

Kelowna Buddhist Temple

The New Dharma Express

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Special points of interest:

- Sun. May 2, Dharma School 10am
- Wed. May 5, TSS Meditation 9:30am, Temple Board Meeting 7pm
- Thurs. May 6, TSS Meditation 9:30am
- Fri. May 7, TSS Meditation 9:30am
- Sun. May 9, Dharma School 10am Monthly Memorial and Go-tanye Service 2pm
- Wed. May 12, TSS Meditation 9:30am
- Thurs. May 13, TSS Meditation 9:30am
- Fri. May 14, TSS Meditation 9:30am
- Sun. May 16, Dharma School 10am

Monthly Memorial

MAY

Master	Masaharu Terai
Mr.	Kinai Kita
Mr.	Shichigoro Hayashi
Mrs.	Tomeno Oikawa
Mrs.	Mitsu Hayashi
Miss	Yukiko Yokota
Mr.	Iwajiro Yoshikawa
Mr.	Bunzo Sakamoto
Mr.	Shojiro Yamaoka
Mr.	Suekichi Koga
Mr.	Katsuzo Hayashi
Mr.	Kuniyoshi Tamura
Mr.	Yazo Atagi
Mr.	Robert Kawaguchi
Mr.	Roy Tanemura
Mrs.	Takeko Kimura
Mr.	Masaichi Terai
Mr.	Masaru Tamaki
Mr.	Shuo Yamaoka

Special points of interest:

- Wed. May 19, TSS Meditation 9:30am
- Thurs. May 20, TSS Meditation 9:30am
- Fri. May 21, TSS Meditation 9:30am

Clean-up Altar Toban

Group #5
M/M Morio Koga
M/M Yosh Terada
M/M Kaichi Uemoto
Mr. Reg Tomiye
Mrs. Joan Kitaura
Mrs. Toyoko Tamaki
Mrs. Dot Wakano
Mr. Suey Koga
M/M Kim Kendal
M/M Gord Lacey
Mrs. Shigeko Kurahashi
Ms. Karen Stewart
Mr. Harry Tonn
Mrs. Janice Richardson

Special points of interest:

- Sat. May 22, Manning Park Retreat
- Sun. May 23, Manning Park Retreat
- Wed. May 26, TSS Meditation 9:30am
- Thurs. May 27, TSS Meditation 9:30am
- Fri. May 28, TSS Meditation 9:30am

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Special points of interest:

- Fri. May 28, 1pm Bake Sale Preparations.
- Sat. May 29, Annual Plant and Bake Sale 9am-1pm
- Sun. May 30, Year-end activity at Myra Canyon 10am—no Dharma School

From Sensei: Spring and New Awakenings

Spring has come, the cherry trees are in bloom, and there are signs of new life all around us. This is the month in which we celebrate the birth of Shakyamuni Buddha. His birth in the 5th century B.C.E. was an important time in human history. At that time, throughout the world there was a great growth in human consciousness. The German philosopher, Karl Jaspers called this era the *axial age*, (800 BC – 200 BC). During this time, the spiritual foundations of humanity were being laid, simultaneously and independently, by great thinkers in various parts of the world - India, China, the Middle-East and Ancient Greece. Some of these great thinkers and sages were Socrates, Plato, Confucius, Lao-tzu, and Siddhartha Gautama. Each was engaged in a quest to understand the meaning of human existence. They laid the foundations for the great spiritual traditions which we know today.

As we look around us, we see the signs of new life. Can we see evidence of this within our own lives? Some have said that in human life we experience four types of births. physical birth from one's mother; psychological birth, when one recognizes one's separate identity; spiritual birth, when one becomes conscious of one's spiritual identity; and finally, one's entry into the world of oneness at the point of death. Many of us never think about these latter two stages, and become stuck in the pursuit of trivial things, such as prestige, wealth, or self-indulgent lifestyles. As stated in the Larger Sutra *"They wander here and there in misery, accumulating worries and troubles. Driven by their own desire, they run about aimlessly and thus do not have a moment's peace"* The Larger Sutra further describes us as follows: *"They are ignorant and foolish, and yet they call themselves wise."* As a result, we often overlook the important messages of the scriptures.

Sometimes the people around us can teach us important lessons, by their example. I am sure that many of us can think of individuals whose lives and behaviors touch our hearts in deeply significant and poignant ways. The following story shows us how an ordinary young man could touch people within his community. One of my friends grew up in the 1950's in a small town on the edge of the Manitoba Prairie. In his youth, he befriended a mentally challenged young man, whom we shall call Ron. There was no alterna-

tive for Ron but to stay at home with his widowed mother. Together they survived financially on the odd jobs that he did for people within the community. Ron had a real "green thumb" and one could easily identify the places where he worked, tending to the lawns, shrubs, hedges, and flowers. All showed the fruits of his labor, and his loving attention. Ron also did what he called his "volunteer" work. He would cut the grass, rake the leaves, and plant flowers in what would otherwise have been unsightly vacant lots – and also for some members of the community who were not able to do the work themselves, but who couldn't afford to pay much. Ron attended church every Sunday along with his mother. Sometimes the younger children would try to tease him, but he was always able to take everything in his stride, with his usual good humor and cheerful optimism. Sadly, Ron had a short life and passed away a few years after my friend left to attend College. Although it was not easy to arrange, my friend decided to go back home for the funeral. He told me that at Ron's funeral he was amazed by what he saw. It seemed that everyone in town had decided to attend the funeral, and there were scores of others, like himself, who had traveled from distant places just to be there and pay their respects. Without consciously attempting to do so, Ron had shown to everyone in his home town the kind of life that really matters. He had not achieved fame, fortune, or great honors, but he had become known and respected within his community as an earnest and trustworthy man, an optimist, someone who could ease tensions, and a faithful follower of his religious faith. He was a man who was able to "overcome" a handicap that he didn't even know that he had, just by his generous good nature, his spirit of kindness and optimism that lived in his heart.

His story shows us of that everyone around us can have a message for us. Each of us in this world enables Amida's presence to unfold. That is how important each one of us is. The recitation of Namo Amida Butsu is our awakening to Amida Buddha's compassion that is constantly working on us in the here-and-now. Everything and everyone is a manifestation of Amida Buddha.

In Gassho, Rev. Yasuhiro Miyakawa

From the Temple Executive

The Temple Executive wishes to thank the hard working people who helped with Temple Yard clean-up the day before Hanamatsuri. Nathan Takeda, Kaichi Uemoto, Alan Yamaoka, George Terada, Ricky Terada, and Rick Suzuki. They were able to enjoy a delicious breakfast thanks to Lisa Shorter, Laurie Takeda, Barb Yamaoka, Joyce Favell and Hailey Uyeyama.

The Executive also wishes to thank the Dharma School for purchasing a new 52 inch flat panel TV with a Wii game for use by the Temple members. More great news, the YABA organization arranged

to have the downs stairs areas floor professionally waxed. The inside and outside of the Temple is definitely looking very fine.

We also wish to acknowledge the efforts of Rev. Y. Miyakawa for all his hard work and devotion to the members of Interior Shin Buddhist Temples. The huge strides that have been gained with the visibility of our Temples is in huge part due to this man's hard work. All our Ministers deserve our respect and understanding for their sacrifices, please join us in thanking Sensei for bringing the Nembustu into our humble lives. In Gassho, jiro

Message from the Editor

As some of you may have heard, I joined the Central Okanagan Photography Society a few years back. Basically it is a Photography Club that has weekly meetings, workshops, and photo evaluations for its members (categories for submissions like: Nature, Pictorial, Creative and Portrait).

Now I'm not trying to branch off into a cottage industry, it's more for personal interest and enjoyment, but what I'm discovering is new ways to see things. Maybe a keener photographic eye, I'm not sure how to describe it, but the other night, we were out taking pictures at night. What most people walk by and take for granted, we were happily taking shot after shot, looking for the angles and textures of objects that we normally don't SEE.

Open your eyes—look around at all the everyday things that are taken for granted... see the color and life in your daily activities.

You have heard me write about taking things for granted, like the wonderful Temple we have here in Kelowna. Next time you are at a service, look at the shrine, see the wonderful colors and really see what we normally just take for granted. Let us all think of ways we can help preserve all of this beauty for upcoming generations.

I'm really just starting into photography, it is such a huge hobby, there is so much equipment you could purchase, the sky is the limit. The awareness of your surroundings is definitely a plus and I think one of the best parts of what I have learned so far. Now if I could get Tomoye Yamaoka, Carol Koga or even Janice Richardson to sit still for a portrait, I think that I will have really made an accomplishment... lol (texting shorthand for "Laugh Out Loud").

In Gassho, jiro

Thus I Have Heard From Rennyō Shōnin: Giving a sword to a youngster

"Those who lack shinjin but are in possession of the sacred scriptures are like youngsters who are given swords. The reason is that although swords are useful, in the hands of youngsters, they will cut and injure themselves. Swords are really useful in the hands of adepts." So it is said.

Annual Plant and Bake Sale—May 29, 2010—from 9am till 1pm

This year featuring California rolls, Ageh Sushi and Gyoza

Preparation Help needed May 28th at 1pm

Your help and support of this and other Temple projects is greatly appreciated.

May 2010

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JSBTC Update:

A monthly update from the national headquarters of the Shin Buddhist Temples of Canada
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During my recent visit to the eastern provinces, I had a chance to join a young couple and their friends to celebrate Passover which is a Jewish tradition. The host had prepared a special meal on the occasion as well as a twenty-page document for everyone around the dinner table. Before and during the meal, the host would chair and ask all the people there to take turns to read the history and background of Passover. Of course, there was no Rabbi present, but as a Buddhist minister, I was impressed by the way they conducted themselves with pride to continue their tradition at home. Even if it is practiced once or twice a year, they voluntarily continue to keep their religion at home, which is a wonderful idea.

I know the Sunday Dharma School is very important for the future of the temple, but if the parents don't care to practice their religion at home, the children don't learn much of their spiritual tradition. A friend of mine who is a Buddhist minister in California always talks about the religious education for parents. He insists that the parents play very important role to educate their children which is very true. I recall one pioneer gentleman in B.C. who had five children. What he did at home was he used to get up early in the morning and conducted a daily service to which his children woke up hearing the chanting and recitation of the nembutsu.

This is something we have to seriously think and practice when it comes to Jodo Shinshu missionary in this country as most of us inherit the family shrine from our parents and grandparents.

In gassho, namoamidabutsu, Orai Fujikawa

三月から四月にかけて東部仏教会を訪問してまいりました。トロント仏教会では春のお彼岸、そして敬老会、またオタワ法友会、モントリオール仏教会、ハミルトン仏教会も巡回しましたが、ちょうどパスオーバー、イースターもかさなり、ある若いカップルとパスオーバーを一緒にすごしました。朝から主役のお方が、食事の準備をし、それからお客の人数に合わせて書類を用意します。夕方みんなそろって特別な夕食を食べながら、パスオーバーの歴史とか背景などを交代で読んでいきます。一寸お経のよなところもありますが、みんなで読み終えて食事が終わるのです。もちろんユダヤ教の先生はおりませんが、自発的に自分の宗教の伝統を守っているのです。

仏教の開教使として大いに啓発されました。お寺での日曜学校は将来の仏教会のために大切なことですが、親が家庭で宗教を実践しなかったら、なかなか子供たちに徹底しないと思います。

私が親しくしている米国教団の開教使は、常に親たちの教育に力を入れています。その方が近道になるというわけです。これから浄土真宗をこのカナダに伝えてゆく場合、お家にある仏壇をいつもきれいにしておいて大いに活用して行くことを真剣に考えなくてはなりません。皆様どう思われますか？ 合掌。なもあみだぶつ。

Coming Events;

May 8 Fraser Valley Temple's 55th Anniversary
 22-24 Family Retreat at Manning Park

12-14 World Jodo Shinshu Coordinating Council in Hawaii

29-30 Eastern District's 750th Memorial of Shinran Shonin in Toronto

Jun 13 Manitoba District's 750th Memorial of Shinran Shonin in Winnipeg

Sept 25-26 BC District's 750th Memorial of Shinran Shonin in Steveston

Oct 30-31 Alberta District's 750th Memorial of Shinran Shonin in Calgary

Congratulations!

Em Nishi is just beaming with pride, the artistic creations of her daughter Geri's work has been chosen for a solo showcase in the Galerie Sofie Lachaert in Gent, Belgium this summer. Her work was chosen from 9 former 4th year students of her school.

She modestly informed me that she was not in the same showcase as others, so the whole gallery wasn't devoted just to just her work, but I am so happy for Geri, she deserves our admiration.

I have always been a "rice and bologna" type of guy, a lot of Geri's work, I look at and smile... think, would I really wear that (figuratively) or buy for the

living room, however, she is on the cutting edge of today's fashion and trends. I admire Geri for taking the bold steps to pursue her passion, she has a creative mind and the artistic talent—join me in congratulating her and wishing her success in the future. It is nice to report great news from our small Sangha here in Kelowna, coming from places around the world which I can only dream about let alone pronounce.

In Gassho, jiro

For a flavor of her talents visit: www.behance.net/gerinishi or <http://one-hourphotos.blogspot.com>

Welcome! 4 New Members

It gives me great pleasure to welcome four new members, Mr. Dan Romaniuk and Darlene (nee) Terada, Luke Mitton and Nathan Takeda.

I have met Darlene when orchard raiding up at George's, but have yet to welcome Dan to the Temple and Kelowna. They have a daughter Catherine who came with her Mom to Hanamatsuri, I'm sure she will love coming to Dharma School.

I had an opportunity to meet Luke at a Spring Chow Mein preparation day. He is here in Kelowna from Nova Scotia and is very interested in Buddhism and happy to be a member of the Kelowna Buddhist Temple. Please join me, make him feel at home and welcome Luke to our Temple.

Nathan, is my son and I wondered why now...

Shirley Tanemura just sent out a nice invitation to all

potential members (with an information package about our Temple), that might have made a difference—not just his dad pestering him.

He, like most people ask, how will I benefit by joining the Temple? It was never about the annual membership dues, Nathan knows how much time that I invest in Temple activities, from this web site, managing the financial aspects and helping with fund raising projects. What I think is, he can see what will be gained by joining isn't something that you can hold in your hand, it is a personal satisfaction that can be gained. "What's in it for me!" becomes "What's in it for everyone!". Thank you to Dan, Darlene, Luke and Nathan, I hope you become long time members of our Temple.

In Gassho, jiro

Rev. Y. Miyakawa—Marathon Chanting

August 6th, 2010

Kelowna Buddhist Temple
Promoting World Peace

In remembrance of the Atomic Bombing of Hiroshima
Fold a crane, make a donation, or come and support

Planning continues for the Senior Housing Project, we need your thoughts, please indicate by mail or email if you are:

1. Very Interested in this project
2. Slightly interested in this project

Project details can be found on the web site.

If you would like to put your name on the priority list please email kbtemple@telus.net or mail:

Kelowna Buddhist Temple
Seniors Housing Project
PO Box 22092, RPO Capri Centre
Kelowna, BC V1Y 9N9

If you would like further information please contact: Reg Tomiye at 250-212-0000 cell or email: rtomiye@shawbiz.ca

二 行 事 案 内

- 5月 2日(日) 午前10時 日曜学校
- 5日(水) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 6日(木) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 午後7時 仏教会役員会
- 7日(金) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 9日(日) 午前10時 日曜学校
- 午後2時 降誕会、祥月法要
- 12日(水) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 13日(木) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 14日(金) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 16日(日) 午前10時 日曜学校
- 19日(水) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 20日(木) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 21日(金) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 22日(土)ー23日(日) マンニク “ハ”ークの集い
- 26日(水) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 27日(木) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 28日(金) 午前9時半 千部経三昧
- 午後1時 ヘ”イクセール準備
- 29日(土) 午前9時ー午後1時 フ”ラント、ヘ”イクセール

花の咲き乱れる気持ちの良い季節になってきました。

花祭りの次は降誕会とマンニグパークの集い、

お揃いでお集まり下さい。

29日は草花の苗、ベイク、寿しセールをします。

どうぞご支援下さいますようお願い致します。



From Fujinkai:

The Plant and Bake sale date has been decided for Saturday, May 29th. Plans are that we will also offer californian rolls and ageth sushi together with the bake sale items and they will be made on Friday May 28th. If you can spare an hour or so to help with the sushi preparations it would be much appreciated.

There will be no Flea Market as in former years but will be offering beautiful flower and vegetable plants from Ogi's greenhouses at bargain prices. Preparations for this will also be one on Friday. Any help you can offer will be gratefully accepted.

In Gassho, Em

“Ricks Garden World”

Thanks for the generous donation of gorgeous daffodils. They made this years 2010 Hanamatsuri and hospital visitation a huge success.

In Gassho

Lawn Cutting Schedule for May

Gord Lacey	1
Harry Tonn	8
Jim Nishi	15
Tim Tahara	22
Alan Yamaoka	29

From the Treasurer

It seems that I'm always asking for forgiveness, over the last couple of months I have neglected to acknowledge donations that were placed into the "Donation Box" at the front of the hondo. You will see several names (from very caring and generous

individuals) on the donation page duplicated, because donations were made on different occasions. I will do my best to remember to check the box more frequently in the future. In Gassho jiro

More from the Temple Executive

April certainly started off cold in the Okanagan this year, but there has been no shortage of warmth generated at the Temple by the many members and friends who have come out to the many Temple events.

April 3rd was our annual Spring Chow Mein and Apple Pie Sale which again was a great success because of the many people who came out to help (thanks Keldon Crew). This is one of our major fund raising projects and without your hard work and commitment, the Temple would have a difficult time surviving.

April 10th was our spring clean up day. Thanks to the volunteers who came out and worked so hard to beautify the Temple grounds. Of course, we must not forget the ladies who prepared a delicious breakfast for everyone.

A Hanamatsuri tradition continued with the Dharma School students, Miyakawa Sensei, Pegi Uyeyama, Sandy and Tim Tahara and Shirley Tanemura visiting shut-ins at Kelowna General Hospital, Cottonwoods, Village at Mill Creek and Brandts Mews spreading Dharma cheer and presenting daffodils to the patients. I'm sure the patients really appreciated their kindness.

Unfortunately, due to a new hospital policy barring contact by religious groups with hospital patients, our goodwill ambassadors were not able to present daffodils directly to the general hospital patient population, but were able to leave flowers at the

nurses' stations. What a shame - the end of a fifty eight year tradition.

It was great to see so many people at the Hanamatsuri service, particularly the many youth resplendently dressed in yukatas and happis. I'm sure everyone enjoyed the delicious dinner prepared by the Fujinkai ladies and the entertainment and bingo which followed.

A reminder that May 29th is our annual plant sale. As an added wrinkle this year, we are also planning to sell California rolls, ageth sushi and gyoza. We encourage you to come out and stock up on beautiful plants from Ogi's Nursery for your garden and please your palate with delicious sushi and gyoza. If you can also lend a helping hand preparing the goodies the afternoon of Friday, May 28th and at the sale on Saturday - we can use all the assistance we can get.

The Jodo Shinshu Buddhist Temples of Canada annual general meeting is being held April 23 - 25 at Steveston Buddhist Temple. Alec Pelletier, Alan Yamaoka and Tim Tahara will be representing Kelowna Buddhist Temple. Numerous important items are on the agenda, including the choice of a new Bishop.

Last, but certainly not least, a very, very special welcome to new Temple members Luke Mitton, Nathan Takeda, and Darlene and Dan Romaniuk.

In Gassho, Derek



The JSBTC (Formerly BCC) Women's Federation is launching a 'Gift Card Shop and Support Campaign' to major retailers (for a complete list, contact Tomoye Yamaoka, or Barb Yamaoka) - a portion of the Gift Card will go to support the 2015 Women's Convention and the 750th Anniversary (2011) of the passing of our Founder, Shinran Shonin. Obviously these cards will make a great Birthday, Anniversary or Christmas Gift, they will be made available over the next few months, however, don't delay, get your Gift Cards today. In Gassho

With Gratitude the Temple and all of its Affiliated Organizations
Acknowledge Your Generous Contribution and Apologies
for any Errors or Omissions.

General

Tamagi, Mr. Tom	\$15.00
Hatanaka, Mrs. Sugino (In Appreciation for Chow Mein)	\$15.00
Nishi, Mrs. Sakae (Chow Mein Donation)	\$20.00
Tanaka, Mrs. Sachiko	\$20.00
Stewart, Karen	\$20.00
Nelson, M/M Eric	\$20.00
Stewart, Karen	\$20.00
Stewart, Karen	\$20.00
Yamaoka, Gerry (Chow Mein Donation)	\$25.00
Stewart, Karen	\$25.00
Mori, M/M Min (Dharma School)	\$25.00
Kitaura, Mr. Barney (for Chow Mein)	\$50.00
Yamaoka, M/M Toshio	\$50.00
Ogi, M/M Teruo	\$50.00
Sen, Mr. Alex	\$50.00
Stewart, Karen	\$50.00
Stewart, Karen	\$60.00
Hatanaka, Mrs. Sugino	\$80.00
Dux, Mr. Larry	\$100.00
Tainaka, Mr. Albert (In Appreciation of Chow Mein)	\$100.00
Yitung Buddhist Temple	\$100.00
Nishi, Mrs. Sakae	\$100.00
Yamaoka, M/M Alan (Chow Mein Donation)	\$100.00
Yamaoka, Mrs. Suteo (In Appreciation of Sustaining Membership)	\$125.00
Pelletier, M/M Alec	\$250.00

Hanamatsuri

Brown, Mrs. Gail	\$20.00
Cavanaugh, Mrs. Geneva	\$20.00
Kakuno, Janie	\$20.00
Koga, M/M Bob	\$20.00
Terada, Mr. George	\$20.00
Mori, M/M Min	\$20.00
Tomiye, Mr. Reg	\$20.00
Kurahashi, Mrs. Shigeo	\$20.00
Yamauchi, Mrs. K.	\$25.00
Ishikawa, Mrs. Mitsuko	\$25.00
Romaniuk, M/M Dan	\$25.00
Ishikawa, Mr. James	\$25.00
Richardson, Mrs. Janice	\$25.00

Sugie, M/M Sam	\$25.00
Nishi, Mrs. Em	\$25.00
Yamaoka, Mrs. Chiyoko	\$30.00
Takeda, M/M Jerry	\$50.00
Hayashi, Mrs. Shizue	\$30.00
Terada, M/M Yosh	\$30.00
Hatanaka, Mrs. Shiz	\$30.00
Yamaoka, M/M Nob	\$30.00
Terai, M/M Isao	\$30.00
Nishi, Mrs. Sakae	\$30.00
Koga, M/M Morio	\$30.00
Hatanaka, Mrs. Sugino	\$30.00
Tanaka, M/M Herb	\$30.00
Tahara, Mr. Sumio	\$30.00
Uemoto, M/M Kaichi	\$30.00
Kitaura, Mr. Barney	\$30.00
Sen, Mr. Alex	\$40.00
Tahara, M/M Morio	\$40.00
Koga, Mr. Suey	\$40.00
Hatanaka, Maureen	\$40.00
Uyeyama, M/M Joe	\$40.00
R. Suzuki/P. Tanaka	\$40.00
Tanaka, Mrs. Sachiko	\$40.00
Suzuki, M/M Tosh	\$40.00
Yamaoka, Ms. Carrie	\$40.00
Yamaoka, M/M Alan	\$50.00
Martin, Mr. Michael	\$50.00
Lacy, M/M Gord	\$50.00
Tanemura, M/M Yuki	\$50.00
Tahara, M/M Tim	\$50.00
Omae, Mrs. Shizue	\$50.00
Ohashi, M/M Kiyoshi	\$50.00
Stewart, Karen	\$100.00



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Memorial

Wada, Mrs. Matsuko (In Memory of Yoshitaka Wada)	\$30.00
Budo, Mrs. M. (In Memory of Honzo, Harue & Roy Budo)	\$150.00

Monthly Memorial

Sugie, Mrs. Irene (In Memory of Mother, Mrs. U. Tatebe)	\$20.00
Uemoto, M/M Kaichi	\$20.00
Mori, M/M Min	\$20.00
Ohashi, M/M Kiyoko (In Memory of Tomechiyo Teramura)	\$25.00
Teramura, Mr. Roy	\$25.00
Nishi, Mrs. Em (In Memory of Carl Nishi)	\$25.00
Yamaoka, M/M Alan (In Memory of Carl Nishi)	\$30.00
Nishi, Mrs. Sakae	\$30.00
Tanemura, M/M Yuki	\$40.00
Tahara, Mr. Sumio	\$40.00

Newsletter

Kurahashi, Mrs. Shigeo	\$20.00
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