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Dear Dr. Albert Julien,

It is with deep sentiment that I, in behalf of the Turlock Social Club, write to express our most sincere appreciation for the kindnesses you bestowed upon us and our parents for more than a decade.

The Western Defense Command of the United States has deemed it a military necessity that we evacuate in the very near future. To its decree, we shall cheerfully cooperate as every loyal American should do, although our share may not be as important as those on the battle lines.

Most of us came into this world through Dr. Eric Julien and your helpful hands, and many of us are now living only because of the scientific knowledge and guidance you gave us to help us pull through the desperate seconds and minutes. Words do not truly express our feeling for your past generosity to us, but we hope this brief message serve as an outward expression of our appreciation.

When the government of the United States permits us to return to our respective homes in this area, we earnestly hope that we can come back with a feeling that we want to make this our home forever and we hope that you and the community will accept us then as one of you, as you have always done up to this time.

Because we do not know when actual evacuation will be asked of us, this simple expression of our feelings now convey our appreciation for your past kindnesses.

Wishing you good health and high spirit, I am

Yours very sincerely,

T. Iwata, president