

# BODHI MIND

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## Confirmation Rite (*Kikyoshiki*)

This solemn ceremony follows a tradition that goes back to the time of Sakyamuni Buddha. Formerly called *Okamisoro* in Japanese, it is the symbolic shaving of the hair by placing a razor on the head of the supplicant. Now known as *Kikyoshiki* or Confirmation Rite, it is performed by the Gomonshu (spiritual leader of the Hongwanji) only, or in special cases, by his selected representative. Following the symbolic shaving of the head, a dharma name (*homyo*) is given to the person who has confirmed his or her entry into the Path of the Nembutsu. In Japan, this rite is conducted at Hongwanji (our head temple in Kyoto) only.

For the overseas districts, this ceremony may be conducted by the Gomonshu, Shimmon (A son of Gomonshu), or a relative of the Gomonshu who has been appointed to do so. On occasion, the socho (bishop) of the overseas district may conduct a similar type of ceremony, though it is then given a different name -*Kieshiki* or "Affirmation Rite" in BCA, Hawaii, and Canada, meaning "refuge."

Some people think that a dharma name or Buddhist name is given only when one passes away. However, this is not true meaning of receiving the name. The name should be given while we are alive. Receiving the name means to us that we become a disciple of Buddha and live with clear awareness of Buddha's Wisdom and Compassion.

I was asked a question if one already has the name, could she or he gets one again this time? I would say "Yes". Although one already has the name in the past, it may mean differently this time. Sometime, people receive the name without knowing the meaning especially when one is in smaller age. This time, you would know clear meaning and significance of receiving the Buddhist name.

Buddhist Churches of Canada (BCC) celebrates its Centennial this year. British Columbia will have a commemorative service and confirmation rite with a presence of Gomonshu on August 25, 2005. This is good and rare opportunity to receive a dharma name by Gomonshu. I encourage people to receive the confirmation rite which will be conducted by Gomonshu on the occasion of this significant year.

Namo Amida Butsu

Tatsuya Aoki



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**SPRING BAZAAR**  
**Sunday, March 20, 2005**  
**NOON to 3 PM**



## Greeting everyone!!

The VBC. was very busy during the month of February .On February 12 , our temple held our Nirvana Day, Monthly Memorial and New Years Party. We had close to 130 people attend the service .Thank-you to our Toban who created a delicious array Japanese food . During the lunch ,our member's sold manju and home baking to the guests and managed to raise \$ 520.00. The proceeds will be donated to the Red Cross for the Tsunami Relief efforts . In total our temple raised over \$2000.00 to the Red Cross . Thank-you to everyone who made this possible .

Congratulations!!! to Bill and Toshiko Kajiwara ,George and Yoshika Yoneda ,Min and Midori Koyanagi, Motoharu and Sayako Hattori ,Saburo and Ayako Nishimura on their Happy 50 year Wedding Anniversary !!!

On February 18-20 ,there will be the Northwest Buddhist Convention hosted by the Tacoma Buddhist Temple . The guest minister will be Rev .Masao Kodani from the Senshin Buddhist Temple .Close to forty eight members from our temple will be attending the convention .We have chartered a bus along with Steveston and Fraser Valley Temple to drive us down on Friday night .

On February 26 th ,we will have our Toban and Spring Bazaar planning meeting starting at 9:00 am .In preparation for the Bazaar there will be manju making on Feb.19 and Mar. 5 starting at 9:00 am . Mar.18-19 at 9:00 am and Mar 21 starting at an early 6:00 am. Sorry, this is the day of the Bazaar .This is one of our biggest fund raisers of the year. Please come to the Otera during these times to give us a helping hand and receive a great lunch and cooking lessons for FREE . Thank-you to Frank Hamanishi and Min Koyanagi for Co-chairing the Spring Bazaar .

On Mar 13 our temple will hold it's Ohigan,Monthly Memorial Service and the installation of new Officers .I would like to thank the VBC membership for the great support you have given our officers during the past two years The past officers are Dave Ohori {President} ,John Harada {Vice-President}, Henry Low [Temple Treasurer], Debbie Saimoto {Activity Treasurer} and Lori North [Secretary].

In Gassho  
Dave Ohori

## Asahikawa High School Band Concert

Tuesday, March 29, 2005  
10:30 am

Come hear the Asahikawa High School perform at the Vancouver Buddhist Church on Tuesday, March 29th at 10:30 am.

This 90 member band from Asahikawa City will give a free concert of both instrumental and choral music. The concert is open to everyone to hear.



## Fraser Valley Buddhist Temple News

Our Nirvana Day and Monthly Memorial Service was held on Saturday, February 12 with approximately 30 people in attendance. After the service and tea 12 people stayed behind for a lecture/discussion given by Rev. Aoki. The topic of discussion was the 4 Noble Truths and it was a good opportunity to ask many questions and for the exchange of ideas. The next talk will be on the Noble Eightfold Path and although the date hasn't been determined yet it will be announced in the following issue of the Bodhi Mind.

On Sunday, February 13th 6 of our members attended the Steveston Buddhist Temple service and potluck luncheon. It's always nice to connect with other members of our Buddhist community and invariably we end up meeting distant relatives or old family friends. It turned out to be a beautiful Sunday and we returned home full, in good spirits and with an organ for our temple donated by the Steveston Church.

We are planning a few new activities this year in addition to preparing for our 50th anniversary to be held on September 24th and will keep you informed of new developments as time goes on.

A reminder that our Annual General Meeting will be held on Saturday, March 12 following our monthly service.

In gassho,  
Fraser Valley Buddhist Temple

## Just Roll Sushi

Kodani Sensei closed the 2005 NorthWest District convention by telling a story about a poem composed by both Ikkyu and Renyo.

Nete okite  
Tabete Ugoite  
Nete okite  
Koreo koshite  
Areo koshite

You sleep, then you wake up  
You eat, then you move around  
You sleep, then you wake up  
Do this this way  
Do that that way

Forty people from Vancouver, Steveston, and Fraser Valley temples went to Spokane to attend the NorthWest District Convention in February. Rev. Masao Kodani from Senshin Temple in California was the guest speaker who gave many talks and dharma sessions on the theme, "Come Just as You Are". He closed the conference by talking about the poem, saying that when you do something, just focus on the task, not on all of the other things that must be done, you have done, or things that distract from the task. Meditation is basically paying attention—when the task is to roll sushi, "just roll sushi".

Activities continued for the full day for adults, dharma school, YBA, and preschoolers so everyone had fun. Our teens were able to meet with many YBA members from the NorthWest and learn about their similarities and differences, especially in the area of prejudice against non-Christians.



*"By just saying the Nembutsu, you get a gradual, reliable, change in your character."  
Rev. Gregory Gibbs, Oregon Buddhist Temple*

## February Memorial Shotsuki Service

March 13 at 10:30 am

Listed below are the names of those who have passed away in the month of March

### 1953

Toyokichi Uyeyama

### 1958

Tatsumatsu Nakatani

### 1959

Iwa Kondo  
Heikuro Kazao

### 1960

Kumataro Kotani  
Shosaku Sugie  
Sei Yoshida

### 1961

Yuji Maede  
Kiku Saimoto

### 1962

Kiyoko Okano  
Matsunosuke Shinde  
Kiju Yamada

### 1963

... Nakashima  
Shorin Nukina

### 1964

Yashiro Fujioka  
(baby) Nishi  
Hideko Omori

### 1965

Hisao Tanaka  
Sutejiro Yada

### 1966

Genshiro Sakiyama

### 1968

Matsugoro Ishida

### 1969

Tsurumatsu Kamei  
Tsuneki Kitagawa  
Shigetaro Nishi  
Yoshihiro Okano

### 1970

Tsutomu Terashita

### 1971

Sukeyemon Arakawa  
Yoshizo Hama  
Saki Matsumoto  
Kiyotada Takahara  
Toyemon Urabe

### 1972

Akino Tatsumoto  
Shina Uyeyama  
Haru Yamamoto

### 1974

Katao Hagihara  
Mary Imamura  
Natsu Mizuno  
Kunizo Yamasaki

### 1975

Yoshihisa Ogawa  
Roy Jowett

### 1976

Koichi Chiba  
Mima Mishima  
Tajiro Mochizuki  
Yuzo Suyeyoshi

### 1977

Inosuke Uyeyama

### 1979

Tamejiro Hayashi

### 1980

Chiyoye Nishi

### 1982

Minoru Omoto  
Danjo Saruyama

### 1983

Masako Kobayashi

### 1984

Tatsushiro Matsubara  
Kanichiro Yoshida

### 1985

Kimi Tanaka

### 1986

Haru Hanazawa  
Kihei Otsuji

### 1987

Masuhiro Harada  
Nikichi Nishi  
Toji Sokugawa

Kazuo Takeshita  
Naoki Takeuchi  
Hatsuye Yamake  
Kozue Yamashita

### 1988

Masaru Morishita  
Fumiye Yamashita

### 1989—17th Year

Sumeko Furugori  
Yoshiye Teranishi

### 1991

Toshio Mizuyabu  
Tamiyo Takahashi

### 1993—13th Year

Toshio Hagane  
Shomi Hayashi  
Hideo Kondo  
Jiroemon Noda  
Hitoshi Oya

### 1994

Takuyo Kurozumi  
Shigeto Okada

### 1995

Jeff Morris  
Masaichi Takeda  
Ryuzo Takii  
Shichiro Takimoto  
Taiichi Yabuno

### 1996

Rhotaro Horii

Tami Shimizu (in Ja-  
pan)

### 1997

Yosaburo Hayashi  
Yone Mukuda  
Sachiko Richardson  
Shigeo Ui

### 1998

Aki Ito  
Sue Kaita  
Takashi Tomiye  
Frank Ejima  
Sato Katsumoto

### 1999—7th Year

Onobu Yamakami

### 2000

Yoshiharu Soga  
Hiroko Chibana  
Matsu Tanaka  
Thomas Fuchihara  
Chie Okano  
Archie Miyashita

### 2002

Toshikazu Kobayakawa

### 2004—1st Year

Haruye Okubo  
Miyako Tatsumi

### *With Deepest Sympathies....*

*We extend our sympathies to the families of the following people who have recently passed away .*

Michiko Takeda (90 years)  
Umeko Minato (96 years)

January 21, 2005  
February 5, 2005



Listed below are the names of those who have passed away in the month of **April**  
**The April Shotsuki Service will be held April 3, 2005**

<b>1958</b> Michiyo Hirayama	<b>1973</b> Kiyoko Hamaguchi	Noburo Hasebe	<b>1990</b> Matsue Asano	<b>1997</b> Tadao Tsuji
<b>1959</b> Namba	Isuke Kobayashi	Shimpei Iwabuchi	Miyano Murata	Yaeno Kitano
<b>1960</b> Yaozo Nomura	<b>1974</b> Tomomi Shirahama	<b>1983</b> Yoshiko Nukina	<b>1991</b> Sumiko Doi	<b>1998</b> Ken-ichi Nishi
<b>1961</b> Tadashi Hara	<b>1975</b> Kentaro Terada	<b>1984</b> Fusaye Hamanishi	Kinuye Utsunomiya	Akira Fujiwara
<b>1963</b> Riu Matsuno	Yukio Hasebe	Yoshimatsu Haya	Magohachi Banno	<b>1999</b> Asao Yoshioka
Kizo Tabuchi	<b>1976</b> JujiroEdamura	Raizo Nakano	<b>1992</b> Hiroko Osato	<b>2000</b> Yukio Egami
<b>1964</b> Senzo Yonemura	<b>1977</b> Toru Koyanagi	Kono Midorikawa	Katsutoshi Yada	Aiko Mary Forsyth
<b>1967</b> Zenzo Shimizu	<b>1978</b> Genzaburo Kamata	Fude Kada	Sumi Tsuji	Chie Moriuchi
Seki Kaneko	<b>1980</b> Yoshinobu Inouye	<b>1985</b> Chiyo Nasu	<b>1993</b> Asae Ochiai	George Matanojo
<b>1969</b> Tome Sugimoto	Michiko Maruno	Shigeo Hirokado	Mitsuru Koyanagi	Yoshioka
<b>1972</b> Yasumatsu nakashima	Toyoharu Ikeda	<b>1986</b> Toshiro Sokugawa	Shigeru Taniyama	Eijiro Kawabata
RyozoSakata	Fujihiro Komori	Hine Nishikawa	<b>1994</b> Mitsuyoshi Tanizawa	<b>2001</b> Soto Tsuji
TeruoYoshioka	<b>1981</b> Shigeyoshi Tateyama	Haru Komori	Kiyoko Shishido	Diane Nishi
Yoshida	Masa Wakabayashi	<b>1987</b> Yonehiro Tatebe	Asayo Fukuhara	Sumiko Takai
Isamu Yamamoto	<b>1982</b> Sadao Matsui	Kinju Lee	<b>1995</b> Shigekazu Matsunaga	<b>2004</b> Yasuharu Nakajima
		Yu Ohira	<b>1996</b> Hideo Terakita	Kazue Hamazaki
		<b>1988</b> Kenichi Moriyama	Masaru Kondo	Kohei Baba
		Masaye Wada		

## Infant Presentation Ceremony (Shosan-shiki)

The Vancouver Buddhist Church invites new parents to participate in the Shosanshiki (also known as the Hatsu Mairi) Ceremony to be held during the Hanamatsuri Service on April 10th.

This is a ceremony where the child is formally presented to the Buddha and the Sangha for the first time.

If you wish your child to participate, or if you wish to have more information, please contact Rev. Aoki.



## Sarana Affirmation Ceremony (Okamisori)

On August 25, 2005, the Gomonsu-sama will hold a Sarana Affirmation Ceremony for those members who wish to receive a Buddhist Name and affirm their wish to follow the Path of the Nembutsu. The ceremony will be held at the Chan Centre immediately following the Centennial Service.

For more information on the Ceremony and to register, please contact Rev. Aoki at the VBC or Socho Fujikawa at the BCC Headquarters (604) 272-3330.

## BCC Update— February 2004

*A monthly update from the national headquarters of the Shin Buddhist Churches of Canada.  
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bccheadquarters@axion.net or office@bcc.ca web: www.bcc@bcc.ca*

This is the month to commemorate NIRVANA DAY, the passing of Shakyamuni Buddha at the age of 80 in Kusinagara. Let us remember a paragraph in his last words;  
True Buddha is not a human body; it is enlightenment. A human body must vanish, but the wisdom of enlightenment will exist forever in the truth of Dharma and in the practise of Dharma.

I wish to thank all those who have generously responded to BCC Tsunami Relief Fund and also those who individually contributed to Red Cross or Unicef. The number of victims is now said over 300, 000.

Question: What are three items for Shin Buddhist to carry when going to Otera ?

Answer: 1) Seiten(scripture or Dharma book) 2) Nenju(meditation beads) 3) Monto Shikisho(laymen's kesa; symbol of robe)

Visitation schedule by Bishop (Mar 26- Apr 7)

Mar 27 Sunday Service and Lay Leader Program in the afternoon in Montreal

28 Monday, Lay Leader Program and evening service in Thunder Bay

Mar 30- Apr 3 Toronto and Hamilton; Services and Committee meetings

Apr 4 & 5 Committee Meeting and Lay Leader Program

Apr 6 Wed. Seminar in Calgary.

Butsudan Available Campaign: So far 20 units were distributed on requests and contributions are also coming in. Thank you for your support.

Environmental Slogan: Small or big, let us protect our green Earth.

### COMING EVENTS

Apr 21 Thu BCC MA Meeting in Steveston

22 Fri BCC Board Meeting

23 Sat BCC AGM

24 Sun BCC Memorial Service

BCC Centennial Celebrations in August 2005

Aug 20 Sat Eastern District in Toronto at 1011 Sheppard Ave W. Toronto

21 Sun Manitoba District in Winnipeg at Manitoba Buddhist Temple

23 Tue Alberta District in Lethbridge at Pavan Park in Lethbridge

25 Thu BC District in Vancouver at Chan Center of UBC

## **Buddhist Churches of Canada Centennial 2005—BC Regional Celebration**

August 25, 2005

University of British Columbia

*Early Bird Registration Deadline—June 15, 2005.*

*See the office for more details*

# March 2005



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5:00 am Manju making
6	7	8	9	10 7:30 pm Board Meeting	11	12 2:00 pm FVBT Service FVBT AGM
13 10:30 am Higan / Shotsuki	14	15	16	17	18 9:00 am Bazaar prep	19 9:00 am Bazaar prep
20 12:00 noon Spring Bazaar	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29 10:30 am Asahikawa High School Band Concert	30	31	<b>Senior's Club</b> meets Thursdays starting at 12:00 noon for Howakai Service followed by various activities. <b>Family dharma Service</b> is held every Sunday at 10:30 am followed by Dharma School classes (children) and Adult Dharma Discussion.	

**Spring Bazaar**—Sunday, March 20th. Preparations for the Bazaar start in February with the first Manju Making session on February 19th. Please contact your Toban captain for schedules and times.

**Asahikawa High School Band Concert**—Tuesday, March 29th. Everyone is welcome to listen to this group of students visiting from Japan.

# April 2005



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><b>Senior's Club</b> meets Thursdays starting at 12:00 noon for Howakai Service followed by various activities.  <b>Family dharma Service</b> is held every Sunday at 10:30 am followed by Dharma School classes (children) and Adult Dharma Discussion.</p>					1	2
3 10:30 am Shotsuki	4	5	6	7	8	9
10 11:00 am Hanamatsuri/ Hatsumairi/ Keirokai	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23 BCC AGM
24 BCC AGM	25	26	27	28	29	30

## Donations

The Vancouver Buddhist Church gratefully acknowledges the following donations. We apologize for any errors or omissions.

### Gokisha – January 15 – February 15/05

150.00 Mrs. Annette Scott – in memory of mother, Mrs. Yoshie Yoshida  
300.00 Mrs. Yutaka Takemoto-49<sup>th</sup> day service for mother, Mrs. Yasue Takemoto  
200.00 M/M Joe & Lorraine Tompkins-memory of Kiyoshi Tsukumoto  
700.00 Mrs. Fumie Sakai-funeral appreciation for late Mrs. Tomiko Mizuyabu  
25.00 Ms. Terrie Hamazaki-shotsuki for Shigeyoshi Hamazaki  
25.00 M/M Len Komori (USA) New Year's Service  
100.00 Vancouver Heritage Foundation  
20.00 Mrs. Miyoko Tamoto-January shotsuki for Mr. Saichi Tamoto  
20.00 M/M Kenji Yamamoto-January shotsuki for Yonetaro Yamamoto  
20.00 Mrs. M. Banno – January shotsuki in memory of Mrs. Shizu Banno  
50.00 Mrs. Toshiko Tsukishima – January shotsuki  
25.00 Mrs. Toshiko Tsukishima – Hoonko  
100.00 M/M Dave Ohoi-memory of Genichi Ohoi – January  
10.00 Mrs. Kinuye Mori – January shotsuki  
50.00 M/M R. Fukushima-memory of Mrs. Betty Nakatani  
50.00 M/M. Keith Tsukishima- January shotsuki  
5.00 Mrs. Tokuyo Kado – memorial  
50.00 Mr. Makoto Fukui (Nanaimo, B.C.)  
100.00 Mr. Henry Low  
100.00 M/M. Takeru Araki-January memorial for father  
500.00 M/M. Takeru Araki – tsunami relief donation  
302.11 Mr. Junnosuke Inoue – general donation  
300.00 M/M Colin & Megumi McGrath – wedding service  
100.00 G. Evans & S. Ikeda – funeral appreciation  
100.00 Western Canada Shigakenjinkai –appreciation  
300.00 Western Canada Shigakenjinkai – social hall rental  
20.00 M/M Mihoko Mori – Shigeyoshi Hamazaki 13<sup>th</sup> year  
100.00 Mrs. Jackie Stevens–appreciation for memorial for mother, Mrs. Michiko Takeda  
1,000.00 Mr. Tony Hieda-mother's memorial service  
50.00 M/M Keith Tsukishima  
50.00 M/M. Stanley Takaki  
30.00 Kristin & Meredith Yakumo-1<sup>st</sup> year memorial for great uncle, Harry  
50.00 M/M P. Kitamura-memory of Satoru Taguchi  
300.00 Mrs. Masako Yada-1<sup>st</sup> year memorial for Hideo Yada  
20.00 M/M Tosh Nomura-memory of Umeko Minato  
100.00Mr. Seiji Uraisami-late Miyoko Uraisami 1<sup>st</sup> year memorial  
25.00 Ms. Kazuye Yoshida-memory of Mrs. U. Minato  
500.00 Mrs. Hideko Tamura-nokotsudo eitaikyo  
100.00 Mrs. Hideko Tamura (Revelstoke, B.C.)  
95.00 Hydrecs Fund  
25.00 Mrs. Keiko Yakumo-January shotsuki for father, Gengi Yada  
50.00 Mrs. Keiko Yakumo-1<sup>st</sup> year memorial for uncle, Harry Yada  
10.00 M/M Terry Gramer-Michiko Takeda memorial  
90.00 Mrs. Sharon Balkcom (Prince George)- Michiko Takeda memorial  
25.00 Mrs. Kay Robertson (Prince George)-Michiko Takeda memorial  
300.00 M/M. Brad Bishop-Centennial donation  
100.00 Mrs. Kiyoko Takahara (New Denver, B.C.)-Centennial donation  
**Gokisha Total - \$6,742.11**

*Donations, continued*

**Nirvana Day & New Year Party – February 13, 2005**

10.00 Mrs. Yoshie Kurita, Mrs. Masako Takata, Ms. D. Saimoto, Mrs. Toshiko Katayama  
20.00 Mrs. B. Bishop, M/M Greg Chor, Mrs. S. Hamaguchi, M/M Frank Hamanishi, M/M John Harada, Mrs. Mary Kawamoto, Mrs. E. Hirata, Mrs. Miwako Kasuya, M/M K. Kitano, Mrs. H. Kobuke, Mrs. Kay Komori, Mrs. Miyako Kuromi, Mrs. Michika Mizuno, M/M Kazuo Mori, M/M T. Mizushima, M/M D. Nakata, M/M Sakae Natsukoshi, Mrs. Chieko Nishi, Mrs. Yachiyo Nishi, M/M Tsutomu Omoto, Mr. Minoru Oyama, M/M K. Sakata, Mrs. Tsuneko Soyama, Ms. N. Sugimoto, M/M K. Takahara, Ms. Sayoko Terajima, Mrs. Akiko Tsuji, Mrs. Shigeo Urata, Mrs. Kiyoe Yada, Mrs. T. Yamashita, M/M George Yoneda, Ms. Marg Yoshida  
25.00 Mrs. Tomiko Jowett  
30.00 M/M Terry Koyanagi  
50.00 D/M. R. Akune, M/M T. Ohori, M/M. C. Saimoto  
100.00 M/M Dave Ohori

**Nirvana Day & New Year Party Donation Total - \$985.00**

**February Montly Memorial Donations – Feb 13/05**

2.02 Mr. Brandy Hoy (3<sup>rd</sup> memorial)  
10.00 Mrs. Mary Kawamoto, Mrs. K. Mori, Mrs. Tsuyako Noda, Mr. A. Oyama, Mrs. Kiyoe Yada  
20.00 Mr. Shoji Hamagami –memory of Bunkichi Nasu, M/M. M. Hattori, Mr. Ken Hirakida –for late Ed Hirakida, M/M K. Kitano, M/M. Bill Kajiwara-shotsuki Mrs. T. Kajiwara, M/M. Y. Matsumoto, M/M James Leung-memory of grandparents, Haru Banno & Kenji Minato, M/M Henry Low-memorial George Oyama, Ms. Frances Minato, M/M. Jack Matsuda-shotsuki for mother, Mikino Matsuda, M/M Dick Nakata- shotsuki for father, Gunjiro Ikeda, Mrs. Toshiko Nasu, Mr. Yukio Nasu-shotsuki Yoneda Nasu, Mrs. Yachiyo Nishi, Mrs. Tsuyako Noda, Mrs. Miyoko Nose-memory of father, Mr. Tosh Nomura-memory of mother, Kinu Nomura (1957), Mrs. Etsuko Takata, M/M Tamotsu Teranishi, Mrs. Marie Oyama-memory of George Oyama, Mrs. Fumiyo Saruya, Mr. Seiji Uraisami, M/M Michiho Urata, M/M Kiyoshi Uyeyama, Mr. Edward Oyama-father's memorial  
25.00 Ms. Fumie Kondo-shotsuki for father & brother Hideo  
30.00 Mrs. Yukiko Akao-memory of mother, Kusue Yamashita, Margaret & Yew Chang (USA) memory of Kenji Minato, M/M Hideo Chiya, Mr. N. Joshi-memory of father, Mrs. Kazue Kozaka-memory of husband, Yoshinari, M/M Akiyasu Masuhara-memory of Kishi Masuhara, M/M Otokazu Matsui, M/M Kaoru Minato, M/M Sadao Minato-memory of Haru Banno & Kenji Minato, Mrs. Tsuyako Nakano, Mr. Reiso Okada, M/M Kats Nasu-memory of Bunkichi Nasu, Ms. Asako Nomura -shotsuki/ Nirvana Day, Mrs. Keiko Oyama-memory of husband and Nirvana Day, Mr. Yukio Takai, M/M. Kaoru Tanaka-father, Tomishiro Tanaka shotsuki, M/M Shizuo Tanaka-memory of father, Tomijiro Tanaka, M/M R.H. Tanaka, Mr. Roy Tatsumi  
50.00 D/M. R. Akune-memory of Harry Yada, M/M Preston Chan-memory of George Oyama, Mrs. Misuko Kadota, Mrs. Eleanor Kondo-shotsuki for father & brother Hideo, M/M Terry Koyanagi, Mr. Harry Minato  
100.00 M/M Minoru Asaoka-17<sup>th</sup> year for Mrs. Satono Asaoka, Mr. Yuji Hamaguchi-Teruko Hama 3<sup>rd</sup> year, Ms. Brenda Jow, M/M Kazuma Sakata-father's 17<sup>th</sup> year, Mrs. Sumie Tanaka-memory of Miyoko Uraisami 1<sup>st</sup> year, Mrs. Masako Yada-shotsuki for Hideo Yada & Yada Kuniye  
200.00 Mrs. Yaeko Yoneda-husband, Roy Yoneda 1<sup>st</sup> year memorial

**February Shotsuki Hoyo Donation Total - \$2,247.02**

**Donations to Bodhi Mind Newsletter**

20.00 Mrs. Etsuko Takata  
35.00 M/M. Terry Koyanagi  
25.00 M/M Paul Kitamura

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***It's Membership Time Again!***

*The 2005 Membership fees are now due. Please remember to renew (or sign-up if you would like to join). Membership fees this year are \$75.00 per adult (\$150.00 per couple). For more information, please contact the office.*