Yuki and Jason Yuki; siblings, Emie Yamate (Minoru), Penny Morimoto (Edward) and Herbert Yuki (Barbara), he is also survived by many cousins, nieces and nephews; gc: 6.

**Sato, Tomio 'Tom,' 90**, Huntsville, AL, Feb. 24; veteran, Army; M.E., University of Alabama in Huntsville; he was predeceased by his siblings, Takao, Kimio, Yukio Sato and Mildred Wakakuwa; he is survived by his wife, Marlene; their children, Stanley, Sam (Sheila), Cliff Sato and Julie Harrell (Alan); he is also survived by many nieces and nephews; gc: 3; ggc: 1.

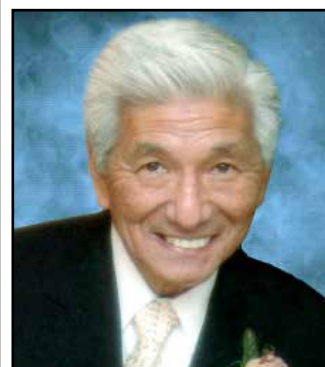
**Sato, Wesley, 88**, Park Ridge, IL, Sept. 24, 2022.

**Shimizu, Junko, 88**, Cottonwood Heights, UT, July 17, 2022; B.A., UCLA; she was active in Women's State Legislative Council, JACL, YWCA, Women's Republican Club, Salt Lake Council of Women; she is survived by her husband, Masaru Tom Shimizu; sons, Timothy (Valentina), Scot (Cara), Mark and Joshua; brothers, Hidetoshi (Kieko), Tetsuo (Noriko) and Masatake (Michiko); gc: 4.

**Tanaka, Cathy, 73**, Hacienda Heights, CA, March 1; she is survived by her husband, Masaru; sons, Eric (Traci) and Ryan (Aya); siblings, Jerry Fukui and Chris (Kenny) Kohler; she is also survived by nephews and a niece and other relatives; gc: 3.

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FRANKLIN 'FRANK' HIROSHI ADACHI



A memorial service for Franklin "Frank" Hiroshi Adachi, 87-year-old Nisei and veteran of the Korean War who passed away on Jan. 11, 2023, will be held on Saturday, April 15, 2023, at 10:30 a.m. at Gardena Valley Baptist Church, 1630 W. 158th St., Gardena, CA 90247.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Geraldine Adachi; stepson, Dickson (Lisa) Hatai; stepgrandsons, Dylan and Kyle Hatai; he is also survived by other relatives.

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