

LETTER OF CONDOLENCE WRITTEN  
IN LONGHAND ON LEAFLET WITH  
PICTURE OF "LIGHT OF THE WORLD"

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To: Mrs. Hina Doi  
616-C South Hotel St.  
Honolulu, Oahu, T. H.

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Italy  
July 15, 1944

Dear Mother:

You have learned of your son's death through the War Department; I want to add my expression of sympathy for you and his loved ones in your time of grief. May our Heavenly Father give you comfort and strength in your hours of need.

From what I can learn, Haruo died almost instantly, and thus he did not suffer. He was given a decent burial and the location of his grave will be told you later on by the Quartermaster General (Washington, D. C.) and in time this agency will also send home his personal things.

I cannot understand why certain comrades are thus taken from us; only this I know, God is powerful enough to care for us in life and death if we but ask. Happy is the man who is ready when called.

God bless you, good Mother.

With sympathy,

Yours sincerely,

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