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Dear Mrs. Takahashi -

My heart goes out to you in this time of sorrow.

I remember seeing Mr. Takahashi in his office Monday when we interviewed you. I was glad you shared your early romance with him with us -

You had said one never gets over the death of a parent. I would add one's child to that and, I suspect, one's spouse as well. But we go on - inner strength has carried you through an amazing and full life - and the many friends

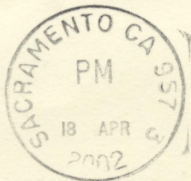
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relatives, and resources you have will no doubt help you now, through this personal tragedy.

May you find peace.

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