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The passing of Atsuko Minakawa

Ki Hoon Kim and Michael Balcomb
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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Our beloved sister, Atsuko Minakawa, passed away on Tuesday, January 7, 2014 near her home in Michigan. She was wonderfully kind and gentle and faithfully served True Parents and God's Providence for many years in Japan and America.

Let us support Atsuko's family during this important time and pray for her victorious transition to a glorious new life in the spiritual world.

Following is a brief biography from her pastor, Rev. David Kasbow.

Sincerely,

Dr. Ki Hoon Kim
Continental Director

Dr. Michael Balcomb
President

Victorious Life of Atsuko Minakawa



Atsuko was born on March 8, 1962 in Aomori Prefecture in the northern part of Japan. She was the first-born child and had one younger brother. After graduation from high school, she moved to Nagoya to work in the office of a fabric company. It was while she was there, in 1989, that she met her spiritual mother and joined the Unification Church.

Atsuko served the mission of child care of the church children in Nagoya. She was matched with Ryoichi Minakawa in May of 1992 and was part of the 30,000 Couples' Blessing on August 25, 1992. Her family moved to America in 1994 and to Detroit in 2003. She is the mother of three wonderful children; Ikumi 19, Nami, 17, and Yoshimi 13.

Seonghwa Service

Atsuko's Seonghwa Service will be held on Tuesday, January 14, 2014 at 7:00 PM at the Metro Detroit Family Church, 22021 Memphis Rd., Warren, MI 48901. Donations can be sent to Mr. Ryoichi Minakawa at 672 Finch Ct., Walled Lake, MI 48390.