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Publicity log

86/97c

8/12 - Phil Lillib (35)
Ogden, Utah -

Very moving -
loved esp 1st part
Didn't = E racism
- Calif.

8/16 - Ben Wa - read
Abe twice - Sales
part of Seminar
notes - I send
letter a P.K.

8/18 Chie said Janie
loved it & cried 2 - beg
to send - liked Epilogue
Said Betty & Marj &
Bruce's mother both read -
real fear of wonderful ab -
that it was a beautiful ab.

- Optimistic talk - everyone
likes - Yuri Uchiyama
(Emily Sakai's cousin) -
"I loved the 1st unit. but
I know she's such a good speaker".

- Hiro K. said
Koji Murata ordered
Cervix. Said 400 subs can
write well -

8/22 - Chie c to ask if I got
letter from Bruce - he was so
inspired he wrote me the
minute he read / ab.
I didn't get -

8/24 H & Bl was
professional. But if
NYer read now they'd take
in a minute. well written

8/28 - Connie - read right
turning into she
got it - liked it v -
also moving. Much crying
I she read.

8/29 - Geo. Misaki - bot
9 copies! one - it
great.

8/29 - Ben was sister who
it so good. she'll stop
nearly. Read - 1 unit -
(Sami)

8/30 - Clem - liked ab & -
Also said my talk was
good. Easy to listen to -
I said every thing, so no. 2 -
End was way one feels after
a good movie is play - just
can't say any thing for a while.

8/31 - Jean-Marie - man at
Niles - both liked ab & -
Didn't realize all
happened - she said
the book just walks out of
there as soon as they set it

9/2 Mary Koda Sugiyama
& 2 ~~to~~ Rio to my
obs - how - Baekun, old
Grandson - 16.

9/5 - GON - enjoyed -
mom was such a caring
person. H. & she was
so graceful - he really
loved her.

9/8 call 3 - stranger -
who I met ab & has
daughter 8th B'dley

6/23- Dick Kitzler (Ami C.
what a beautiful old.
So interesting, I'm also
enjoying - want to tell you
I'm glad I had previous
knowing father - & he
friends & folks. Really
enjoy it.

6/26- (Ami & Ges -
haven't read yet
but so enjoy it -
to do the parties
& friends -

6/28- Geo. Espalirra -
so funny -
enjoying.

6/27- Geo. Goto - enjoyed
- same experience he
had. He'd forgotten the
old little details - Bro't
back it.

6/30- Julie McPhail -
saw & Sami Tom -
she & she read & liked
Des. Gile.

7/6- Calls Bill re Op. Club.
He & he read old, enjoy &
relate it, & a wonderful
old. He sat 2 more & Amity

7/11- Emily & Yas - both
liked & - surprised
I/O remembered. Emily
& she I relate & I'm with -
I'd enjoyed & she I like -

7/12- Riki Murai, P.O. family
mod & Tabse - all enjoyed.
Sister Suzie Murai & at P.O.
remembers me vaguely -

7/14- Shows photo -
man - read -

7/15- June say at Selig Corp
I read & one -
also Indian woman &
WF main desk - heard KPFA &
saw Gazette

7/15- Darlene also read
Gazette - (some old)
enjoy - on house

7/16 Paul & Ingrid Holtzman
enjoyed - to the 7th Mar

7/19 Miya Oc - mine liked my
like very much. is mentioning
my old in, talk Wed 7/23.
Keynote speech - she also &
she & her daughter liked my old
& much - (" teaches 7th grade)
wrote this in Chgo to find my
chi's old - Miya & J.H. Jansky,
HKE at Kenosha & C.
I told her JACP.

7/20 Rieko Morishige - on St in
Corp. Read old - last night
(I spoke) all here -

7/25- Fuki (Takei) etc.

7/24- Nice article by
Sally Seko in KC!

7/25- Pat & Tom Inada - liked
friend 2 Chgo - started &
said I have the friend.
Eventory read - 2 sitting

7/28- Mines K - mentioned -
at talk, re stories & families -
PARTS need more - told me he
PAM cried & he read my old -
mtg. Another man 2 Tacoma told
me how much he enjoyed

Eda S.

8/3- Lilly Gida etc.

8/6- Armstrong H. call -
Appre'd & - beautiful
letter, simple & powerful

8/8- Nancy Minko at ch.
I read - enjoy -
just like her & in the
lotus.

5/29 - Mary +
enjoyed so
couldn't put it
down!
fluid, so beautiful
Real Berkeley Monthly

5/29 - John McElheney
(848-0943)
3076 Buena Vista Wy
Berkeley 94708

Insurance Broker -
Grew up - Berkeley Schl.
Grad Berkeley - 1940

Berkeley Schl. Alumni
Ass'n - to support
Schl. as volunteer
counselor, etc...

He has 3 children -
wife - he likes to meet me
some time.

"Said I was so brave +
liberate" - (to thank me)
writing + art -

5/30 - cheerish - sd word
from

- Katherine E. X (ag. 6/20)
- Mr. Ceno
- Tamalci
- Mesakos
- Paul - bro - time monthly

5/31 - Jean B. C. -
loved it - I liked
lovely - flowers just
matched suit.

6/2 - Bill F. (Ophim)^{spoke to}
Dottie Chapman

Frank A - so moved by book,
made every thing so real, such a
great gift, appreciate it - message
was so good - I never expect to read

every Am. should read.
Realize how precious
rare to us. - He said
he put it in a letter -
after next week

He liked "Full Circle".

Said my book liked by
UNESCO. to my delight +
6/20 - had called again - said of portrait
forever etc - said of portrait
6/3 - Lynd - wrote the

moved me so much, was
so enthusiastically involved
so glad + wrote + got it
published
Marie - 5 - Dry with

6/7 - Suga (Bum here) and
loves Berkeley pt.

6/8 - Shig (Kihara) (nice letter)
(aya mukako)

" c from Mary + Nye re
cc. Award.

Masa Hanamura
nice letter!

pc

6/9 - Roy - It's a d imp't
Chronicle, beautifully
written, backed +
imp't. You + a sister +
leeds to + such fine parent.
(read in 2 sittings)

6/12 - K said Bill Badie
+ he + it was so moving
ending fr + mother + sister.

6/15 - Kay Matsumoto Read
twice, really enjoyed
bro + had so much -
a real treasure

6/14 - Virginia Cyleron -
th + dumb, etc. Give me thing.

5/2 - Cagon Review

Call re Robert Epile - Letter re Mr. Epile

5/5 - Rachel Purcell

5/6 - Mrs. Imamoto

5/8 - Dave Tatsuno -
order (bles) >
Sun Gore store.

mae Durham Rager.
(re C.C. Award also)

5/12 - Koko Kobayashi (Seattle)
wants to translate D.E. &
Journey Home, was 5
Awajimaya

" Gloria M. - c re reporter
& time journal

5/12 - Heizo Oshima
wants 10 copies!
Has him re Spch.

after Bord read

5/16 - Barb K
Susan Meyers & niece
call.

5/20 - Miss C. from
Kitty Blank (?) & Gordon ?
from OWP - en
route to ABA -
loud bl - "I'll print
and make a film bl."
- Barb - Peggy wants
another copy

5/24 - Rachel, Heizo

5/25 - Chie

5/26 - Hiro Kierand
read book,
likes --

5/27 - after Bord Monthly -
Bob Devere - Kory's flus mate

- Eliz. B. Willie

✓ 5/6 Marilyn Sachs + rev.

✓ 5/6 Libby Laugstroch

✓ 5/11 Barbara Takahashi
cd + review

✓ 5/11 Sherry Gold

✓ 5/12 Buddy Levata +
Hikari Clipping

5/21 - Mine Akubo

✓ 5/20 - Mary Obata without bls.

✓ Greg Tian

✓ Mary Zinkant

c ✓ Frank A

c ✓ Rosemary Barnett

Meriam - UHQ

7/9 Marian Brown
call + letter

~ 4/21 Ella Ellis & niece letter!

5/10 Saw Frances (?)
Taniguchi - at Barb
like. She used to teach -
at Tokyo. She's to get bl.

EVACUATION PIECE
"CAMP - 1942"

	<u>Sent</u>		<u>Ret'd</u>
<u>New Yorker</u>	2/10/67	-	2/16/67
(Query re shorter version)	5/23/68	-	5/24/68
<u>Atlantic Monthly</u>	2/13/67	-	3/17/68
<u>LOOK</u>	4/?/67	-	4/21/67
<u>HARPER'S</u>	3/24/67	-	4/13/67
<u>SAT EVE POST</u>	4/18/67	-	5/5/67
<u>HARPER + ROW</u>	6/8/67	-	8/9/67
<u>KNOFF</u>	9/14/67	-	10/12/67
<u>GROVE PRESS</u>	10/20/67	-	1/23/68
<u>MCGRAW HILL</u>	1/26/68	-	5/13/68
Saw in Clemens	6/3/68		
<u>SCRIBNERS</u> (2. Parker)	6/4/68	-	6/7/68
<u>HOLT, RINEHART + WINSTON</u>	6/11/68	-	6/28/68

<u>Signature</u>	<u>sent</u>	<u>Back</u>
	9/5/68 -	9/11/68

Am. West

11/29/71 - 1/21/72

Scrubners

Ch's Books

(Lee Ann D.) ~~7/7~~

Crowell Jr. Bk

3/72 - 5/72

Ann Wendell

Cat's Hist Soc'y

5/72 - 8/72

~~Paul~~ Paul Johnson

W.W. Norton Co

8/5/72 - 9/11/72

Mr. Merrill Pollack

(now with Viking)

Luther Nichol
Conleyday

9/14/72 - 10/72

Camp - 1942

~~1950 - N. Yer - not enough
article detachment~~

~~1966 - Cal Monthly - 1st part
to Taft.~~

~~1967-68. - 6 magazines
incl N. Yer - edited } 12
but too long.
6 - Bk publishers~~

1970-71 - Journey to TOPAZ

1971-72 - 6 more publishers } 6
(incl Am. West +
Calif Hist Soc.)

~~David
E. Via~~ Ellen - added section re family
+ lengthen

1973-76 - 22 publishers.
+ 1 Kaufman
+ 1 Capra

two
under-
stated

1978 - Journey Home

Utah Hist Quarterly - article 1980

Univ. Utah Press

AJAR & Dreams } work during
1980

Univ. Wash - 3 eval. - 1980

1981 - ~~Revisions~~

June 1981

From 1950

From 1967-80

2nd of about 46
submissions -

magazines - ~~books~~

Bk publishers

- Revision -
wait - wait

$$\begin{array}{r} 80 \\ 67 \\ \hline 13 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 6 \\ 24 \\ \hline 42 \end{array} \text{ reading}$$



曾向絲綸閣通宵伴玉人
獨憐更漏靜初月一鉤新



Flowers and Tree Branch
Chi Chü-t'ung, Chinese, 19th century.
Courtesy of the Indianapolis Museum of Art.
Gift of Mrs. John H. Roberts, Jr. 76.166.5

Desert Exile

The Uprooting of a Japanese
American Family.

May 15, 1982

Goshiko Uchida

Its Life -
"Camp - 1942"

Feb. 12, 1950 - To New Yorker
(Mildred Wood.)

2/23/50 - "not quite enough
detachment ... sorry..."

Aug. 22, 1966 - To Cal Monthly
(Andy Pierovich, Ed.)

Nov. Issue - "The First Five Months" (100-)

1966 - Vol LXXVII - No. 2. pp. 4-8

Lead article and cover. (15pp MS.)

Jan. 25, 1967 - To New Yorker
(Robert Nemmenway)

(90+pp MS - extended from above)

Feb. 16, 1967 - "We liked, but too
long... considered reworking, but
effect lies in accumulation of
small details..."

March 1967 - Atlantic Monthly
(Emily Flint)

"sorry ... too long."

April 1967 - Harper's Mag.
(Rosemary Wolfe)

"good deal of interest ... sorry
too long ... greatly regret."

April 1967 - Look Mag. (D.R. Maxey)
"most moving"

May 1967 - Sat. Eve. Post
(W.F. Ewald)
"sorry..."

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Aug. 1967 - Harper & Row
(Evan Thomas)

"wish we could have better
news for you ..."

May 1968 - McGraw Hill ←
(Walter Clemons)
"very well written - but
offered to send on to
New Am. Writing n Harper's

June 1968 - Holt, Rinehart & Winston
(Eliz. McCreary)
"have book in J.A. camps"

Sept. 1968 - Esquire -

Oct. 1967 - A. Knopf
(Ashbel Green)
"Sorry..."

Oct. 1967 - Grove Press (M. Mecker)
"more suited for mag. article"

June 1968 - Scribner's
(Elinor Parker)
"too short..."

Oct. 1969 - American West
(T.H. Watkins^{Ed.} - liked ...)
"moving, informative, genuinely
evocative of those times..."

Mar. 1970 (Donald E. Bower - Pub.)
"Sorry..."

~~McGraw-Hill~~

Nov. 1971 - Scribners Young Adult
(see Anna Deadrick)

May 1972 - Crowell - young adult
(Ann Beneduce)

July 1972 - Calif. Hist. Soc.
(J.S. Holliday)
(Paul C. Johnson)

Aug. 1972 - W.W. Norton (Viking)
(Herrill Pollack)
Very nice letter[↑] - now at
Viking

Oct. 1972 - Doubleday
(Luther Nichols -)
nice letter -

"Desert Exile"

Added section re family -

Agent: Ellen Levine

1. 11/73 Farrar, Straus, Giroux
(Michael di Capua)
2. 11/73 Atheneum - Juvenile
(Mgt Mc Elderry) too impersonal
very nice letter! -1
3. 1/74 J. B. Lippincott
(Genevieve Young)
"beautifully done, but too quiet"
nice letter!
4. 3/74 - Wm. Morrow.
(Joni Evans)
"extensive reading - some very
memorable moments - much that
is quite lovely, but..."

5- Knopf. (Nancy) - 4/74

"of many ms. on this subj.
one of the best, but ..."

6. 6/74 Dial - (Pat Meehan) -

"parts very strong, but ..."

7. 8/74 - Putnam's

(Marcia Magill)

"quite charming... but too special"

8. E.P. Dutton - 8/74 (Laurie)

"writes well, but ..."

9. 9/74- Harcourt Brace Jovanovich

(Dan Wickenden)

very nice ltr - "totally honest"

"readable" but ...

10. 10/74- MacMillan (Amanda Vail)

"fascinating, but ..."

11. 10/74- Coward, McCann, Geoghegan
(Peggy Brooks)
"nice book - but too quiet..."

12. 12/74- Harper + Row

13. 12/74. Delacorte (Frank Wilkinson)
"well-written, but..."

14. 1/75 - McGraw Hill - (Joyce Johnson -)

15. 2/75 Crowell (Nick ??)
"refreshing and good" but...

16. 2/75 Little Brown (Joe Kanon)
"nice, simple tone - too passive"

17. Basic Books - 3/75

18. Random House - 5/75

19. Kodansha Int'l - 8/75
sent to Japan. (Jules Young)-
"smoothly written - very
readable" but ...

20. Bobbs-Merrill - 12/75
(Marcia Heath)

21. Chas. Tuttle - 1/76
(Donald E. Berg)

22. Norton ?

Ellen tried 22 houses - Ret'd.
Sent to Japan - (via Kodansha)

23. Capra Press - 10/76 (Linda Rolens)

24. Univ. of Utah Press - 7/80
(Paula Roberts)

25. Univ. of Calif. Press

Query NO - 8/80

26. Univ. of Wash

Press Query - 8/13/80

Sent Ms. to

Bruce Wilcox - 8/29/80

Revision 1/81 - 3/81

Accepted - 6/81

Contract - 9/81

From: 1950 - 1980 Total = 30 yrs

Actual book submissions

"Camp - 1942 - "

1967 - 1972 Total = 5 yrs

"Desert Exile"

1973 - 1981 Total = 8 yrs

20 + 26 = 46 people read.

Univ. Wash. Press

8-29-80 : Ms. to UWP

1/14 - 3/9 : work on Revision

Bruce, Tets, Frank like revision

6/9/81 : Editorial Bd. meets

6/10/81 : Accepted for publication

8/13/81 : Set for April '82 "

9/1/81 : BW queries

9/2/81 : Contract arrives

9/18/81 : Edited ms. back to B.W.

10/6/81 : Final changes to B.W.

11/19 : Sent photo captions

12/19 : Jacket arrives (terrible!)

1/12/82 : Galley arr Ret 1/16

2/3 : Final jacket art from Dan SS

2/13 : page proofs

2/16 : Call in corrections

3/9 : Berkeley Monthly wants
excerpt.

Desert Exile

1982

2/82 : wonderful letter from Dan Inouye

3/12 : NY. Times Article re D.E.

3/24 : Copy in San Jose Mercury

4/22-25 : Seattle for Conf. + Publication

4/22 : See 1st copy! dinner at Bruce's

23 : UW Press Luncheon w. Bruce,
Lorri, Don, Tetsu etc. - Book signing at Conf.

24 : NAAPAE Conf.

Children's Lit. Track

25 : Uwajimaya Bk Signing.

5/2 : SF Chronicle Review!

Berkeley Hist. Soc - talk at FCC.

5/3 : KPFA : Fred Cody interview

5/7 : Books arr. at Gray's

Big window display

5/11 : Times Journal interview

Roberta Alexander

5/7 - 23 Many ads, articles etc in
Hokubei Mainichi + Nichibei

5/15- Kinokuniya Autograph Party
Beautiful window display
Sold (55) + prior sales + mail
order = (90)

5/18- Times Journal Article - front
page - Huge article + photo.

5/19- Gray's puts in 2nd order.

5/21: Talk & book signing
at SFCJAS + dinner
(29) sold

5/23 Sycamore Autograph Party
and Painting Display
SOLD OUT 150 copies
2nd order 125 "
SOLD OUT 275

\$ 1405. profit for church!

5/25 - Berkley Gazette - frontpage
article + good review by Bob Y.

5/27: Berkeley Monthly
excerpt out.

(calls from 2 strangers!) ^{I knew} Kay-Jrthi

6/11: Commonwealth Club
Awards luncheon for
a JAR of DREAMS

6/11: PC Article by Cal Honda, 6/18 Bill Hosokawa Review

6/14: West County Times interview
Al Delgado

6/20: 2nd Book Signing at church
125 cop. sold out.

7/23: Sachi Seko - nice column re D.Ex
in PC.

8/12: Interview: John Sillito
Ogden Standard Examiner
- Sunstone Mag.

Good review VOYA.

8/18: Optimist Club dinner talk
good response - sold out 16 DEx
+ orders + ch. bks.

9/25 - YWCA - Author's Panel -
not well org'd - sold 14 Bks -

10/31: Nice review in Japan Times
10/23 issue. (Call from
Mrs Ito of NY, whose bro. read
review in Tokyos + wanted book!)

11/29: Crowle Authors Dinner
Des Ex + ch. books signed

12/11 - Book Party at Amerasia
Bookstore, L.A. - Good
turnout!

Calls + Letters

5/5 - Rachel Pursel - saw article
in Nidubee

5/6 - Mrs. Imamoto

5/8 - Dave Tatsuno - ordered books
for San Jose store.

MacDunham Roger - love -
congrats. re C.C. Award.

5/12 - Koko Kobayashi (Seattle call)
was at Uchiyama.

Wants to translate D.Ex. J.H.

Gloria M. - re Times Journal
reporter

5/12. Heizo Oshima - wants 10 copies

5/16 - Barb K. - loved book

Susan Meyers - called as
soon as she finished reading DE
at one sitting! Loved book -
found 1st section so moving.
Very enthus.

Nice letters from 4/11

- 5/6. Eliz. B. Willis Sheila Johnson
5/6. Marilyn Sachs (w. copy & revised)
Libby Langstroth Frank Miyamoto
5/11 Barbara Takahashi
nice cd. & revised
Sharlya Gold
5/12 Buddy Iwata, + Hokubei artab
5/20 Mine Okubo * Kay Boyle
Mary Obata Bill Hosokawa
* Greg Tian Senasaco
Mary Tsukamoto Mikamies
* Frank Adomson Masa Hamamura
Rosemary Barrett
Miriam Murphy UHQ
Marion Brown - c + letter
Lilly Goda
Fuki Takei
* Ella Ellis
Ida Shemanovskii
Gene Kennedy
Hideo + Kisa Sasaki

xx Pastor Mac
Tad Fujita
Cone Kennedy
Killy + Tak - + lunch.

5/10 Frances Taniguchi - saw at lib.
She taught at Topuz - wants book.

5/20 Ketty Blank^c (from UWP.)
en route to ABA. , loved book,
"You should be proud of
writing such a fine book!"
Barb - Phil - Peggy want
another copy -

5/24. Rachel, Heigo
Chie - loved book

5/26 - Hiro Hirano - liked!
Liv. take away!

5/27. Bob Devey (after reading
Berk. Monthly) was
K's classmate in Jr. High

5/29 Mary Holliday^c - enjoys so much
couldn't put it down, loved,
so beautiful ...

5/29 John McElheney^c (saw Berk. Mo.)
(3076 Buena Vista Wy, Berk 94708.
848-0943.

Said I was so brave & literate -
Thanked me for writing the article
Would love to meet me - grew up
in Berk. schools -

5/30. Good words at church from
- Katsune Endo (also on 6/20)
very enthus.

- Urkeno - Masako Hanada
- Jamaki - Paul (esp. B.M.)

5/31 Jean Baxter^c
loved book - told me I liked
lovely & Bk Signing -
flowers just matched suit - -

6/2 - Bill F - with to Optimist
Wattie Champion

*** Frank A^c - so moved by bk -
made everything so real,
such a great gift - appreciate
book - message was so

god. Very moving exper. to
read. Every Am. should read.

"Realized how precious you
are to us." He also liked
Full Circle. It's listed on
UNESCO...

Called again re ltr.

Such gd portrait of M.D. + me -

✱

6/3 - Sylvia^C - "Whole book moved
me so much. was so emotionally
involved. So glad you wrote
it and got it published."
Marilyn S cried while reading.

6/7 - Suga Ann here for autog.
Loved Berkeley part.

6/8 - Shig + Aya Kihara - nice letter

6/8 - Call from Marilyn Nye
Congrat - re C.C. award.

Masa Hanamura - nice letter

6/9 - Loy - "a very important
chronicle, beautifully written,
background of family imp't.
Lucky's have such fine parents -
Read in 2 sittings -

6/12 - K. saw Bill Babé -
Isn't it was so moving -
Sending to mother & sister.

6/15 - Kay Matsutani - read
twice Really enjoyed -
Bro't back so much -
"a real treasure"

6/14 - Saw Virginia Anderson
of Am. S. L. at Egg. Apple -
She thanked me for
writing the book. "Want
to give you a hug for
writing it" - she did -

6/23 Dick Mizukami from
work. "What a beautiful
book," "So interesting - Bruno
also enjoyed. Want to tell
you I'm glad I had the
privilege of knowing your
parents - be friend of your
folks" Really enjoying bk.

6/26. Geo Mats - Enjoying it -
want to do the parties
w. friends -

6/27 - Geo. Egashira - at Mrs. T. funeral
"enjoyed book"

6/27- George Goto - enjoyed
because same exper. Bro't
back details he'd forgotten.

6/30- Julie McPhail - saw at bank -
Read - liked D.E.

7/6 Bill F - wonderful book,
could relate to it. Got 2 more -

7/11 Emily Kiya & Yasuko -
both liked so much. Surprised
I remembered so much.
E. could relate to what I wrote.

7/12 Phil Murai - at P.O. - whole
family read at Tahoe reunion.
all enjoyed. Sister - Siegie
rembrs me - (she was in
my class. Found photo)

Mari - Read - (later ^{9/82} - getting 2 more
Ann wants copy for her son, so he'll
know his Japanese.

7/15. Nisei man at Teleq Coop -
had read about me.

Teller at WF Main - saw
Gazette, Heard KPFA interview

7/15- Darlene (Hygienist) - read
Gazette. She Dr. Luigi sent copies

7/18 Paul & Ingrid Holtzman loved book.
"Much better than F. to Mang."

7/19. Meiya Chama Mines liked my
book very much. Is ^{mentioning} ~~saying~~
in talk 7/28. - Her daughter
likes my books. (Teaches 7th Gr.)
Meiya got her J.H. Jr & MLC at
Kenoskeneya. (Saw her JACP Cal.)

7/20 Rauko Morishige - spoke to
me on St. near Coop. Read
book & lent to neighbors -
"You spoke for all Nisei" -

7/25 - Pat - Tom Inada liked -
Friend from Chgo started & said
couldn't leave till she
finished. - Everyone reads
in 2 sittings -

7/28 - PACTS - PAAM Mtg -
Mineo Katagiri - mentioned
in talk - "We need more
stories about families." -
He told me he cried when he
read the book. -
Mauro Tacoma - told me
how much he enjoyed.

8/6 - Armstrong Hunter -
Appreciated so much -
"Beautifully written, simple
& powerful" -

8/8 - Nancy Morita -
enjoying book - like own family

8/12 - John Zillito - (Ogden)

"Very moving, loved 1st part especially. Didn't know about racism in Calif."

8/16 Ben Wu - read book twice -

enjoyed stories re seminary students. I sound like a P.K.

8/18 - Chie said Jeanie loved it -
Cried from beg. to end - liked
Epilogue. - Betty de Mars

• Bruce's mother tho't it a
"wonderful book", "tear jerker
from beg. to end"

Hiro said Koji M got currie,
said "Go sure can write"

Chie said Bruce so inspired,
he wrote as soon as he read
the book. I never got ltr.

Bill F. said he got many
calls after Optimist Mtg -
from people who liked
my talk -

8/24 - H. Bork is very professional -
Bet NYer would take it in a
minute if they read now -
Well written -

8/28 - Cornie - read right thru
the note she got it - liked
so much. - Cried when she
read it. Morgan liked too.

8/29. Geo - Misaki - got 9 copies
tho't it was great.

Ben Wu's sister - tho't so
good she couldn't stop.
Read in 1 night. (Sumi)

8/30 - Clem Oyama - liked book
very much - Said my talk (Opt.)
also very good. Easy to
listen to - I said everything
that needed to be said, in no ?'s.
"End was the way one feels
after a good movie or play -
just can't say anything
for a while."

8/31 Jeanne Marie (Hinks) + man
both liked very much. Didn't
realize all that happened.
Said "book just walks out
as soon as they get it in."

9/5. Go Nagata - enjoyed.
Mom was such a caring
person. "Hiro said she
was so gracious & Really
loved her."

9/8 - Call from stranger -
"Wanted to know where to
get my book for daughter's
birthday - knew Kirihera
of L.A.

9/12: Unknown couple at Bazaar
told me they enjoyed
my book -

Nancy Honta loved "Samurai
of Gold Hill" - wanted
to know where to get my
other books.

Signed another book for Marguerite W.

Chiz Jiyama - congratulated me
wants to get for daughter.

9/14 - call from Konomi Asai - Assoc
Prof. Am. Lit, Tsuda College -
Was at rect. on Solano last

night, found my book at
Gray's, read & enjoyed -
Leaving for Tokyo tonight -
Had nice conversation -
She's translated ~~Am~~-Ind. story
into Engl for Shobunsha. Very nice.

9/4- Iike Funabiki (re Glenn gp.)
Said there hadn't been such
a strong book - they could relate to -

9/17- Jeanie Weigle - nice ltr -

K. said ^{Forge} Channel Bks at N.H. had
bles. [↑] spoke to owner in Oct.

9/21 Kay Johnson^c - letter read
• loved it & is passing around
to all her friends.

9/22 Reiko - Shingo K. enjoyed "

9/25 - nice letter from Libbi

9/28- 2nd nice ltr from Marion Brown -
~~9/29 nice ltr from Libbi~~

9/29 Wonderful ltr from Bruce Weigl.

10/2- Signed book for Marian Miller
for gift to Library of Sakai
Burbank's Sister City -

10/24 Carol A. bro't ^{2nd copy} ^{gift} ^{to her} ^{remembered -} ^{books} ^{etc.}

10/25- Very nice ltr from Pastor Mac

10/25- " " " " John Young
(Pilgrim Place) - written 10/4

10/26- Sheila Plerson said she +
Chal ^{loaned} ~~gave~~ Mrs. Exile + Mom's
Book of Poems to Rep. from
T.B.S.* Britannica (they translated
Chal's MIT Bl to Jpnese - do
books from Univ. Presses.) She
told him not only former types
banned to US. - ex M.D.

* Tokyo Broadcasting Sys. - died in w. ^{Sanfory} ^{Whiskey.}

10/31- Call from a Mrs. ^{Kimie} Ho visitip
from NfC - Wanting to
know where she could buy
my book. Her brother read
a review in the Japan Times
(10/23/82 by John B. Hanson-Loave)
and wants a copy.

10/31- Nicki Bee Times - reprinted
above review. on 10/27/82!

11/2 - Jean Inereye - enjoys DE.
was "surprised + pleased" I was
so frank. She found it diffie
to get info from f-in-law etc -
(She's Ori Inereye's d-in-law)

11/5 - Marey Wallmann - loved esp 1st
part. She grew up doing similar
things (b'27) - Lakehurst, etc...
Told Carol Oakes about it. (Carol
was here 10/82, called me .. while I was east)
D.E. Very Readable. Gave her copy to Albany H.S. Lib.
She said H.S. students would read -

11/7 - Mart^e - liked book - esp. Epilogue.
wants 1 for son.

11/8 Korne - said Wendy Tokuda &
Richard Hall got copy of DEx from
sister in Seattle as Bday pres for Rich.
Wendy's mother said she'd read many
books about evac, but tho't mine
was the best. - They also liked, Rich
said Michi once worked for him. He's now
news dir at KTVU-Oakl.

11/15 - Margie Meads Wishart - very
warm, touching letter.

11/21 - ^{Sachi}
Tom Fujita (PSR Student)
said he really enjoyed book,
smoothly written, readable - - -

- Julia said AD wants to
coordinate review & Cmsn recs.

- Yori/Hiro call - said
they enjoyed book.

12/22 - Mary Kasai - enjoyed book -
recalled past -

12/23 - Jo Harding - nice ltr.

12/17 - ^{LD} Call from Allen Nishi, MD.
(Fumie Shitamae's son) ordering
book for his mother.

12/28 - 7:30A call from Shin Tanaka, N.Y.C.!
Just read my book - (snowed in)
"Read in one breath" - said all the
things I wanted to say myself -
Getting copies for children -
Veronica Sides (?) of OWP - visited bro, friend
of Shin's Illiguzup - sent bk to Shin (Kusas -
"Answered so many ?'s I had myself."

12/27 - nice ltrs from Ts Ochemotsuka
- Amy T. Matsumoto

12/25 Ruri's father Chisaki Ishizawa
Read Bk - one sitting - before
opening other presents.

1983

1/25- Tamaki called to say Gukios
bro. read Des Ex in one sitting
fr. Couldn't put it down!
sis-in-law. Ch's librarian wants me
to visit.
1/25- "Kiss ltr from Yamine"

1/24 Mrs. Lawmer (apt.) said her
daughter is librarian in
Ber. Hills. Was so impressed
that I lived in her m's apt!

1/31- call from Yoshiko King -
(from Jpn 4 yrs ago - Auchi is
student at U.C.)
just wanted to tell me she enjoyed
Des. Exile. Learned much
from it.

2/5 - Kay said Mary Louise raved
about my book. Tho't it was so
moving, powerful without being
abrasive or bitter. Epilogue
moved her to tears. Mother was

so wonderful + father
so capable. Evac. made
her so angry -

She wishes she could buy
100's of copies + give
them to people!

2/83 - Fumi (Shitamae) Kishi -
"We owe you a debt of gratitude
for recording so graphically our
evac'n exper."

2/14/83 - saw Jerry Yamashita
hearn Berkeley JACL gave
me certificate of recognition
honor at Install. Dinner 2/4/83!!
No one told me!!

2/17/83 - Ben said his friend
Hector (?) sent Des Ex to
mother in Texas. She liked
it so much. Her ^{Presbyterian} church
study group is studying it -
Hard to find book in Texas.
NOT enough publicity -

2/21/83 ^{Lovely} Call from Mrs.
Charmian Bourland
(527-0101)

1735 Rose St. Berkeley - 94703

Friend suggested she read D.E.
She wanted to commend me for
Dearest Exile - Thanked me for
enriching her life with my
beautiful writing, telling of the
injustices, "Sharing loveliness
of my family." "Exceedingly worth-
while; hurt my heart to read it,
it was such a beautiful book - yet
had moments of humor "Step your watch"
"Mr. Caucasian" - Mother was so
frail - was her death hastened by war?

She thinks it should be made
into a movie - or Condensed as book in
Reader's Digest - Spoke at length
of how it could be read by more
people. Felt it should be in the
schools, on T.V., film, etc... She

was a neighbor of Mr. Wishart.
Father of Jan!

Re M + D - "The people we
love never leave us."

2/23 - Sent me copy of very nice
ltr to R.D.

2/24 - Called me re Cman report
in paper + TV.

2/27 called ag. to ask if I'd consider
speaking at Commonwealth
Club. She knows Michael
Bussington - Re my p.c.,
she's a graphologist. Said
looking indicated extraordinarily
beautiful person, lovely
mind, well adjusted!
tho't it showed my stress
when I told her re poor health

3/7 C again! Ltr from R.D. saying
"will order + review the book."

3/4/83 - Call from Constance Jolly
(with AFSC in S.F.) (Jacobs Fajita?)
loaned her Des-Ex. She
tho't it was so beautiful + so
moving - she is sister-in-law of
Mary Alice Cary Shepherd
(in Cyprus) also her sister is married
to Otis Cary! Coming to get 2 cop.

3/18 - Jane Tanomachii said
her Father (in Gardena)
really enjoyed DE. He's
also Christian - Had never
read a book like mine - re
in family.

3/21/83 - Norma McGress - (C. re coming
to her school) said Des-Ex touched me so much -
so good of you to share so much
of your life with all of us...
your lovely, lovely parents,
Both wonderful - but your

mother must have been such a
marvelous person - her poetry
so beautiful, such a sweet
lady ... felt privileged
to read about your lovely
family ... " Called re Margarita Schorl.
They read "Sonnet's Prize" to all grades - need
quiet, low key books like mine to counteract TV violence

3/21 - eve: c from a Joyce Inemori
of Turlock - Her son read Deser
(8th grade) in prep. for paper
on "Oppression" - But she read;
I came thru' as a live person -
admired my "literary skill" -
Wondered if I'd collaborate
w. her husband on his life
story - He grew up in Jpn, survivor
of Hiroshima --

Mar 30 - Talk at Weber State College
Stewart Lecture Series, Stewart
Library Special Collections
Tea at 2:00; ~~Talk~~ at 2:30

Over 100 people - 25 Books
sold out immediately. Ordered
6 more. - Very good response
+ question. About $\frac{1}{2}$ Nisei
 $\frac{1}{2}$ non-As. faculty mbrs, etc..

Dr. Mrs Carlisle there from Logan,
Pratts (former welfare officer Texas)
Kane ~~Kane~~ (Setu), Aline Kasei
(SLC-JACL), Rev. Arata (SLC church)

- Many told me how much they
enjoyed my book. Jim - (John
Bellito's asst.) told me how beautiful
the book was. He said the 1st
part was reminiscent of Proust!!

John S. in intro - told how
he took copy with him on trip
+ was immediately pulled
into the book + couldn't stop
reading it.

May 3 - Letter from Minna Tropp.
Said parents seemed like such
wonderful people. Wished
she had known them.

5-22-83 Very Nice ltr from Edith Kondo
- Very much moved - as tho'
I were talking - Portrait of
gentle, caring mother - confident,
decisive father - also caring -
"So glad they touched my life!"
Re my visit to Kahala School -
"You charmed everyone!"

6-11-83 - Extremely nice ltr from
Joe Curiale, composer in L.A.
Best Bk he's read on internment.
"Loved your mother - a storybook
perfect person."

6/22/83 - Really nice call from
Chas. Smith - said he's
enjoying book so much.

6/24/83 - nice ltr from Raymond
Cheek who taught at
Tule Lake.

6/28/83 - Law daughter of
former neighbor (upstairs.)
She read my book + was so
touched + ashamed... Bev?

7/ /83 - nice letter from Delta H.S.
Teacher

7/19/83 - Very nice letter from
Kyōji Buma - warm
recollections of M + D.

8/31/83 - Kyōji Buma wrote
nice review for Prach. Outlook

9/7/83 - Lovely warm ltr
from Alan Amend -
He read book with a
towel as words blurred! -

9/19/83 - Nice ltr from Mary Alice
Cory Shepard

10/28/83 - Call from Emma
Lyons - she tho't book
was so beautiful - cried
with every page. Didn't
know what we went thru!
So vivid & personal -
beautiful way in which
Mom & Dad lived thru it.

11-30-83 - Helen Fryer (Rad Lab)
said book was so beautiful
written. You had such a
lovely family ...

12-10-83 - Two of Kay's friends
read her Ex - One wrote she
was so "deeply moved" - "like
most Amos tho't Jpnee had lived
a country club life for 3 yrs -
like Italian 'German P.O.W.s'!!
Please congratulate your sister
for me.

Weaves - "so beautifully written
how I see why you're the
way you are with such a lovely
family."

1/28/84 - Nice letter from Ida Albire
Missi born in camp -
sent me bio of her mother.
(Oresee Isl. Wa.)

5/84 - Very nice letter from
young grad. student in
Spec Ed. Steve Heermann
Granada Hills, CA. He tho it
it best book he's read -
very touched by it - Some-
times he read because of tears -
Wished he could come help in camp!
Very sweet letter

6/6/84 - Tyler Nakashima
from Davis - Works at Agric Lab.
Just read Desert Exile -
Couldn't stop - read it
straight thru - was gift
from father (Mr. N. spent
14 yrs in Jpn - ret 7/81 because
he had cancer. Died 1/83)
He said Peter Jones quoted
me (re desert storm) in his
book. (before p. 70)

6/10/84- Call from Masi D.
Said she just loved the book -
Written so beautifully -
marvelous sense of family -
really, really enjoyed it.
She'll make Jm. read

6/24/84- Kay read me nice
letter from Ruth - Ralph
Fester re Des Ex - "Yo
writes so well" - helps
recall vividly those days ...

7/3. Horrie Jackson -
Read with tears .. respect for
courage of family - grateful for
telling story.

7/5- Ida Nakashima Schneek -
very nice letter - fond
memories from family "encased
in kind of glow" Mom-gracious

and Kent always - Father -
had enormous respect & affection
for Dad Thank for writing
the book -

7/6/84 - Luci Oliverio Gernot
Toledo, Ohio - "so touched
by your message" - tender
words - Thank you for enriching
my life. May the world read
your story, understand your
message & learn to love.

12/7/84 Keniko Sam saw "Arano" -
— see further pp.

12/8/84 Rosalie Trembling - <sup>Sis in-law
in the Teahama
works</sup>
Gariko Mijuntan ^(Kido) friend
in Jpn (Deuter) knew D.
read "Arano", wants to
read Des Ex. - Signed 4 books
for her. (1 for Neila Leifso)
1/86 - ^{in Samnomita} Turned out to be Dr. Kido, (260)
Stanford grad, father lived in Stockton 1917-24, knew
Hagai. He wrote Des Ex. very moving, beautifully written.

more →

Sent copies of article:

1. Mgt McElderry
2. Neal Porter, Diane, Maurice
3. Kay/Shiguo (1 copy, 1 orig.)
4. Don Ellegood
5. Val Paug → P.C.
6. Anne Givell - Readers Digest
7. Mari John 1/86

called Annie 10/1/85

Annie Nakos Article

Seen Chron. Sept 29, 1985

Wire Calls - 9/29/85

1- Sylvia Scott - loved article!
more

2. Kathleen Shephard Remick

Knew Dad in Mitsui

Worked for Mr. Tsuda in
Acct'g Dept.

Also, Mr. Hoshino

Helen (Irish name) Crosby

Mr. Minami's Daig. Had twin boys.

Close friend of Hattie Sato Honda
(now in Kansas City)

3. Shirley Barschay -

Worked for WPA. Knew

Geo. Nakashima (furniture designer)

Wrote articles re H.M. +

Herskima in "World" Chron.

Son teaches Space History at
Wesleyan - in Conn.

4. Susan Meyers - No Article just!

Everyone at Margot's party had
seen article - Marilyn + Morris
bro + me a copy; also Ella Lee,
Margot had it up on a Board;
Ursula Sherman - (Toys at Cal)
Susan Faust, (Lib. at Katherine Burke)
very soft-spoken sweet person.

{ Linda Perkins - Bird Lib
Ruth Gordon

Larry - Joanne

Calls 9/30/85

5. Mrs. Aki Kagami (Mateudara)
751 20th Ave, SF 94121 (Block 4)
Topaz

Wanted to know where she
could buy my books -
she helps at an Elem'y School -
Ref to Kinokuniya + JACP

Sent! C.A. Flyer + bio + Bk mark
10/7 - C to thank me - gilly likes Kinokuniya

6. Suga - Congrat'ns!
wonderful article + photo

7. Margo C. - saved me
tho it was excellent.

10/1 8. Jaqueline Shapiro
writing book on (851-2639)
"In Search of the Wise Old Woman"
(in folk tales - usually
old woman, but wise old men.)
Maybe "witches" were wise women.
Hopes book will be not pure
scholarly; partly popular.

60 more Lane, Woodside 94062

9. Dotie Chambers - tho it wonderful
article + photo.

10. saw Mae Fujita on st
nice article + photo

11. Bill Fujita - "I"

10/2-12 - Barb + Steve -

10/3-13. Jan McBale, Lib.
Laf. School.

shortly - wrote to spk in May
already has Happ. Ending

14. Mary Holladay (saw 6/8)

- 15- Alita Wilson - reg. to 10/2
told at San Pablo Jr. Hi - Reg.
10/3 16- Hiro Katsuyama - long c.
17- Val Pang. - long c

10/4 18. Ethel Murphy
Teacher in Fremont
asked me to come talk - Reg.

19. Barry G - (I called re statement)
He mentioned nice article.
Don also saw.

Told Randy H. re article

10/5 " Thacher H. " (He called re
ride to Kapa)

Candy Boyd c -

said article was so well-done,
interesting for lay people -
focused so well on my writing
let her know if she can do anything!

Yaseko saw article -
tho it was wonderful -
Sent to Marie

10/5 - Long nice call from
Georgia (Hattie) Anker (D's Sec'y)

She said Dad was such a
kind, gentle man - admired
him so much. Still has diamonds
D. gave her. - Mitsuei girls still
get together for lunch. - She worked
for Ushiki before Dad. - Remembered
Tsutsumi, Imai, Kobayashi, Miyazaki,
Muenami & Helen Murphy was his Sec'y

- worked at Mitsuei 17 yrs!

Under L. Anker in phone bk. (474-2429)

1750 Vallejo St, SF, Apt #403.

Was legal Sec'y after -

Even had job 2 aft a while in 1985!

(She H. divulge her age!!)

10/6 - Judy Alley (apt to d's class)?
fold re article ^{8th gr. English} Report

10/7 - Lucie Yawata (from Chris part Kariya)
Berkeley

Peralta Comm'y affairs, Public Info.

Would like interviewed for

KSAZ radio 7M - by student intern
for Sun 6:30A Bdcst. (take Rev.) → ^{asked her to} call in
Nov.

10/8 - Masaru Fujimoto + wife
Seibeko Kemura saved Chron
article for Masaru. (Sister - Masaru)

10/9 - spoke to Paul Lockwell
(Albany like) - He said
he clipped it + sent it
around to County Libraries

10/12 saw Eliy. Overmeyer
said it was a gd article.
He rec'd one to Fremont Ready Specialist

10/11 - Kay Fujita - saw on Glens -
saw article

10/12 - Jeanne Hirabayashi -
note w. invit'n - great article!

10/14 - Dr. Leuzi - mentioned seeing

10/15 - p.c. from Kay Yamashita
Chiz sent to her - she'll send
to Katy - Chie K c p.m

10/16 - Chas. Smith - saw article -
also called re bond.

Marie Byrne - Bausoft ms.
saw nice article. clipped files

10/17 - Florence Hong - someone sent her
Masako Hamada -
the 1st very sensitive -

10/18 - Eileen Doyle -
(Rosemary B. hit her article & me.
Her friend Yuri Shiguro(?) - saw Taketomo
who saw my bk. (Dr. Ex) at her house

10/20 - Nikki Bridges - re article (had heard
about my bk at Conf. attack)
she knows Nicki Wieglyn
Corresp. & Sachi Seko

10/24 - cDr. Haag - he & I in article

10/26 - Kemi Matsumoto
sent me copy & article.

11/11 - Muri Matsumoto c
re article & blessing 12/15th -
ny.

Mrs. Gills

12/7/85 - Kimiko I. read

"Arans" at Gale Lib -
tho't it was so beautifully
written - translated -
so impressed w. M-D -
saw my talent coming
from Mom -

1/86 - G's Kagata - mentioned
article in note -
nice - "like you"

1/86 - Leo Allemprese - bro't
me copy, Libbi had it
from Glen + Jennie.

1985

Re Happiest Ending

9/22 Mae Durham Raper^c
I tho't I'd done a splendid
jib. Called the minute she
finished reading the bk.
I tho't I handled adults charac.
better than ever before...

10/85 KK - loved bk

11/85 - Grace - loved bk - laughed
all thru' at wonderful
dialogue - Better than ever
before - Liked positive
values which I stressed.
Euphoric receipt of educt'n.

Loy^c - Thinks this is my
best book!

11/85 Good Review in SF Chron

2/29/86 wonderful long letter
from Pastor Mae

2/9/86 - Superb Review +
article of my book in
NY Times.

2/10 - Arlene Sherman - called
to invite me to speak
mentioned article.

2/10. ^{Barry Gifford saw} Pat Ahl - BABRA - saw article

2/20 - Betty (Lincoln) Newark -
nice note re article

2/20 - Jo Nagata - bro. in Chgo
sent her NY Times article

" Claire Ziver - nice letter
re article.

" Barb. Klein - 6 copy to Jean-
Irma

Mank - BABRA award -

more →

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PICTURE BRIDE.

Calls from

- Randy Murray
- Mary Holliday
- Chie K.
- Kay K.

June - Koep's friend Marilyn
loved the book - sensitive,
write like a European.
getting copies for friend -

Jerma Somerton (Lib.) -
No. 1 beautiful, sensitive,
everyone should read -
Ordered 15 cop. for Library System.

7/29/87 - Ella C - so beautiful,
couldn't put it down, just
fascinated, same style as
my other bks, but so much extra
scope. Was surprised how good

it was! "You're the Willie
Catcher of our time!" !!

no let down, just fascinated.
Cried thru' bk. I have an "original
palette." sent to Ann

Aug 5 - Mari, Gusko both liked -
wondered how I got all that
info!

Aug 9 - SF Chron Review !!

Call from Kay (Uyeyama, Nobi) Holman
oldest sis - Dr U.

Chie said Korn read - both liked -
girl at Jack borrowed -

Bruce said I have a special
way of writing - looks
easy, but hard to do -

Barb - after reading $\frac{1}{2}$ said -
It's fantastic. It's so good -

8/10 lovely ^{mood} beautiful day -
made me cry -
incredible!

Started late last nite &
couldn't put it down -
It's the kind of book that
will last - has to be
called to att'n of readers -
could read it -

8/9 - Leson Meyers - really
interesting

Hiro/Els - left Rev. copy.

8/10 Don Ellis - great review!
Wonderful! I had reviewed
Marilyn S call re review

8/11 Randy M-C re review!

He said there's a stack -
my obs at G. Dalton
Kearney & Butler - He watches
to see if selling!

Sylvia - sent me copy & review
Bo't Pie Birds

8/12 Bo's - nice Card Congratulation
on Review

9/7-Miya Obayashi - Long report!

Enjoyed so much - key easy to read
Best book couldn't stop reading
all can identify with it
Had everything - city, country,
Camp - everything. Nisei, Issei, Sansei
Tells everyone's story - shows
J- story is a tragedy.

1988-

Colleen Fong - using it in her
As. Women class at UCB
also being used in
Ethnic Lib class - Repillo

3/12/88 Atsuko Kuwada - taking
Colleen Fong's class - called the
minute she read my bk -
tho't it was so sad, but
such a good book, wanted
to thank me for writing it. She's
→

married to a hakuin - so
understands somewhat fulip
v Hana. - Learned so much
about J.A. - She's also taking
As Am history class from Jerry Takahashi
(sent her bio + CA flyer)

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