



Sydney Sako

February 25, 1918 - September 23, 2009

Sydney Sako beloved husband, father and grandfather went to be with the Lord on September 23, 2009 at the age of 91. He was born in Hiroshima, Japan on February 25, 1918. Sydney moved to the United States as a young child where he graduated from Texas A & M University. He returned to Japan to study the language. While there he was drafted into the Japanese army sent to Manchuria where he was captured by the Russian army and taken as a POW to Siberia for 5 years. Sydney met and married June Nakamura in Japan then moved back to the United States. He is survived by his wife June Sako; daughter, Naomi Maulden and husband, Gary; sons Thomas Sako and wife Michiyo, Ted Sako and wife Cindy; sister, Yuki Kunihiro; brother, Hideo Kunihiro; grandchildren, Joshua Sako, Coy Sako, and Jenna Sako.

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DF

“ Dear Naomi. Sorry to hear about your loss. I will pray for you and your family.

David Flores - April 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ My warmest condolences go out to the Sako family. What a great man and good Aggie Mr. Sako must have been. Best wishes for the future and God bless. Gig 'em!

Todd Stiggins '02 - April 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ Dear Tom:

I was sadden to hear about your Dad. Debbie and I are thinking of you and the family and praying for your loss.

Your Dad was always so kind and pleasant to us and we will miss him.

Tell everyone hello for me

In Him,

Richard

Richard and Debbie - October 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GP

“ June, Thomas, Ted and Naomi, What a giant of a man and such a gentle, kind loving man. He was the most like I envision a mortal man to be like Jesus in so many ways. We all loved him. He touched so many in a positive way. God Bless each of you.

Grover & Teri Parrott - September 26, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NM

“ Dear June and Family: I was very saddened to hear of Sydney's passing. He was a very kind and gentle man. I remember him well. He lived a very long life. Our condolences to you and your family. Our thoughts are with you at this time.
Nancy And

Nancy Kawazoe Motonaga - September 26, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Dear Mrs. Sako, Thomas, Ted and Naomi and family,

May the Lord comfort you during this time as you mourn the loss of Mr. Sako! He was such a gentle, friendly and hospitable man. He never let difficulties deter his optimism and hope. We're praying t

John W. Lee - September 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ To the family of Sidney we express our deep sympathy. We have known Sidney for many years. Our family hosted many dinners at our house for many of the Japanese language students from Lackland. May his family cherish the many memories they have of him.

Richard Kawazoe - September 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KN

“ We are sorry to hear of your loss. I have such fond memories of the times spent working with Sydney and June at the Folk Life Festival. My parents and I enjoyed the friendship shared being neighbors and friends. Our thoughts and prayers are with June and

Kurt and Nora Naukam - September 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ We are deeply sorry for your loss. Mr. Sako was one of the kindest people I've ever had the pleasure of meeting. We will miss seeing him at the office, he was always a joy to visit with: Our thoughts and prayers are you. God bless.

Angela and Jim Morey - September 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ I was privileged to have met Sydney when he came to visit Yuki at the office. He was such a gracious man and a wealthy of knowledge. My sympathy to the family. May your memories of Sydney bring you joy and peace.

Lynn and David Littleton - September 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RN

“ Sidney will be missed by many. He has a remarkable past and we enjoyed hearing him tell his story. God bless his soul.

Russ and Dawn Neumann - September 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ My sympathy to you, Dick Salomon

richard salomon - September 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ My deepest sympathy to you all,

Mary Ann Bekken - September 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Dear June and Family,

I so enjoyed knowing and working with Sidney during our time together at OTS. He truly was a "gentleman and a scholar." I am sorry for your loss and will keep you in my thoughts and prayers.

Barry Hubbard - September 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ Our deepest sympathy to you and your family.

Tammy & Robert Hurley - September 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ I worked with Mr Sako at Officer Training School. What a marvelous man. Such a wealth of knowledge and a very kind and gentle person. I'll never forget him making the fried wontons. They were delicious and you could smell them cooking all over the bui

Kerry Macaitis - September 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM