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Embrace Change: Awareness (Seek Opportunities)

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Dharma Teaching Through Music

The Kauai Hongwanji Council recently sponsored a music workshop, conducted by Hilo Betsuin's own composer, BJ. Soriano. More than thirty attendees from all Hongwanji temples learned nine original gathas—all with a simple Dharma message and an upbeat tempo. It's a new era in music that's catching on in America.



Fortunately, our church leaders endorse this idea. To quote Pieper Toyama, Hawaii Kyodan president: "I consider the gathas and other musical efforts of current lay members to be a part of sharing the Dharma and propagation". He was endorsing music's role in the temple and validating the efforts of the music committee over the years. One of the next big steps is posting gathas on the Honpa Hongwanji's music website. It is still being worked on because certain issues on copyright had to be settled.

Our efforts here at Lihue Hongwanji are to use the new and translated gathas to freshen up our services. We can now step away from using gathas that are heavily Christian influenced. They served us well back when temples needed a start and used the Christian churches as models. But a century has passed and we have to forge our own identity. With new gathas emerging, it is time to shelve the old and bring forth the new. One of our efforts has been to encourage our members to create our own gathas by sponsoring gatha contests. Good examples are May Peace Prevail by Carrie Kawamoto, Buddha's Great Light by Jennifer Taira and Carrie Kawamoto, The Golden Chain of Love by Jennifer Taira; and, thankfully, we've had talented people like Mrs. Takamiya who contributed five gathas. Also, people like BJ Soriano have come forward with her own compositions with a very different flavor.

Speaking of flavor.....We all have needs for nourishment whether it be food, drink, spiritual, intellectual, emotional, or social. These needs are met in different ways, every day. Don't we enjoy food more when it tastes and looks good? Aren't we more attentive at a lecture or a sermon when all our senses are engaged in receiving the message, such as when using the video, graphics, and music to make our points? Do you believe that a spoonful of sugar makes the medicine go down? Then, come and join us and learn the new gathas.

Calendar of Events

MAY

Fri	1	7:30 PM	Bon Dance Practice
Sat	2	8:30 AM	Eden at Home Workshop
Sun	3	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service Birthday & Memorial Sunday LHWA Meeting
Tue	5	7:30 PM	Bon Dance Meeting
Fri	8	7:30 PM	Bon Dance Practice
Sun	10	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service
Tues	12	7:30 PM	Board of Directors Mtg.
Fri	15	7:30 PM	Bon Dance Practice
Sun	17	9:00 AM	Gotan-e Service Shinran Shonin's Birthday Spkr: Rev. Kosho Yagi

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Fri	22	7:30 PM	Bon Dance Practice
Sun	24	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service
Sun	31	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service

JUNE

Sun	7	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service Birthday & Memorial Sunday
Tues	9	7:30 PM	Board of Directors Mtg.
Sun	14	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service
Sun	21	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service Father's Day
Sun	28	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service

Visitation Schedule

Privacy and confidentiality rights of individuals limit the clergy from visiting persons in medical, residential and care-home facilities without the express request/consent of the family. Our minister is happy to visit members and friends, but by law, such visits require a referral from the family. Please contact Rev. Takahashi at 245-6262 or 245-4543.

Wed	May 13	2:30 PM	Regency at Puakea
Wed	May 20	9:30 AM	Mahelona Hospital Ext. Care Service/Visitation
Tues	May 26	10:00 AM	Wilcox Hospital / Garden Island Health Care Service/Visitation

Members and friends are welcome to accompany the minister at service and visitation outreach. Please contact Rev. Takahashi in a timely way.

Temple Decorations

Please deliver flower donations by **THURSDAY** evening.

2015 TEMPLE DECORATION	
May 7, 14, 21, 28	Pualoke I
June 4, 11, 18, 25	Pualoke II / Puhi
July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30	Isenberg I/Gym Isenberg II/Isenberg III

**All flower
donations will
be gratefully
accepted.**



**** Please check the temple terrace in the back of the social hall for flowers.****

All Different, All Just Right

I'd like to introduce one Japanese poetess. Her name is Misuzu Kaneko. She was from Nagato City, Yamaguchi, Japan where I was born. She lived in Japan and died young at the age of 26 about 80 years ago. However, she wrote 512 poems until then. She was born and raised in the family who followed the teaching of Nembutsu. It is said that she always attended temple services. Therefore, she sometimes wrote poems about the Buddha's heart and temple events. Also, many of her poems include warm and kind words. I would like to share one of her poems titled "Me, a Songbird, and a Bell."

Spread my arms though I may I'll never fly up in the sky. Songbirds fly but they can't run fast on the ground like I do. Shake myself though I may no pretty sound comes out. Bells jingle but they don't know lots of songs like I do. Bell, songbird, and me all different, all just right.

This is a short and simple poem, but we would learn an important lesson from this poem. In our daily lives, we may compare people. We would think "Oh, I prefer this person to that person." or "This person is nicer than that person." In addition, we may sometimes compare ourselves to others. For example, we may think, "I'm a better person than him, because I made a big success." On the contrary, we may think "Oh, he has a good talent, compared with myself," "I don't know why she always looks happy. Her life seems to be better than mine." Have you ever had this kind of thought? If we always think like this, it would be hard to see good in others. Also, it would be hard to accept ourselves as we are.

Misuzu Kaneko talked about bell, songbird and herself, and then she said, "All different, all just right." Actually, it would be hard for us to always accept all differences, because of our self-centered viewpoint. However, through her poem, we would be reminded that all life is precious and great as it is. When I read this poem, I always remember one passage of Amida Sutra: **In the ponds are lotuses as large as chariot-wheels – the blue ones radiating a blue light, the yellow a yellow light, the red a red light, and the white a white light. They are marvelous and beautiful, fragrant and pure. The Land of Utmost Bliss is filled with such splendid adornments.**

(Amida Sutra: *The Three Pure Land Sutras*, p. 354)

In the Buddha's world, there are many lotuses of different colors. Each flower radiates each color and shines each other. The sutra says that they are marvelous and beautiful, fragrant and pure. Like the colors of lotuses, we are all different. Since we are all different, we would radiate our own color of light and shine each other.

If we could have a perfect viewpoint, our mind would be peaceful all the time. However, we see things with our own viewpoint, then we are sometimes bothered. However, Amida Buddha is far beyond our viewpoint which exceeds all measure. According to his point of view, we are all constantly illuminated by Amida Buddha's light, and this means that everything shines all the time. The poem "Me, a Songbird, and a Bell" would remind us of this matter.

Shinran Shonin said: **The light of wisdom exceeds all measure and every finite living being receives this illumination that is like the dawn, so take refuge in Amida, the true and real light.**

(Hymns of the Pure Land: *Collected Works of Shinran*, p. 325)

Let us live our daily lives, listening to the teaching of Nembutsu. Namo Amida Butsu.

WORDS OF WISDOM—EASY TO HEAR, HARD TO FOLLOW**By Edith Ushio**

Haste makes waste. Early bird catches the worm. Don't put off until tomorrow what you can do today. Treat others the way you would want to be treated. Think before you talk. These are words that we have all heard many times and are all familiar with. There are many other expressions and words that we have all heard and said, and of those that I have heard/received/said, I would like to share five with you.

1. My mother-in-law used to tell us to remember that the more grains of rice a rice plant produces, the more its stalks bend, which I think is an expression that comes from Japan. She said that this tells us that the more knowledge a person gains or the more successful a person becomes professionally or socially, the more humble he or she should become. As one climbs the ladder of success, he or she should not show off or look down on others but should become more humble.
2. Another thing that my mother-in-law used to say was that though we should speak our minds, there are times when we will come out ahead by not saying anything, by just being quiet. This will keep us from having to say the last word during a disagreement and sometimes making fools of ourselves.
3. My son's mentor in Kendo who was a highly respected high-ranked Kendo instructor who passed away suddenly last year at around age 55, told my son that he should always be very happy when his students surpass him; because that's how Kendo is going to get better and better from generation to generation. Whether it's Kendo or sewing or anything else, we should encourage those we are teaching to surpass us if we want improvement and advancement. We should not feel that the instructor has to be the best.
4. When I helped with cooking for construction workers at LHM, my mother often said that I should watch how others do things, because I can always learn from them. She said that even though I loved to cook and therefore had my own way of doing things, I could learn a lot by watching how the older women did things.
5. The last one I would like to share is advice that I give my daughter and son. Whenever they complain about negative behavior by someone, my advice to them is that if they don't like how someone else behaves, make sure that they don't behave like that person. So often one wants to pay back or give another person a taste of his own medicine and begins to behave negatively toward that person. Then he/she begins to behave like that negative person.

Words of advice that I have received and given, five of which I have shared with you, are easy for me to remember and follow as long as things are going **my** way. Like most or all of you, I find it very easy to be "a nice person" when things go **my** way. However, we all know that in life things don't always go as planned. As mentioned in an article in the paper recently, a baseball player, when talking about a difficult time his friend was going through, said that it would be wonderful if only straight balls were thrown at us; but many times life throws us curveballs and knuckleballs; and what defines a person is how he/she reacts and responds to those curveballs and knuckleballs. For me, when those curveballs and knuckleballs are thrown, I tend to forget much of the words of wisdom received earlier; my horns come out; and I begin to

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exhibit negative behavior. For example I think my way is the best and therefore have difficulty changing my way of doing things, I get upset when someone corrects me, or I keep on talking to get the last say. I even forget my advice to my son and daughter and begin to act like a person whose behavior upsets me. Especially at times like that, when I have difficulty resolving situations by myself, I really need my religion to help me. I should remind myself to say “Namo Amida Butsu” and think about the Golden Chain of Love, the Eightfold Path, and other Jodo Shinshu teachings to help me react and respond positively to those curveballs and knuckleballs. Then, hopefully, the horns will go down and I will become a better person. Then others will become happier due to my positive actions. Someone once said, “Life is good when I am happy, but life is best when others are happy because of me.”

Calling all aspiring ministers

Bishop Eric Matsumoto has announced a State Pre-Ordination (Pre-Tokudo) Training session for Dec. 11-13, 2015. The deadline to submit applications is May 31. For more information, please contact Rev. Takahashi at 245-6262 or 245-4543 or email ktakahashi@honpahi.org.



Birthdays in April—Karen, Taylor, Dennis, Laura, Hideko, Rev. Takahashi standing in for Sakyamuni Buddha

Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii-Highlights

Web: www.hongwanjihawaii.com Email: hqs@honpahi.org

CALENDAR COMMITTEE

The HHMH Calendar Committee would like to invite the Hongwanji members and friends to provide creative works of art for the 2016 Hongwanji Calendar. The official announcement from the Calendar Committee is forthcoming. Please encourage each other and your various temple organizations to start thinking about ideas to submit your works of art such as photos, drawings, and poems. The Hongwanji theme and Slogan for the year 2016 is **“Embrace Change: New Vision (Create Engagement)”**.

THE 15TH WORLD BUDDHIST WOMEN’S CONVENTION IN CANADA

The 15th World Buddhist Women’s Convention (WBWC) will be held in Calgary, Alberta, Canada on May 30-31, 2015 sponsored by the World Federation of Jodo Shinshu Hongwanji-ha and hosted by the Jodo Shinshu Buddhist Temples of Canada Women’s Federation (JSBTCWF). The theme of the convention is “Embraced by the Oneness of Life” with a slogan of “One World Sangha” and approximately 2,000 delegates will be participating from Canada, BCA, South America, Hawaii, and Japan. The keynote speakers are Rev. Patricia Usuki of San Fernando Valley Hongwanji Buddhist Temple (in English) and Rev. Nana Yanase of the Kyō On Ji Temple in Nara Prefecture (in Japanese).

Mrs. Susan Huntley, the President of the JSBTCWF and the chairperson of the 2015 WBWC, wrote in her welcome message, “The convention is an opportunity for Jodo Shinshu followers of all ages to gather on an international scale; meet new people, learn together, share experiences and spread the circle of Dharma today and for generations to come.”

From the Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii, 99 people (68 BWA delegates, 21 Non-BWA members, and 10 ministers) will be attending the convention.

JODO SHINSHU CORRESPONDENCE COURSE

Almost 800 years have passed since Shinran revealed the teaching of Jodo Shinshu (Shin Buddhism) in Japan, following the path of Sakyamuni and other masters in India, China and Japan. The teaching, with deep reflection on human existence and the realization of dynamic Dharma, has fascinated many people around the world.

Thus, the practice of Jodo Shinshu does not remain solely in Japan, but has expanded to Hawaii, North America, South America, Asia, Europe, Australia and Africa. More people are learning about Jodo Shinshu through ministers’ activities, publications and the internet. As one response to their growing interest, we have established a correspondence course providing them, especially those who do not have access to temples nearby, with basic knowledge of Jodo Shinshu.

In addition, this correspondence course also aims to provide those who have already joined Jodo Shinshu temples as members, with opportunities to deepen their understanding. This is achieved through Internet Communication with instructors regarding specific topics related to Jodo Shinshu and Buddhism in general. The correspondence course takes on a new challenge and plays an important role in transmitting the teaching to all people who are interested in Jodo Shinshu.

Registration period for the Fall 2015 Enrollment will be from May 1 to August 15, 2015. For more information, please go to <http://jscc.cbe-bca.org/>.



Pacific Buddhist Academy Capital Campaign

Pacific Buddhist Academy's goal is to complete construction before December 2016.

Construction Costs: PBA's Capital Campaign budget is \$8 million for building construction and other costs.

Fundraising Plan: PBA's goal is to complete fundraising by December 2015, and start construction as soon as fundraising is completed.

Total Amount Left to Raise: \$2.3 million

PBA cannot start construction until they get donations and pledges totaling the full construction cost because of a clause in the lease agreement with Hawaii Betsuin, the landlord. PBA received a \$1.5 million grant from the Weinberg Foundation, but it has a clause that requires completion of the construction within a certain time limit. If construction isn't started by the end of the year, the grant may be in jeopardy.

THE TIME TO SUPPORT PBA IS NOW!

GIFTS OR PLEDGES MAY BE SENT TO:

Advancement Office, Pacific Buddhist Academy, 1710 Pali Highway, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Rudiger Ruckmann, Director of Advancement 808-532-2649, Ext. 209 rudiger.ruckmann@pbahi.org

Your support helps us grow our school so that more young people can become advocates for peace.

We are grateful for every donation today that creates opportunities for the next generation.

Enclosed is my gift of: ☐ \$100 ☐ \$200 ☐ \$500 ☐ \$1,000 ☐ Other _____

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Email _____

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☐ Parent/Relative of _____

☐ Temple affiliation _____

☐ Current/Former Board member

☐ Current/Former Staff member

☐ Friend of PBA

I would like to make a gift by credit card:

☐ One-time ☐ Monthly starting on _____

☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard

Name on card _____

Acct # _____ Expires _____

Signature _____

☐ I would like to make a gift of stock. Please call me.

☐ I have made / am interested in making PBA a part of my estate plans. Please call me.

Thank you for your Support!

July 12-24, 2015 YBICSE (Young Buddhist International Study Exchange)

- ◆ Visiting Jodo Shinshu historical sites including the Hongwanji (mother temple) in Kyoto
- ◆ Meeting new friends from US Mainland, Canada, South America, and Japan
- ◆ Homestay Program
- ◆ Learn and experience Japanese culture
- ◆ Many other life-changing experiences!

15 participants will be selected from Hawaii. Cost is \$1500.

Eligibility: Persons who are currently in 9th grade through age 25; appreciate the Jodo Shinshu Buddhism, and are in good health.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 10. CONTACT REV. TAKAHASHI

Hawaii Kyodan & PBA T-Shirt

(color is turquoise blue)



Front



Back

The State Ministers' Association offers this T-shirts project as a means to be publicizing the presence of Hawaii Kyodan and for supporting the Pacific Buddhist Academy. We ask you minimum \$15 donation for per t-shirt. *above XL, we ask minimum \$20 donation. The proceeds from this project will be donated to the Pacific Buddhist Academy. Place your order with Rev. Takahashi.

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Name of the temple_____

Print Name_____ Address_____

Size of T-shirts S M L XL XXL XXXL *Payable to **Hawaii Honpa Hongwanji Ministers Association**

**June 27—Save the Date****9:00AM—12N**

Interested in learning more about how to use **PowerPoint** or **KeyNote**? If so, please call the LHM office @ 245-6262 if you are interested. Stay tuned for more information!

**LHM GOLF CLUB TOURNAMENT****May 23, 2015****Puakea Golf Course****First Tee Time: 11 AM**

Followed by food & refreshments at Hookipa Cafe

\$47 Tournament Fee**\$3 Optional Jackpot****All are welcome**

Call Ray Morikawa at 652-3185 to sign up or for more information.

**2015 KAUAI BUDDHIST COUNCIL BON DANCE SCHEDULE****Note: All Bon Odori will begin at 7:30 pm**

June 5-6	Waimea Shingon Mission
June 12-13	Kapa'a Jodo Mission
June 19-20	West Kauai Hongwanji (Waimea)
June 26-27	Kapa'a Hongwanji Mission
July 10-11	Waimea Higashi Hongwanji
July 17-18	Kauai Soto Zenshuji
July 24-25	Koloa Jodo Mission
July 31-August 1	West Kauai Hongwanji (Hanapepe)
August 7-8	Lihue Hongwanji Mission

**Bon Dance Practice Schedule**

Temple	Day	Time (for 1 hour)	Regular Class
Kapa'a Hongwanji	Monday	7:00 pm	4/27 – 6/22
Koloa Jodo Mission	Tuesday	7:00 pm	5/05 – 7/21
Kapa'a Jodo Mission	Thursday	7:00 pm	5/14 – 6/04
West Kauai Hongwanji (Hanapepe)	Thursday	6:00 pm	4/02 – 5/22
Lihue Hongwanji	Friday	7:30 pm	4/17 – 5/22

REQUESTS FOR HOME OR HOSPITAL VISITATION

If you would like Rev. Takahashi to visit a family member or friend who is homebound or hospitalized for any length of time, please call him at 245-6262 or 245-4543. He is always willing to help in any way that he can.

Do you have a refrigerator you are willing to donate to LHM (for bon dance and other uses)? If you can help, please contact Wayne

Fujioka @ 246-1870 or the LHM office @ 245-6262. Thank you!



Come to Sunday Services and SAVOR THE FLAVOR of the new gathas.



Sing-A-Long with BJ

Amida's Guide to Life

BJ Soriano, Composer

As I reflect my daily path of where my life will lead,
I recall Amida's words which seem to comfort me.
Though the world is filled with so much fear and strife,
I try to always be aware of Amida's guide to Life.

With mindfulness, compassion, Amida's guiding ways,
Shown to every living thing we come across each day.
Kindness and with gentleness, we work to do what's right
To always try to be aware of Amida's guide to Life -
To always try to be aware of Amida's guide to Life.





With Deepest Sympathy

Lihue Hongwanji extends its deepest sympathy to the family and relatives of:

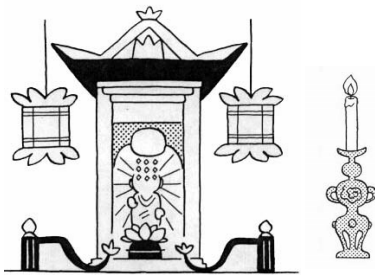
The late Mitsue Nogami who died on March 14, 2015 at the age of 100.

MEMORIAL SERVICE (NENKI HOYO)

MAY-JUNE

The following is a list of members who passed away during the months of May & June. In Jodo Shin Buddhism, memorial services are observed to remind the family members of the compassion of Amida Buddha in memory of the deceased.

Lihue Hongwanji Mission recommends that the families and relatives of the deceased members listed below contact the temple office at 245-6262 for an appointment.



1st Year Memorial Service—2014

2014	June 1	Eiji Kondo
2014	June 24	Yuichi Tanaka

3rd YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2013

2013	May 20	Shizuko Fujii
2013	May 27	Robert Fujikawa
2013	June 11	Tomoko Watanabe

7th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2009

2009 none

13 YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2003

2003 none

17th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1999

1999	June 3	Isamu Miyoshi
1999	June 19	Tsukao Haituka
1999	June 25	Yoshiko Hashimoto

25th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1991

1991	May 1	Fumito Kanazawa
1991	May 14	James Shinno
1991	May 31	Noboru Takeuchi

33rd YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1983

1983	May 3	Albert Ohama
1983	May 12	Jingoro Konoki
1983	June 23	Mikiso Nakai

50th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1966

1966	May 7	Yasakichi Katsuki
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If there are any errors or if your name is not listed, please call Amy Yamada at 245-6262 between the hours of 9AM and 12 Noon.

FUNERAL SERVICE:

In Memory of Dennis Dodo
 Maxwell & Jasmine Dodo
 Tom & Eleanor Kajiwara
 In Memory of Leslie Yaka
 Peggy Yaka
 In Memory of Masao Yotsuda
 Ann Yotsuda
 In Memory of Mitsue Nogami
 Elaine Fukushima

7 DAY SERVICE:

In Memory of Dennis Dodo
 Maxwell & Jasmine Dodo
 Tom & Eleanor Kajiwara
 In Memory of Leslie Yaka
 Peggy Yaka
 In Memory of Masao Yotsuda
 Ann Yotsuda
 In Memory of Mitsue Nogami
 Elaine Fukushima

49th DAY SERVICES:

In Memory of Susan Tsukayama
 Calvin & Gwen Tsukayama
 In Memory of Dennis Dodo
 Maxwell & Jasmine Dodo

INURNMENT & SERVICES:

In Memory of Susan Tsukayama
 Calvin & Gwen Tsukayama
 In Memory of Dennis Dodo
 Maxwell & Jasmine Dodo
 In Memory of Masao Yotsuda
 Ann Yotsuda

MEMORIAL SERVICE DONATION:

In Memory of Sadamu Saiki (1 Yr.)
 Reiko Saiki
 Ed & Leesha Kawamura
 In Memory of Yoichi Arita (3 Yrs.)
 Wayne Arita
 In Memory of Noboru Shimizu (7 Yrs.)
 Ford & Wanda Shimizu
 In Memory of Edith Ibe (7 Yrs.)
 Mark & Audrey Hiranaka
 Akiyo Matsuyama

In Memory of Itsuji Suzuki (13 Yrs.)
 Byron & Pauline Tada
 Larry & Chris Murata
 Glen & Karen Takenouchi
 Misao Sasaki
 Alan & Dale Masumura
 In Memory of Shigeo Inouye (17 Yrs.)
 Bruce Inouye
 Dr. Grace Inouye
 In Memory of Tomoyo Yotsuda (17 Yrs.)
 Yotsuda Family
 Flora Shota
 In Memory of Masayu Toma (17 Yrs.)
 Laura Hirokawa
 Glenn & Gail Shibuya
 Mamo & Amy Yamada
 In Memory of Kinuyo Mizutani (13 Yrs.)
 Mamo & Amy Yamada
 In Memory of Fusae Kajiwara (25 Yrs.)
 Tom & Eleanaor Kajiwara
 In Memory of Seiichi Amimoto (33 Yrs.)
 James & Lillian Amimoto
 In Memory of Toyoka Mizumura (33 Yrs.)
 Shizue Fujioka
 Wayne Fujioka & Carol Valentine
 In Memory of Tokiyo Arita
 Wayne Arita
 In Memory of Gladys Suzuki
 Howard Shinseki
 In Memory of Koma Sakata
 James & Lillian Amimoto
 In Memory of Harumi Tamura
 Natsuko Daida
 In Memory of Haruno Sanoo
 Diane Fukuyama
 In Memory of Ayako Shibuya
 Glenn & Gail Shibuya
 In Memory of Masao & Mine Tamura
 Isao & Hazel Sugibayashi
 In Memory of Mitsue Nogami
 Judy Yoshida
 In Memory of Mitsuko Higuchi
 Blaine Sasaki

MEMORAL DONATION CON'T.

In Memory of Suezo Shibuya
Glenn & Gail Shibuya
In Memory of Florence Tomita
Winston & Marian Ogata
Katherine Torigoe
In Memory of Sada Taniguchi
Ted & Alice Inouye
In Memory of Haruo & Van Nakamoto
Lily Nakamoto

COLUMBARIUM DONATION:

In Memory of Doris T.N. Hiramoto
Dr. & Mrs. Clay Hiramoto
In Memory of George & Elsie Toyofuku
Guy & Lori Toyofuku
In Memory of Itsuji & Shizuko Suzuki
Byron & Pauline Tada
Larry & Chris Murata
Glen & Karen Takenouchi
In Memory of Yoshino Ota
Hideko Uemura
In Memory of Edward & Yaeko Fujimoto
Paul & Anne Uyehara
In Memory Mitsuko Higuchi
Mamo & Amy Yamada
In Memory of Jose & Beatrice Bernal
Fred & Suzie Yamane
Tony & Allegra Antolin
Earnest & Linda Bernal
Melvin & Rory Bernal
Anonymous (2)

SPECIAL DONATION:

Roy & Carol Fujioka (2)
Isao & Hazel Sugibayashi (Birthday)
Sue Fujii (Birthday for Katherine Matsuda)

HOONKO SERVICE:

Isao Sugibayashi
Robert Yotsuda
Gene Oshiro
Janet Fujii

**GOTAN-E SERVICE:**

Natsue Onishi

NEW YEAR'S PARTY DONATION:

Robert & Alma Yotsuda

HANAMATSURI DONATION:

Yoshie Ogata
Mamo & Amy Yamada

SOCIAL CONCERN DONATION:

Robert & Alma Yotsuda
Chimako Miyoshi
Gene & Yuriko Oshiro

FUNERAL COMMITTEE DONATION:

Maxwell & Jasmine Dodo
Daniel Yotsuda
Elaine Fukushima

BON DANCE DONATION:

Ronald Hanaoka

MAJOR PROJECT DONATION:

Miyoshi Fujimoto
Ronald Hanaoka
Mamo & Amy Yamada (3)
James Yamamoto
Ted & Alice Inouye (2)

SPRING HIGAN DONATION:

Helen Tomita, Robert Yotsuda, Glenn Shibuya,
Hideko Uemura, Setsuo Ushio, Mamo Yamada,
Rowena Yamada, James Amimoto, Wayne Fujioka,
Gladys Fujiuchi, Diane Fukuyama, Ted Inouye,
Chimako Miyoshi, Robert Nishimoto, Winston Ogata,
Shizuko Shiramizu, Loretta Yamaguchi, Natsuko
Daida, Natsue Onishi, Michiko Yamamoto, Joyce
Sasaki, Janet Fujii, Jane Arita, Miyoshi Fujimoto,
Laura Hirokawa, Akiyo Matsuyama, Yoshie Ogata,
Gene Oshiro, Violet Tsuchiyama, Paul Yamaguchi,
Sumako Ichimasa, Isao Sugibayashi, Sue Fujii, Tom
Kajiware

Lihue Hongwanji Mission, a Shin Buddhist Temple

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Lihue, Hawaii 96766-5248
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Awareness**
(Seek Opportunities)



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Gotan-E Service

May 17, 2015

9:00 AM

Shinran Shonin's Birthday

Speaker: Rev. Kosho Yagi

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**