



Etsuko "Yoko" Tamayose Goto

June 10, 1935 - July 28, 2021

Etsuko "Yoko" Tamayose Goto, 86, passed peacefully to be with her husband, her family, and her friends in Heaven on July 28, 2021. She grew up on Okinawa and was preceded in death by her husband (Richard) in 1989. She is survived by her two sons, Michio and Robert, her daughter-in-law Sophia, and her siblings in CA, Hawaii, Okinawa, and Japan.

Mom loved to sing Okinawan and Japanese songs as well as watch Japanese programs. She loved to talk stories and had amazing detail to events in her youth. She also loved to cook Okinawan meals and host large parties in her San Lorenzo home... both for her friends, as well as all of the young Okinawan "transplants" living in the area during the 1970's and 1980's. Her Thanksgiving and New Year's meals filled many young bellies and their hearts with Okinawan hospitality.

We will miss her in how she has impacted our lives...

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation in her name to the Northern CA Okinawa Kenjin Kai (re: Shuri Castle Fire Recovery) or your favorite local Food Bank charity.

Previous Events

Funeral Service

AUG **13**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (PT)

Chapel of the Chimes
4499 Piedmont Avenue
Oakland, CA 94611

Tribute Wall



“ Auntie.. You have been a huge part of my life since I was born. My memories of you, the dishes you taught me to cook, loving my girls as if they were your own, and most of all.. the love you shared with me will forever be in my heart! I so wish I could be there today, please know my heart is with you Jimmy, Bobby and all your family too. The only relief I have is knowing you're not suffering in your earthly body anymore, and that you are up in Heaven now. Heaven gained a beautiful angel when you arrived..You are no longer in pain, and now with your youthful body. My heart is so heavy, I cannot even tell you. Mom is devastated, not only losing her ONLY sister, but you two are the last of the original Oshiro's. I truly cannot express how much you meant to me throughout my lifetime. You were always a second mom to me, especially during the period when they were overseas, and Cherié came into my life. Those memories of that time period we shared are some of my most beautiful memories of you.. I just had to share the beautiful picture of you and Cherié as a baby! I also shared the picture of you with us four girls. You will be truly missed, and like I said Heaven just gained a beautiful angel. Now I know Noone in Heaven will be wanting of food up there again!! That's for sure! David, Cherié, Katelyn and I send All our Love to you all.



Kathy Morriss Miller - August 13, 2021 at 05:57 AM

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“ Ken, Ann, Jeffrey & Serena purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Etsuko "Yoko" Tamayose Goto.



Ken, Ann, Jeffrey & Serena - August 11, 2021 at 05:15 AM

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“ Iris Tamayose purchased the Love's Tapestry for the family of Etsuko "Yoko" Tamayose Goto.



Iris Tamayose - August 11, 2021 at 02:14 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Etsuko "Yoko" Tamayose Goto.



August 10, 2021 at 07:59 PM