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Violet Yuko Moto, 97, of Makawao, passed away peacefully on August 28, 2020, at home under hospice care.

Violet was born on January 28, 1923, in Hā'iku, Maui, and attended Makawao School and Maui High School (Class of 1941), where she graduated as class valedictorian. She was a homemaker and worked ten years at Kitada's restaurant in Makawao.

Violet was a devoted and loving wife, mother, and grandmother. She thought of others first. She loved Makawao, was kind to stray animals, read a lot, and was a faithful member of Paia Mantokuji Mission, serving for a time as President of the Fujinkai. She was an excellent cook and seamstress. After retirement she participated in the Pukalani Pensioners Club.

The family is grateful to the many people who helped and encouraged Violet throughout her life, especially in her final years. Special thanks to Islands Hospice, Ohana Care Maui, Kaiser, Meals on Wheels, and home care assistant Violeta Balino. She lived a long time, despite Alzheimer's, because of the great care she received.

Violet is survived by her daughter, Marilyn (Gordon) Nishiki, sons Brian Moto and Eric Moto, grandson Jeremy Nishiki, and granddaughter Jennifer Nishiki. She is predeceased by husband Kaoru Moto, daughter Carol Moto, son Buster Moto, parents Kichihei and Tetsu Saito, and brothers Shinsei Saito and Kaizo Saito.

Private memorial services are planned. In lieu of koden or flowers, donations may be made in Violet's memory to Paia Mantokuji Mission.

Mom, we love you always.



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ZK

Zilpah Kaimiola posted:

I have so many fond memories of Mrs. Moto. My father and her husband were fishing buddies back in the day and I had the pleasure of seeing her every time they went out to fish because they would end up over at the house when they would return from their trip. She made the best roasted macadamia nuts during the holidays. She was a very patient and calm person. I will miss her, but I have many memories to hold on to. God Bless you Brian, Eric and Marilyn. She is at rest now!

September 17 at 9:14 AM

BE

Bobby Estrella posted:

Mrs. Moto was a very special person to me. She knew me from a little boy, and never forgot me, and remembered me till I was in my 50's. She always made time to talk with me. Till this day, I'm really not sure why. But each time I left, after we talked, I felt extremely good! She made me feel better just by talking to me. Always respectful to me. What is ironic, is we shared the same Birthday. I will miss her for sure. God Bless her, and her entire Family.

September 5 at 3:54 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Violet by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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