

Los Angeles Unified School District
Diploma of Graduation

Theodore Roosevelt High School

Los Angeles Unified School District



his Diploma is awarded to **Ruth Saitoh**
who has been found worthy in Character and Citizenship and who
satisfactorily completed a Course of Study in Winter nineteen
hundred and forty-three as prescribed by the Board of Education.

Given at Los Angeles, California this tenth day of October,
nineteen hundred and ninety-three

Henry Ponzullo
Principal

Leticia Pongda
President, Board of Education
Sidney A. Thompson
Superintendent of Schools



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October 19, 1993

Mrs. Ruth Kikawa

Monterey Park, California 91754

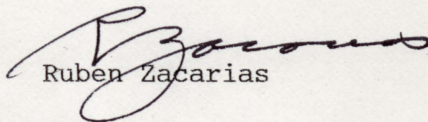
Dear Mrs. Kikawa:

On Sunday, October 10th, the Roosevelt High School Class of 1943 celebrated its 50th reunion. The highlight of the evening was the awarding of diplomas to those students who because of Executive Order 9066 were deprived the opportunity to graduate with their classmates in 1943.

Inasmuch as you were unable to attend this reunion, I am forwarding your diploma by mail.

Nothing can totally erase the mistake of our government in 1942 but please know that your diploma is awarded with the deepest respect of our Board of Education and with the love and affection of your classmates.

Sincerely,


Ruben Zacarias

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