Inventory of the Jim and Eric Saito Family Collection SPC.2018.055

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**Contributing Institution:** California State University Dominguez Hills, Gerth Archives and Special Collections  
**Title:** Jim and Eric Saito Family Collection  
**Creator:** Saito, Eric  
**Creator:** Saito, James Osamu  
**Identifier/Call Number:** SPC.2018.055  
**Physical Description:** 29 boxes  
**Physical Description:** 22.32 linear feet  
**Date (inclusive):** 1890-2017  
**Date (bulk):** 1936-1989  
**Abstract:** The Jim and Eric Saito family collection (1890-2017, bulk 1936-1990) includes a wide array of materials, such as immigration documents, Tanjiro Saito's materials concerning his business ventures and memoirs, Japanese citizenship renunciation papers, Saito and Ogawa family trees and records, loose photographs, copies of photographs and photo albums, letters written to friends and family in English and Japanese, Amache/Granada, Heart Mountain and Tule Lake Incarceration Camp materials, Amache/Granada and Heart Mountain reunion materials, World War II 442nd Infantry Regiment materials, Frank and Sueo Saito's track and field sports career materials, junior high and high school yearbooks, James A. Foshay Junior High School, Manual Arts High School, and John H. Francis Polytechnic High School materials, redress materials, newspapers, newspaper clippings, magazine articles, festival and sports programs, memo and account books, and more.  
**Language of Material:** Materials in this collection are in English and Japanese.  
**Conditions Governing Access**  
There are no access restrictions on this collection.  
**Arrangement**  
Arranged in seventeen series with the creator of the collection, James Osamu Saito, listed first, his wife, Katherine Mikami Saito, listed second, his father, Tanjiro Saito, listed third, his mother, Kikuko Saito, listed fourth, his uncle, Seijiro Ogawa, listed fifth, his eldest brother, Tatsuo Saito, listed sixth, his nephew and Tatsuo Saito's eldest son, Ted Akira Saito, listed seventh, and James Saito's remaining siblings arranged from oldest to youngest:  
2. Series II. Katherine Mikami Saito, 1929-2009, bulk 1942-1945  
5. Series V. Seijiro Ogawa, 1933-1951, bulk 1942-1945  
7. Series VII. Ted Akira Saito, 1994  
15. Series XV. Joyce Teruko Mori, 1942-1971, bulk 1951  
17. Series XVII. Saito Family Photo Albums, Photographs, Color Transparencies, and Panoramas 1890-1995, bulk 1931-1936  

**Saito Family History**  
James Saito  
James Osamu Saito, also known as "Jim" or "Pud", was born on August 15, 1922 in Los Angeles, California and was the ninth child of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. Jim attended James A. Foshay Junior High School and John H. Francis Polytechnic High School in Los Angeles and would also become a member of his high school's track and field team. He was temporarily held at the Santa Anita Assembly Center in Arcadia, California, incarcerated at Amache/Granada in Colorado and briefly joined the
army until he was honorably discharged for having bad eyesight. He moved back to Los Angeles and became a meter reader for the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP). He would later have to go through a lengthy legal battle in which he sued the department on the grounds of racial discrimination and idea stealing. He was a passionate redress advocate and was always interested in keeping up with local Los Angeles community affairs. He married Katherine Mikami and had three sons (Eric, Brian and Steven Saito). He was actively involved in coaching his sons when it came to stressing fundamentals and encouraging a positive attitude. Jim Saito passed away in 2016.

Katherine Saito
Katherine Saito (nee Katherine Mikami), also known as "Kathy", was born on November 12, 1926 in San Francisco, California. She was incarcerated at Heart Mountain in Wyoming. Kathy met Jim Saito in Los Angeles through a mutual friend and they later married. She was devoted to her sons especially when it came to the importance of a good education. Kathy Saito passed away in 2009.

Tanjiro Saito
Tanjiro Saito, born August 5, 1872, was an aspiring entrepreneur who immigrated to the United States from Takata, Niigata-ken, Japan in 1895. Many of his business ventures in San Francisco and Los Angeles, such as his Extra Fancy Japan Rice business, ultimately failed. He married Kikuko "Kiku" Ogawa and they had ten children. He tried to gain American citizenship but was unable to do so despite renouncing his, his wife's and his children's Japanese citizenships. Tanjiro Saito passed away on September 12, 1939 in Los Angeles.

Kikuko Saito
Kikuko Saito (nee Kikuko Ogawa), also known as "Kiku", was born on June 30, 1886 and immigrated to the United States from Yokohama, Kanagawa-ken, Japan on April 22, 1903. She was temporarily held at the Santa Anita Assembly Center and then was incarcerated at Amache/Granada with Tomi and her family, Nick, Emi, Fumi, Dorothy, Frank, Jim and Terry. After the war, she moved back to Los Angeles with some of her children. Kiku Saito passed away on July 5, 1968.

Tatsuo Saito
Tatsuo Saito, also known as "Tat", was born on May 23, 1904 in San Francisco, California and was the first and eldest child of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. He attended Berendo Junior High School in Los Angeles and he would later move to Santa Maria, California and own a Shell service station. He married Kikuyo "Frances" Kuratani on January 27, 1934 and had two children (Ted Saito and Judy Fukuhara). He would have to give up his service station after he and his family were incarcerated at Gila River in Arizona. He later moved to Denver, Colorado after being released. He worked as a box maker for 15 years and later as a janitor for an airline company for 5 years. Tat Saito passed away on January 25, 1988.

Ted Saito
Ted Akira Saito was born on November 14, 1936 in Santa Maria, California and was the first and eldest child of Tat and Frances Saito and grandson of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. He and his family were incarcerated at Gila River. He was an art teacher for many years as well as an artist specializing in ceramics. He had two daughters (Joni Leckey and Jennifer Reynolds) with his first wife, Naomi Asakura. Ted Saito passed away on July 31, 1994.

Nakao Saito
Nakao Saito, also known as "Nick", was born on September 12, 1906 in San Francisco, California and was the second child of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. He attended Manual Arts High School in Los Angeles and graduated in 1926. He was temporarily held at the Santa Anita Assembly Center, was incarcerated at Amache/Granada and then resided in Chicago, Illinois where he worked for a paper company for many years after being released. He was one of the few members in his family who believed that the incarceration camps were beneficial for Japanese Americans. He never married and had no children. Nick Saito passed away on January 31, 1989.

Tomiko Aratani
Tomiko Aratani, also known as "Tomi", was born on December 12, 1908 in San Francisco, California and was the third child of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. She graduated from John H. Francis Polytechnic High School and would later start a produce market business in Eagle Rock, California with her husband Taka Aratani. They married on November 18, 1933 and had one daughter (Faye Michiko Ogawa). They were incarcerated at Amache/Granada and later moved back to Los Angeles where they started out as domestic workers after being released. Tomi Aratani passed away on March 8, 1993.

Emiko Katayama
Emiko Katayama, also known as "Emi", was born on August 4, 1911 in San Francisco, California and was the fourth child of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. She graduated from Manual Arts High School. She suffered from tuberculosis and stayed at a sanatorium in Los Angeles just before she was relocated to Amache/Granada with her family. She married John Mitsumoto Katayama on January 2, 1945 and moved back to Los Angeles and later Monterey Park, California. They had no children. Emi Katayama passed away on January 12, 2003.
Sueo Saito
Sueo Saito, also known as "Cy", was born on August 16, 1913 in San Francisco, California and was the fifth child of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. He was a talented and decorated athlete and was active in football and track and field while at Manual Arts High School. He was incarcerated at Gila River with his brother Tat and his family. He later moved to Santa Barbara, California and married Toshi Asakura on February 11, 1953. They had no children. Sueo Saito passed away on August 24, 2002.

Fumiko Saito
Fumiko Saito, also known as "Fumi", was born on December 10, 1915 in Los Angeles, California and was the sixth child of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. She attended James A. Foshay Junior High School and Manual Arts High School. She was temporarily held at the Santa Anita Assembly Center and then was incarcerated at Amache/Granada. After the war she moved to Chicago, Illinois and worked at an insurance company. She later moved back to Los Angeles where she remained until she passed away. Fumi Saito did not marry and had no children.

Sumiko Tanabe
Sumiko Tanabe, also known as "Sumi", "Dorothy" or "Dot", was born on March 27, 1918 in Los Angeles, California and was the seventh child of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. She attended James A. Foshay Junior High School and briefly attended Los Angeles High School before transferring to John H. Francis Polytechnic High School. Like her brothers she was also very athletic as she enjoyed baseball and bowling and was a member of her high school girls hockey club. She was temporarily held at the Santa Anita Assembly Center and then was incarcerated at Amache/Granada. She married and later divorced but had no children. Dorothy Tanabe passed away on May 15, 2001.

Minoru Saito
Minoru Saito, also known as "Min", "Gumps" or "Frank", was born on June 1, 1920 in Los Angeles, California and was the eighth child of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. He attended 36th Street School, James A. Foshay Junior High School and was a talented track and field athlete and basketball player while at John H. Francis Polytechnic High School. He was also a member of the all-Japanese Los Angeles Shamrocks track and field team after graduating high school. He was temporarily held at the Santa Anita Assembly Center, was incarcerated at Amache/Granada and fought in World War II as a staff sergeant for the 442nd Infantry Regiment, H Company. He would later work for Hughes Markets and remained active in 442nd veterans affairs. After his father Tanjiro died, Frank provided support to his mother and sisters throughout the years. He never married and had no children. Frank Saito passed away on January 11, 1996.

Joyce Mori
Joyce Teruko Mori, also known as "Teru" or "Terry", was born on January 3, 1931 in Los Angeles, California and was the tenth and youngest child of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito. Like her mother and most of her siblings she was temporarily held at the Santa Anita Assembly Center and then was incarcerated at Amache/Granada. She married Egbert Yoshihiko Mori on December 27, 1971 and eventually settled in Monterey Park, California. They had no children. Terry Mori is the last remaining sibling alive today.

Sejiro Ogawa
Sejiro Ogawa was the brother of Kiku Saito. He owned now-closed Bunmei-Do Bookstore in Little Tokyo, Los Angeles and was incarcerated at Amache/Granada but was separated from his sister and her family and re-located to Heart Mountain and later Tule Lake in California. He attempted to repatriate back to Japan before being incarcerated but was not able to do so. He was married to Yae Ogawa and had one son (Kiyoshi Ogawa) and one daughter (Kayoko “Kayo” Ezawa).

Preferred Citation
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Processing Information
This collection was processed by Lindsay Anderson in 2019.

Scope and Contents
The mixed materials comprising the Jim and Eric Saito family collection (1890-2017, bulk 1936-1990) documents three generations of the immediate individual members of a Japanese American family that lived in San Francisco and Los Angeles, California.

Series one, or the James Osamu Saito series, comprises of the majority of the collection and contains materials regarding general redress, Nikkei for Civil Rights and Redress (NCRR), Japanese Americans Citizens League (JACL), World War II era documents, newspapers, newspaper clippings and magazine articles concerning a variety of topics, festival and sports programs, letters, obituaries and funeral programs, photographs and copies of photographs of friends and family, Amache/Granada and Heart Mountain Incarceration Camp reunion materials, history supplements and more.
Series two, or the Katherine Mikami Saito series, mainly comprises of her childhood photographs, a drawing of Billy Eckstine and items from when she was incarcerated at Heart Mountain, such as notices of assignment, camp event invitations, and dance cards.

Series three, or the Tanjiro Saito series, mainly comprises of immigration documents, Tanjiro Saito’s death certificate and funeral materials, family records and family trees, holiday postcards, Tanjiro Saito Company Extra Fancy Japan Rice materials, Japanese citizenship renunciation papers, letters to the United States Department of Immigration, and translated and untranslated memoirs.

Series four, or the Kikuko Saito series, mainly comprises of post-war letters and postcards from her siblings and her late husband Tanjiro's siblings still living in Japan at the time. It also contains benefits and dependency documents and forms and an account book from when she had been incarcerated at Amache/Granada.

Series five, or the Seijiro Ogawa series, mainly comprises of immigration and repatriation papers, incarceration materials from Amache/Granada, Heart Mountain and Tule Lake, letters and postcards from possible friends or acquaintances from other internment camps, such as Manzanar and Rohwer, and family members, personal photographs, account and memo books, his father Otokichi Ogawa’s family registration, and documents pertaining to his son, Kiyoshi Ogawa, such as his birth certificate and passport refund materials.

Series six, or the Tatsuo Saito series, comprises of a wedding announcement, a letter from Frank Saito to Tatsuo Saito and a Stanford University medical card both copied onto one paper and personal family photographs.

Series seven, or the Ted Akira Saito series, comprises of a newspaper article about an art competition that Ted Saito entered into and a program for his funeral.

Series eight, or the Nakao Nick Saito series, only comprises of personal photographs of Nick Saito, his family and friends.

Series nine, or the Tomiko Aratani series, only comprises of personal photographs of Tomiko Aratani and her family.

Series ten, or the Emiko Katayama series, comprises of postcards and letters written to her from various family members, personal photographs and her funeral announcement cards.

Series eleven, or the Sueo Saito series, comprises of his elementary, junior high school and high school materials, mainly track and field sports career materials, and a personal letter, photographs and papers.

Series twelve, or the Fumiko Saito series, mainly comprises of her junior high school and high school materials, letters of recommendation, bank statements, redress papers, personal letters, directories and photographs, and Toquiwas club materials.

Series thirteen, or the Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe series, comprise of her Amache/Granada leave clearance forms and personal photographs.

Series fourteen, or the Minoru Frank Saito series, mainly includes elementary, junior high school and high school materials, track and field career materials, veterans and veterans reunion materials, redress materials, personal letters and photographs, death certificate and funeral materials, old passports and identification cards.

Series fifteen, or the Joyce Teruko Mori series, comprises of letters from her sister Emiko and from relatives from her mother's side of the family in Japan and her wedding announcement card.


Series seventeen comprises of loose Saito family photographs, color transparencies of mainly the Saito family, a CD containing digital copies of family photographs, an empty engraved photo album, a small photo album containing mainly photographs of Tanjiro Saito's trip to Japan, a yellow photo album containing photographs of Tanjiro and Kiku's children, the Saito and Ogawa relatives living in Japan, and possibly Tanjiro's friends or business partners, and two photo albums that belonged to Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe.

Separated Materials
The collection includes two books ("Japanese Eyes, American Heart: Personal Reflections of Hawaii’s World War II Nisei Soldiers" compiled by the Hawaii Nikkei History Editorial Board and "Years of Infamy: The Untold Story of America’s Concentration Camps" by Michi Nishiura Weglyn) that can be searchable through the University Library catalog (https://www.csudh.edu/library/) or WorldCat (www.worldcat.org). All items are labeled as the Jim and Eric Saito Family Collection.
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Reparations for historical injustices -- United States
Newspapers
Yearbooks
Photographs albums
African Americans--Relations with Japanese
Saito, Katherine Mikami
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Saito, Kiku
Ogawa, Seijiro
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Saito, Fumiko
Tanabe, Sumiko Dorothy
Saito, Minoru Frank
Mori, Joyce Teruko

Physical Description: 10 boxes
Physical Description: 7.60 linear feet
Language of Material: English.

Scope and Contents
The James Osamu Saito series comprises of materials that documents his life as a brief World War II soldier in the army, a meter reader for the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) challenged with racism from the upper echelon, a redress advocate, and was a person simply interested in maintaining his friendships and in the daily events and news happening within the Los Angeles community.

The series primarily comprises of newspapers, newspaper and magazine articles, photographs and copies of photographs of friends, family and important life events, World War II-related materials and documents, lawsuit against the LADWP materials, Chicktester start-up materials, general redress materials, Nikkei for Civil Rights and Redress (NCRR) materials, Japanese American Citizens League (JACL) materials, and Amache/Granada and Heart Mountain reunion materials.
box 1, folder 1  School Safety Committee of the Foshaymen Certificate June 25, 1937
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 2  John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Commencement Program June 26, 1940
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 3  World War II Materials May 1, 1941-February 23, 1998, bulk 1941-1945
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes Honorable Discharge papers, National Service Life Insurance papers, copies of enlistment records, 1944 tax return form, documents showing proof of detainment in a War Relocation Center (Amache/Granada) from the National Archives, and more.

box 1, folder 4  Southwestern College Commencement Program for Paul Hagiya July 21, 1944
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 5  ChickTester Materials April 1953-May 22, 1953
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes photograph of the first Chicktester group, booklets and flyer about the Chicktester and Articles of Agreement.

box 1, folder 6  ChickTester Correspondence January 4, 1952-May 26, 1953
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 7  Evidence of Racial Discrimination Against Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) September 30, 1970-July 23, 1986, undated
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 8  Newspaper Articles About James Saito Lawsuit Against Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) September 20, 1979-July 30, 1986
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes articles from "Los Angeles Herald Examiner" (whole newspaper which includes this article is in Box 8, Folder 3), "The Rafu Shimpo", "The Los Angeles Times", "The San Diego Union", "The Las Vegas Review-Journal" and "Kashu Mainichi" (whole newspaper which includes this article is in Box 8, Folder 3).

box 1, folder 9  World War II Veterans Materials May 28, 2001, undated
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes AJA WWII Memorial Alliance Echoes of Silence CDs, "442 For the Future" Flyer, "Lost Battalions" Flyers, and a Memorial Day Services Program

box 1, folder 10  "Puka Puka Parade" Newsletters of the 100th Infantry Battalion Veterans Club July 1998-September 1998
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 11  Comics making fun of old age undated
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 12  "Las Nuevas" Newsletter, Volume 7, Edition Number 10 April 1978
Language of Material: English.
box 1, folder 13  
**LA Track Nuts Membership Card September 5, 2002**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 14  
**Polytechnic High School Alumni Picnic Attendance Sheet October 8, 1994**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 15  
**Alumni News for Loyola High School undated**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 16  
**West Sider’s of the 30's Materials 1975-August 22, 1997**  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes newsletters and members rosters.

box 1, folder 17  
**Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club Paper 1995**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 18  
**A Grand Get Together (GGT) Materials April 17, 1992**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 19  
**The Virgil District Reunion II Programs November 15, 2003**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 20  
**Ollie Matson Autograph December 14, 1961**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 21  
**”Flores Family Newsletter” March 1999**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 22  
**Dr. Walter Keys Materials March, 1989 - November 15, 2005, undated**  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes one “Clubs and Sports Society” magazine, one “The Hollywood Times” newspaper, flyers for gatherings, letters addressed to Dr. Walter Keys, and a printed photo of childhood friends, including James Saito.

box 1, folder 23  
**International Longshore and Warehouse Union - Pacific Maritime Association (ILWU-PMA) Benefit Plans Regarding Loss of Clifford Lester December 29, 2005 - January 10, 2006**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 24  
**John Ito: A Celebration of Life Papers August 12, 2000**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 25  
**Memoir entitled ”My Fortunate Friendship with R.C. ‘Babe’ Lester, My God” by James Saito undated**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 26  
**Instructions written by James Saito on how to do hurdles undated**  
Language of Material: English.

box 1, folder 27  
**Obituaries, Funeral Programs and Thank-You Letters December 22, 1981 - February 26, 2007**  
Language of Material: English.
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Box 2, folder 1
Birthday Invitations and Christmas Cards 1969 - August 12, 2004
Language of Material: English.

Box 2, folder 2
Receipts and Copied Identification Cards March 3, 1954 - October 30, 2000
Language of Material: English.

Box 2, folder 3
Personal Letters February 8, 1944 - September 16, 2005
Language of Material: English.

Box 2, folder 4
Personal Photographs and Copies of Photographs September 8, 1935 - November 11, 1995, undated
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes early 20th century photographs of childhood friends, photographs of Jim Saito competing in high school track meets, a photograph possibly of Jim's elementary school class, smaller photographs of Jim as a toddler, of him wearing his army uniform, of his wife (Kathy) and his sons as children (Eric and Brian), of his older sister and her husband (Emi and John Katayama), of Jim and Kathy at an NCRR meeting, of Jim at bridge club, various photographs of Jim spending time with his childhood friends and family, copies of photographs of his mother (Kiku), uncle (Seijiro Ogawa), and sisters (Fumi, Terry and Dot) while incarcerated at Amache, of his brother (Frank/Gumps) as a child, of his high school track teammates and friends, of Frank in the army, and more.

Box 2, folder 5
Partial memoir written by Jim Saito undated
Language of Material: English.

Box 2, folder 6
Pacific Coast Origami Conference Collection with Brief Biography of Jim Saito 2017
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes glued-on pieces of paper that briefly discusses Jim Saito's passion for origami and his passing in 2016.

Box 2, folder 7
Poster entitled "Top 100 Reasons You Know You're a J.A" undated
Language of Material: English.

Box 2, folder 8
Frank Sinatra and the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra Love Songs CD 1997
Language of Material: English.

Box 2, folder 9
Microfiche April 1, 1970 - April 22, 1976
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes three envelopes: 001-028, 033-041 (04/01/70), 003-039, 041 (04/05/70), 047-072 (04/22/76)

Box 3, folder 1
Day of Remembrance and Civil Rights and Redress Program February 2001
Language of Material: English.

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Includes individual internee records of Kiku Saito (last name spelled incorrectly on record), Frank M. Saito, Fumi Saito, James O. Saito, Joyce T. Saito (Terry Mori), Sumi D. Saito (Dorothy Tanabe) and Akira Omoto.

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Includes newspaper clippings, outline of a typed letter asking to co-sponsor and support the passage of the Commission of Relocation and Internment of Latin Americans of Japanese Descent Act, and information on the Japanese Peruvian Oral History Project.
box 3, folder 14  Article from Pacific Citizen Newspaper entitled "Frequently Asked Questions About Redress" June 24, 1983
Language of Material: English.

Language of Material: English.

box 3, folder 16  Bridge, The Long Road: Japanese Americans Move on Redress publication, Volume 7, Number 4 1981
Language of Material: English.

box 3, folder 17  Nikkei Sentinel: Special Women’s Section Publication undated
Language of Material: English.

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes letters exchanged between Jim Saito and Michi Nishiura Weglyn, newspaper articles, flyers and programs about winning "The Fighting Spirit" Award, photographs, and receipts for photographs.

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes letters exchanged between Jim Saito and Robert Bratt, newspaper articles and luncheon programs honoring Robert Bratt.

box 3, folder 20  Buttons about Redress and Smoking undated
Language of Material: English.

box 3, folder 21  Nikkei for Civil Rights and Redress (NCRR) Testifier Pin undated
Language of Material: English.

box 3, folder 22  Nikkei for Civil Rights and Redress (NCRR) Poster 2005
Language of Material: English.

Language of Material: English.

box 3, folder 24  Nikkei for Civil Rights and Redress (NCRR) Brochures undated
Language of Material: English.

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes thank-you cards, group photograph, contact information, NCRR background information and more.

box 3, folder 26  Nikkei for Civil Rights and Redress (NCRR) "Banner" Newsletter August 1981 - 2013
Language of Material: English.
box 3, folder 27  
Nikkei for Civil Rights and Redress (NCRR) Fighting Spirit Award Awarded to James Saito and David Monkawa Materials February 13, 1995 - February 21, 1995  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes newspaper articles in English and Japanese, a black and white photograph of James Saito and David Monkawa receiving the Fighting Spirit Award, and Day of Remembrance programs.

box 3, folder 28  
50 Year Remembrance of Japanese American Internment Programs February 15, 1992  
Language of Material: English.

box 3, folder 29  
“Tozai Times”, Volume 7 Issue 73 October 1990  
Language of Material: English.

box 4, folder 1  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes photographs, copies of photographs, and receipts and confirmation letters from JANM.

box 4, folder 2  
Language of Material: English.

box 4, folder 3  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes invitation to participate in JANM's special events, brochures for exhibits, the 1997 calendar, and a brochure for JANM's oral history project.

box 4, folder 4  
Language of Material: English.

box 4, folder 5  
Language of Material: English.

box 4, folder 6  
Language of Material: English.

box 4, folder 7  
The Rafu Shimpo History Supplement 2003  
Language of Material: English.

box 4, folder 8  
Speech entitled “America at its Best” by Eric Saul undated  
Language of Material: English.

box 4, folder 9  
Article entitled, “A Brush with History” by Betty R. Darnell, published by the Genealogical Society, Volume 21, Number 4 June 2009  
Language of Material: English.  
Biographical / Historical  
Vernon Ward was a childhood friend of Jim Saito.
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Language of Material: English. |
| box 4, folder 11 | Copied pages from "Prisoners Without Trial" by Roger Daniels 1993  
Language of Material: English. |
| box 4, folder 12 | Copied pages from "Honor by Fire" by Lyn Crost 1994  
Language of Material: English. |
| box 4, folder 13 | LIM Report undated  
Language of Material: English. |
| box 4, folder 14 | Granada Relocation Center Historical Report October 1978  
Language of Material: English. |
| box 4, folder 15 | Manzanar General Management Plan August 1996  
Language of Material: English. |
| box 5, folder 1 | Amache Reunion Materials October 21, 1978 - October 22, 1978  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes a list of internees who died in World War II and the Korean War, list of those who made monetary donations, map of Amache Relocation Center, and itineraries. |
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes yearbook, lists of people who attended, name tags, programs, Amache Reunion historical supplement, list of James Saito's family members that were incarcerated at Amache, newsletters, itineraries and more. |
Language of Material: English. |
| box 5, folder 4 | Heart Mountain Reunion Materials April 2, 1982 - April 3, 1982  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes programs, itineraries, list of people who attended, survey sheets, reservation sheets and more. |
| box 5, folder 5 | The Second Heart Mountain Reunion Materials August 30, 1985 - September 1, 1985  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes list of people who attended, a yearbook, a reunion program and banquet programs. |
| box 5, folder 6 | Heart Mountain Reunion III Materials September 8, 1989 - September 10, 1989  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes a yearbook, list of people that attended, an itinerary, and maps of Bally's Hotel and Casino. |
box 5, folder 7  Heart Mountain Reunion IV Materials September 11, 1992 - September 13, 1992
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes a yearbook, list of people who attended, an itinerary, a map of the Red Lion Hotel, a newsletter and more.

box 5, folder 8  Heart Mountain Reunion V Materials September 9, 1994 - September 11, 1994
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes a yearbook, list of people who attended, a postcard and name tags.

box 5, folder 9  Heart Mountain High School Class of 1944 50th Reunion Materials September 10, 1994
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes name tag, list of people who attended, and a program.

box 5, folder 10  Heart Mountain School Reunion Materials November 17, 1995 - November 19, 1995
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes Jim and Katherine Saito's nametags, postcards, programs, flyers, mailing lists, list of people attending, a brief history of Heart Mountain High School, a yearbook, and a calendar.

box 5, folder 11  Heart Mountain Reunion VI Materials September 27, 1997
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes a program, a confirmation list, a flyer and a yearbook.

box 5, folder 12  Heart Mountain Reunion VII Materials September 15, 2000 - September 17, 2000
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes flyers, program schedules, seating arrangements, floor plans for events, confirmation lists, list of Heart Mountain residents who enlisted, zodiac flyer, and folders.

box 5, folder 13  Heart Mountain Reunion IX Yearbook October 3, 2005 - October 5, 2005
Language of Material: English.

box 5, folder 14  Heart Mountain Wyoming Foundation "Kokoro Kara, From Our Heart" Newsletter, Fall Issue 2007
Language of Material: English.

box 6  Heart Mountain Reunion IV T-Shirts September 11, 1992 - September 13, 1992
Language of Material: English.

box 7, folder 1  Newspaper and magazine articles about Japanese Incarceration and World War II
January 30, 1943 - December 4, 2010
Language of Material: English.
The Heart Mountain Draft Resisters Materials circa 1940 - December 4, 2010, undated

Language of Material: English.

Scope and Contents
Includes Fair Play Committee bulletins, a copy of a photograph of the Fair Play Committee, newspaper articles and documentary forms about the Heart Mountain resistance.

Newspaper and magazine articles about redress and letters to editors February 19, 1976 - October 27, 2015, undated

Language of Material: English.

The Ralph Lazo Story Materials 2003 - February 21, 2004

Language of Material: English.

Scope and Contents
Includes newsletters, a newspaper article, brief bios of the film "Stand Up for Justice, The Ralph Lazo Story" and donation forms.

Newspaper and magazine articles about Los Angeles and Japanese American communities September 4, 1988 - February 27, 2017, undated

Language of Material: English.

Newspaper articles about sports and statistics August 28, 1975 - January 6, 2004, undated

Language of Material: English.

Newspaper comics March 25, 2007, undated

Language of Material: English.

Newspaper articles about health and medicine September 18, 1979 - April 22, 2007

Language of Material: English.

Newspaper articles about Los Angeles Black community July 12, 1981 - June 16, 2009

Language of Material: English.

Jackie and Rachel Robinson Materials November 19, 1981 - April 14, 2005

Language of Material: English.

Scope and Contents
Includes mainly newspaper articles.


Language of Material: English.

Scope and Contents
Includes newspaper articles and a birthday invitation and programs for the Retired LAFD "90's Club".

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<td>Newspapers with articles about Jim Saito winning the National Coalition for Redress and Reparations (NCRR) &quot;Fighting Spirit&quot; Award February 13, 1995 - February 21, 1995&lt;br&gt;Language of Material: English.&lt;br&gt;Scope and Contents&lt;br&gt;Includes two newspaper from &quot;The Rafu Shimpo&quot;.</td>
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<td>Newspapers with articles about Jim Saito winning a lawsuit against the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) July 24, 1986 - July 30, 1986&lt;br&gt;Language of Material: English.&lt;br&gt;Scope and Contents&lt;br&gt;Includes one newspaper from &quot;Los Angeles Herald Examiner&quot;, three from &quot;Kashu Mainichi&quot; and one from &quot;The Rafu Shimpo&quot;.</td>
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Language of Material: English.

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Language of Material: English.

box 9, folder 10  2003 Tournament of Roses program December 28, 2002  
Language of Material: English.

box 9, folder 11  University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) 1984 Track and Field Season program 1984  
Language of Material: English.

box 9, folder 12  The 30th Annual Nisei Relays program June 7, 1981  
Language of Material: English.

box 9, folder 13  23rd Annual Nisei Week Festival program August 10, 1963 - August 18, 1963  
Language of Material: English.

box 9, folder 14  33rd Annual Nisei Week Festival program August 18, 1973 - August 26, 1973  
Language of Material: English.

box 9, folder 15  National Geographic, Volume 169, Number 4 April 1986  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes article entitled "Japanese Americans Home at Last" by Arthur Zich.

box 9, folder 16  Nikkei Games Materials July 19, 2001 - 2005  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  

Language of Material: English.

box 9, folder 18  Go for Broke Materials 2002, 2005  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes "The Torch" newsletter and a 2005 calendar.

box 9, folder 19  "Remembrances: 100th Infantry Battalion 50th Anniversary Celebration 1942-1992" 1997  
Language of Material: English.

box 10, folder 1  Nisei Week Festival program 1955  
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<td>Bert Nakano was a redress activist and friend of Jim Saito.</td>
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<td><strong>Heart Mountain Sentinel front page copies entitled “Here’s Who You’ve Been Fighting for, Boys!” August 1945</strong></td>
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<td>Includes an image of Jim Saito's wife, Katherine Mikami Saito.</td>
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<td><strong>Posters and blown-up images February 1937, April 1937, circa 1938, undated</strong></td>
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**Katherine Mikami Saito 1929-2009 1941-1945**

- Physical Description: 3 folder
- Physical Description: 1 box
- Physical Description: 1.08 Linear Feet
- Language of Material: English.
- Scope and Contents
  The Katherine Mikami Saito series mainly comprises of her personal photographs, a drawing and items from when she was incarcerated at Heart Mountain, such as notices of assignment, camp event invitations, dance cards and more.

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<td>Includes Kathy Saito's photographs from when she was living in San Francisco and at Heart Mountain, signed photographs of her childhood friends, of her high school teachers while at Heart Mountain, and of her former boyfriend, also named Jim.</td>
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<td>Includes dance cards, camp event invitations and a photograph of possibly Heart Mountain Internment Camp.</td>
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Tanjiro Saito 1902-1995 1911-1939

Physical Description: 1 box
Physical Description: 0.42 Linear Feet
Language of Material: English.

Scope and Contents
The Tanjiro Saito series mainly comprises of immigration documents, Tanjiro Saito's death certificate and funeral materials, family records and family trees, holiday postcards, Tanjiro Saito Company Extra Fancy Japan Rice materials, Japanese citizenship renunciation papers, letters to the United States Department of Immigration, and translated and untranslated memoirs.

box 11, folder 1
Ogawa and Saito Family Trees April 1971 - May 27, 1995, undated
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes Minakichi and Naka Saito family tree, Keijiro and Kurako Saito family tree, Tanjiro and Kiku Saito family trees, a list of Kiku Saito's siblings and addresses, and a list of relatives in Japan that Emi Katayama contacted.

box 11, folder 2
Cancelled checks and payment records March 13, 1924 - February 26, 1928
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 3
Sears Roebuck and Company receipts July 23, 1937 - September 22, 1937
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 4
Tax documents 1909 - 1935
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 5
Notices of Protest May 4, 1912 - May 8, 1914
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 6
United States of America Fourth Library Loan Temporary Receipt September 30, 1918
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 7
Contracts for Electric Currents October 17, 1907, October 15, 1910
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 8
Notices to Abate Nuisance December 15, 1910, June 18, 1912
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 9
The Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company fire insurance policy form for T. Saito Company December 1, 1913
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 10
Bureau of Weights and Measures Certificate June 11, 1915
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 11
Drayage Contract August 16, 1911, undated
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 12
Letter from T. Saito Company to Stern Mercantile Company March 3, 1911
Language of Material: English.
box 11, folder 13  
T. Saito Company Extra Fancy Japan Rice trademark design materials circa 1907 - 1915  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes trademarks, stencils and receipts. Also included is an application form for Japanese citizenship renunciation.

box 11, folder 14  
T. Saito Company New Year’s cards January 1910, January 1911  
Language of Material: English.

box 11, folder 15  
Holiday Postcards December 30, 1911 - January 4, 1924, undated  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes postcards 52 total.

box 11, folder 16  
A Tribute to Tanjiro Saito: An Incredible Journey, Life in a New World, America” materials (1/2) September 2, 1902 - August 21, 1936  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes immigration, family and business papers documenting Tanjiro Saito's important life events, such as documents of Tanjiro Saito's entrance into the Port of San Francisco, family records in English and Japanese, the 1930 census, notices and requests for cancellations of Japanese citizenships for Tatsuo and Fumiko Saito, documents and letters to the Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization concerning re-entry into the U.S, letter from Tanjiro Saito to Tatsuo Saito, a 1935 list of names and addresses for New Year's greeting cards, and Tanjiro and Kiku Saito's siblings addresses in Japan.

box 11, folder 17  
A Tribute to Tanjiro Saito: An Incredible Journey, Life in a New World, America” materials (2/2) October 18, 1939 - March 1942, undated  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes trademark patents for Extra Fancy Japan Rice, T. Saito Company stationary, Tanjiro Saito death certificate, documents concerning Tanjiro Saito's Buddhist name, photograph and panoramic photograph of funeral, a receipt for ashes and a short biography about Tanjiro Saito written in Japanese.

box 11, folder 18  
Japanese citizenship renunciation request for Tanjiro and Kiku Saito May 1921  
Language of Material: Japanese.

box 11, folder 19  
Saito Family Registration 1902  
Language of Material: Japanese.

box 11, folder 20  
Yasuko Hasegawa Buddhist Name undated  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
General  
Yasuko Hasegawa was Tanjiro Saito’s older sister.

box 11, folder 21-23  
Memoir entitled “A Memo in Business Life” by Tanjiro Saito circa 1930-1939  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
Scope and Contents  
Entirely written in Japanese. English translations are attached.

box 11, folder 24-25  
Minakichi Saito family register and Tanji Saito family register circa 1930-1939  
Language of Material: Japanese.
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Japanese citizenship renunciation submitted by Tanjiro Saito to Consulate General of Japan in Los Angeles. He reported cancelation of his children's Japanese citizenship, including Nakao, Sumi, Emi, and Tomi, complying with the Japanese Nationality law.

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<td>12, 7</td>
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General

John Katayama was Emiko Saito's husband and Kiku Saito's son-in-law.
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| box 12, folder 8 | **Postcard from Genjiro Saito and letter from Kazuhide Saito to Kiku Saito February 15, 1947, March 25, 1948**  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
General  
Genjiro Saito was the older brother of Tanjiro Saito, brother-in-law to Kiku Saito and grandfather to Kazuhide Saito. |
| box 12, folder 9 | **Letters from Kurako Saito to Kiku Saito June 20, 1947, January 10, circa 1945-1960 - July circa 1945-1960**  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
General  
Kurako (Kura) Saito was the wife of Keijiro Saito (Tanjiro Saito's younger brother) and sister-in-law to Kiku Saito. |
| box 12, folder 10 | **Postcards and letter from Chozo Ogawa to Kiku Saito March 30, 1947 - September 6, 1947**  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
General  
Chozo Ogawa was the younger brother Tanjiro Saito and brother-in-law to Kiku Saito. |
| box 12, folder 11 | **Postcards from Suekichi Futagawa to Kiku Saito November 15, 1946 - September 22, 1949**  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
General  
Suekichi Futagawa was the youngest brother of Tanjiro Saito and brother-in-law to Kiku Saito. |
| box 12, folder 12 | **Letters from Seiiji Ogawa to Kiku Saito July 5, 1947, July 23, 1951, March 27 circa 1940 -1960 - December 21, circa 1940 - 1960**  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
General  
Seiiji Ogawa was Kiku Saito's brother. |
| box 12, folder 13 | **Letter from Kayoko Ezawa to Kiku Saito undated**  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
General  
Kayoko (Kayo) Ezawa was Kiku Saito's niece and Seiiji Ogawa's daughter. |
| box 12, folder 14 | **Letters from Yoshiaki Seki to Kiku Saito December 10, 1950 - August 1, 1951, undated**  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
General  
Yoshiaki Seki was Kiku Saito's nephew and the son of Mitsuko (Mitsu) Seki, Kiku's sister. |
| box 12, folder 15 | **Letters from Hamako Mori to Kiku Saito July 1951 - November 15, 1963**  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
General  
Hamako (Hama) Mori was Kiku Saito's sister. |
| box 12, folder 16 | **Letters from Haruo Mori to Kiku Saito June 12, 1951, undated**  
Language of Material: Japanese.  
General  
Haruo Mori was Kiku Saito's youngest brother. |
General

Yoshitaro Ogawa was Kiku Saito's brother.

Could have possibly been related to Kiku Saito's sister, Kimi or Kiyoko Hayashi.

Kurako (Kura) Saito was Tanjiro Saito's sister-in-law and was married to his brother Keijiro Saito.

Seijiro Ogawa 1933-1951 1942-1945

The Seijiro Ogawa series mainly comprises of immigration and repatriation papers, incarceration materials from Amache/Granada, Heart Mountain and Tule Lake, letters and postcards from possible friends or acquaintances from other incarceration camps, such as Manzanar and Rohwer and family members, personal photographs, account and memo books, his father Otokichi Ogawa's family registration, and documents pertaining to his son, Kiyoshi Ogawa, such as his birth certificate and passport refund materials.

Sei and Company Retailers Permit and City License 1936

Operator's License and Business Cards January 27, 1933, undated

Income Tax Return Papers March 24, 1942 - March 27, 1942

Immigration and Repatriation Papers April 4, 1942 - October 25, 1945

Letter from Seijiro Ogawa to the United States government 1945

Segregation of Persons of Japanese Ancestry in Relocation Centers (Japanese translation) August 1943
Evacuation, Relocation and Incarceration materials May 3, 1942 - August 4, 1944, undated
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes tags worn en route to assembly center and incarceration camps, camp identification cards, meal punch card, pamphlet containing evacuation instructions to all persons of Japanese ancestry by the Western Defense Command and Fourth Army Wartime Civil Control Administration, Notice of Assignment slips, letter of reference for Fred Okamoto, an invitation to the Heart Mountain Carpenter's Club party, hand-drawn map of Amache/Granada, an application for Certificate of Identification and more.

Personal notes circa 1940 - 1960
Language of Material: Japanese.

Camp event notes January 13, 1943, January 14, 1943
Language of Material: Japanese.

Amache/Granada Camp 6F social gathering program January 16, circa 1942 - 1945
Language of Material: Japanese.

Amache/Granada Co-Op April 30, 1943
Language of Material: Japanese.

Amache/Granada camp event program July 2, circa 1942 - 1945
Language of Material: Japanese.

Heart Mountain Co-Op circa 1942 - 1945
Language of Material: Japanese.

Heart Mountain camp event program November 3, 1943
Language of Material: Japanese.

Southern California Japanese Daily Stock July 23, 1937
Language of Material: Japanese.

Journal pages undated
Language of Material: Japanese.

Personal letters and postcards to Seijiro Ogawa written in English September 18, 1942 - July 11, 1945
Language of Material: English.
General
Includes letters from Emiko and Tatsuo Saito.

Postcard from Teruo Matsushima to Seijiro Ogawa February 3, 1945
Language of Material: Japanese.

Postcard from H. Hosaka to Seijiro Ogawa August 21, 1943
Language of Material: Japanese.

Postcard from possibly Kurako Saito to Seijiro Ogawa December 31, 1942
Language of Material: Japanese.
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Letters to Seijiro Ogawa from unknown August 25, 1943, January 9, circa 1942 - 1945 - August 24, circa 1942 - 1945
Language of Material: Japanese.

Letter from Kayoko Eawa to Seijiro Ogawa April 7, circa 1940 - 1960
Language of Material: Japanese.
General
Kayoko Eawa was the daughter of Seijiro Ogawa.

Letters from Kiku Saito to Seijiro Ogawa May 17, circa 1940 - 1960 - December 25, 1940 - 1960
Language of Material: Japanese.
General
Kiku Saito was Seijiro Ogawa's brother.

Letter from Katara Imai to Seijiro Ogawa January 8, 1943
Language of Material: Japanese.
General
Possibly a friend or acquaintance incarcerated at Heart Mountain.

Letters from Chichiro Kakuuchi to Seijiro Ogawa January 4, circa 1942 - 1945 - August 24, circa 1942 - 1945
Language of Material: Japanese.
General
Possibly a friend or acquaintance incarcerated at Heart Mountain.

Letter from Motoichi and Hideko Doke to Seijiro Ogawa circa 1942 - 1945
Language of Material: Japanese.
General
Possibly friends or acquaintances incarcerated at Heart Mountain.

Postcard and Letter from S.T. Handa to Seijiro Ogawa April 9, 1943, January 3, circa 1940 - 1960
Language of Material: Japanese.
General
Possibly a friend or acquaintance incarcerated at Heart Mountain.

Letter from Kazuma Takechi to Seijiro Ogawa March 25, circa 1942 - 1945
Language of Material: Japanese.
General
Possibly a friend or acquaintance incarcerated at Manzanar.

Language of Material: Japanese.
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Possibly a friend or acquaintance incarcerated at Rohwer Incarceration Camp.
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<td>Personal photographs circa 1937, August 1951, undated</td>
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<td>General includes photographs of Seijiro Ogawa and Kiku Saito’s sister, Mitsuko (Mitsu) Seki, an her son, Yoshiaki Seki, a photograph of Seijiro and his son, Kiyoshi Ogawa, a photograph of Tule Lake Incarceration Camp and more.</td>
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<td>Letters from Kayoko Ezawa to unknown November 7, circa 1940 - 1960, undated</td>
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<td>Otokichi Ogawa Family Registrations 1902, 1914</td>
<td>Japanese</td>
<td>General Otokichi Ogawa was the father of Yoshitaro Ogawa, Kuni Ogawa, Hama Mori, Mitsu Seki, Kimi/Kiyo Hayashi, Kiku Saito, Seijiro Ogawa and Haruo Mori.</td>
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<td>13</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>Copy of a letter to Tatsuho Saito from Minoru Frank Saito and a copy of Tatsuho Saito’s Stanford University medical card February 22, 1915, May 30, 1944</td>
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Tatsuo and Frances Saito Family Photographs January 27, 1934 - January 27, 1984

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes formal portraits of Tatsuo and Frances' wedding day, of their son, Ted Saito, as a baby, photographs of their family and polaroids of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Ted Akira Saito 1994

Physical Description: 2 folder
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
The Ted Akira Saito series comprises of a newspaper article about an art competition that Ted Saito entered into and Ted Saito's funeral program.

Los Angeles Herald Examiner article entitled "Barnsdall Festival Opens Burkhardt Wins Top Art Prize" undated

Language of Material: English.

Funeral Program July 31, 1994

Language of Material: English.

Nakao Nick Saito 1927-1966 1943-1966

Physical Description: 1 folder
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
The Nakao Nick Saito series only comprises of personal photographs.

Personal Photographs February 14, 1927 - November 1966

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes photographs of the baseball team that Nick Saito was a member of, which included "Nisei Onassis" Kay Sugihara, of him with his co-workers, photographs from his siblings, a wedding portrait from his niece and Tatsuo Saito's daughter, Judy Fukuhara and a holiday card with an included picture of Judy's eldest daughter, Lori Anne Yoshiko Serkland.


Physical Description: 1 folder
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
The Tomiko Aratani series only comprises of personal photographs.

Tom and Taka Aratani Family Photographs November 18, 1935 - March 13, 1993

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes photographs of Taka and Tomi, of their daughter, Faye Michiko Ogawa, as a child, of Faye's children and Taka and Tomi's grandchildren, Michael and Craig Ogawa, and of Tomi's funeral.
Emiko Katayama 1949-2003 1949-1951

**Physical Description:** 8 folder

**Language of Material:** English.

**Scope and Contents**

The Emiko Katayama series comprises of postcards and letters written to her from various family members, photographs, as well as her funeral announcement cards.

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<th>Box 13, Folder 8</th>
<th>Personal Letters written in English January 3, 1949, April 15, 1950</th>
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**Scope and Contents**

Includes letter from her sister-in-law, Kikuye Frances Saito (Tatsuo Saito's wife), and a letter from her uncle, Seijiro Ogawa.

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<th>Box 13, Folder 9</th>
<th>Letters from Kurako Saito to Emiko Katayama December 27, 1951, June 23, circa 1945 - 1960 - October 19, circa 1945 - 1960</th>
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**General**

Kurako (Kura) Saito was Emiko Katayama's aunt and the wife of Keijiro Saito, Tanjiro's Saito's brother.

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<th>Letters from Yoshie Takagi to Emiko Katayama circa 1945 - 1960</th>
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**General**

Yoshie Takagi was Emiko Katayama's cousin and the daughter of Keijiro and Kurako Saito.

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**General**

Kayoko (Kayo) Ezawa was Emiko Katayama's cousin and the daughter of her uncle Seijiro Ogawa, Kiku Saito's brother.

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**General**

Kiyoshi Ogawa was Emiko Katayama's cousin and the son of her uncle Seijiro Ogawa, Kiku Saito's brother.

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<th>Emi and John Katayama Family Photographs January 1, 1943 - 2000</th>
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Sueo Saito 1922-1953 1922-1945

**Physical Description:** 4 folder
**Language of Material:** English.

**Scope and Contents**
The Sueo Saito series comprises of his elementary, middle school and high school materials, mainly track and field sports career materials, and a personal letter, photographs and papers.

**box 13, folder 16**
36th Street School, James A. Foshay Junior High School and Manual Arts High School Materials June 30, 1922 - June 18, 1931

**Language of Material:** English.

**Scope and Contents**
Includes report cards, a writing compendium, certificates for improvement in writing, Sueo Saito's Foshay Junior High School and Manual Arts High School diplomas, the Foshay Junior High School grauating class panoramic picture, and a Manual Arts High School commencement program.

**box 13, folder 17**
Sports Career Materials 1924 - 1945

**Language of Material:** English.

**Scope and Contents**
Includes a copied yearbook photo of Sueo Saito that lists his high school sports career, newspaper articles, Rose Bowl football game tickets, a 1932 Olympic games swimming ticket, Boys' Day Out-of-Doors track and field certificates, Los Angeles City School District physical education certificates, photo copies of Sueo Satio's track and field medals, winter 1926 Jefferson High School yearbook pages, copied Manual Arts High School yearbook pages mainly about Sueo Saito's sports career from winter and summer 1929, winter and summer 1930, winter and summer 1931, winter and summer 1932, winter and summer 1933, "High School Sports History Los Angeles City" by Bruce McIntosh, Rick Obrand and Bill Peck, a brief biographical summary by James Saito, the "F" from the Foshay Junior High School letterman jacket, and trackmeet ribbons.

**box 13, folder 18**
Sueo and Toshi Saito Family Photographs November 22, 1936 - February 22, 1985

**Language of Material:** English.

**Scope and Contents**
Includes World War II era portraits of Sueo's friends as well as photographs of both Sueo and his wife, Toshi.

**box 13, folder 19**
Personal Letter and Others December 27, 1942 - 1953

**Language of Material:** English.

Fumiko Saito 1925-1988 1943-1946

**Physical Description:** 9 folder
**Language of Material:** English.

**Scope and Contents**
The Fumiko Saito series mainly comprises of her junior high school and high school materials, letters of recommendation, bank statements, redress papers, personal letters, directories and photographs, and Toquiwas club materials.

**box 13, folder 20**
James A. Foshay Junior High School and Manual Arts High School Materials 1925 - 1931

**Language of Material:** English.

**Scope and Contents**
Includes Foshay Junior High School commencement program, a penmanship certificate, Foshay Junior high School diploma and copies of a graduating class panoramic picture.
Letters of Recommendation May 29, 1945, June 7, 1945
Language of Material: English.

Request for Transportation of Property Papers June 4, 1945, June 6, 1945
Language of Material: English.

Bank Statements June 2, 1944 - May 21, 1946
Language of Material: English.

Redress Papers June 13, 1988
Language of Material: English.

Personal Photographs and Identification Cards May 1, 1944 - May 1993
Language of Material: English.

Personal Letters May 7, 1943 - December 12, 1954
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes letters from brothers Frank and Nakao (Nick) Saito, and a letter from Reverand G.M. Kubose concerning the care of Tanjiro Saito's ashes and citing that Sargent Ben Kuroki visited Heart Mountain on April 24, 1944. Many of the letters between Frank and Fumi Saito discuss Frank's experiences about entering into the army and preparing for war, such as when he wrote about arriving at Fort Logan in Denver, Colorado and Camp Shelby in Mississippi. Another letter includes two patches Frank received from the 34th Infantry Division.

Personal Directories 1969, undated
Language of Material: English.

Toquiwas Club Materials 1956 - 1986
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes a Last Hurrah II Nisei Week Festival program, play programs, and Toquiwas members addresses.

Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe 1933-1943 1933-1937
Physical Description: 3 folder
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
The Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe series comprises of her junior high school class photograph, Amache/Granada leave clearance forms, and personal photographs. Two of Dot's photo albums (Box 26 and Box 27) are part of the "Saito Family Photo Albums, Photogrpahs and Color Transparencies" series.

Amache/Granada Leave Clearance Forms May 5, 1943 - July 30, 1943
Language of Material: English.

Personal Photographs Winter 1933 - June 17, 1979
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes photographs of Dot Tanabe as an adolescent and an adult.
Letter to Sumi "Dorothy" Tanabe from Yae Ogawa 1980

Language of Material: English.
Biographical / Historical
Yae Ogawa was Dorothy's aunt and Seijiro Ogawa's wife.


Physical Description: 1 box
Physical Description: 0.42 Linear Feet
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
The Minoru Frank Saito series mainly includes elementary, junior high school and high school materials, track and field career materials, World War II-era documents and materials, veterans and veterans reunion materials, redress materials, personal letters and photographs, death certificate and funeral materials, and passports and identification cards.

36th Street School, James A. Foshay Junior High School and John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Materials January 28, 1927 - January 24, 1938

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes report cards, achievement certificates, junior high school and high school diplomas, The Poly High 1936 literary publication, and more.

Sports Career Materials 1936 - 1940

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes photographs of Frank Saito doing the hurdles and high jump while at Poly High School, photographs of possibly the Poly High track and field varsity team, the "P" from the Poly High letterman sweater, newspaper articles, a list of converted times and records, photographs of the Los Angeles Shamrocks track and field team, the YMCA Olympics May 26, 1940 program, letters written by brother James Saito about Frank and Sueo Saito's brief track career, photocopies of Frank Saito's track and field medals, and printed copies of Frank Saito's sports achievements from the summer 1936, summer 1937 and summer 1938 high school yearbooks.

Civil Service Exam Results May 1941, June 12, 1941

Language of Material: English.

World War II Era Documents June 12, 1941 - January 28, 1948

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes letter carrier certification instructions and carrier examination results, a letter to Kiku Saito from Colonel of the 442nd Infantry, C.W. Pence, an application for dependency benefits concerning Kiku and Joyce Saito, honorable discharge papers, an application for servicemen's readjustment allowance, and more.

Department of the Interior War Relocation Authority (WRA) publication entitled, "Nisei in Uniform" 1943

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes a photo in publication of Frank Saito preparing to fire heavy mortar.

Wedding Invitation to Joan Ann Kodama and Robert Y. Miyamoto's Wedding August 5, 1945

Language of Material: English.
box 14, folder 7

76 Union Subsurface Oil and Gas Lease February 1, 1957
Language of Material: English.

box 14, folder 8

Hughes Market and Japan Food Corporation papers February 25, 1967 - December 15, 1971
Language of Material: English.

box 14, folder 9

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents

box 14, folder 10

Nisei Veterans Honolulu Reunion Materials June 27 1967 - July 2, 1967
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes reunion photographs, copies of veterans reunion article from The Hawaii Hochi newspaper, and a letter from Wally (unknown last name) to Frank Saito.

box 14, folder 11

The 442nd Memorial Service 40th Anniversary Materials March 27, 1983
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes program, group photograph, and map of Waikiki.

box 14, folder 12

H-Company 442nd Veterans Materials 1988 - 1995
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents

box 14, folder 13

Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes a program and a group photograph.

box 14, folder 14

50th Golden Anniversary 442nd Reunion Materials March 23, 1993
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes "Fable Facts of the 442nd RCT" booklet, a program, a copy of the order form and receipt for reunion special booklet and video package, a banquet program, bus schedule and services, 442nd 50th Anniversary directory, a list of chapter coordinators, a folder, photographs and a letter to Frank Saito from Mike and June T.

box 14, folder 15

Go For Broke Materials February 1, 1961, undated
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes a Go For Broke exhibit dedication ceremony brochure and invitation at the Presidio Army Museum, Go For Broke membership certificate and a newsletter.
box 14, folder 16  Camp Shelby, Mississippi Booklet circa 1941 - 1945  
Language of Material: English.

box 14, folder 17  100th and 442nd Veterans Association: Camp Shelby Monument Museum Project 
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes letters to Frank Saito from the 100th and 442nd Veterans Association, a Camp 
Shelby monument dedication program and registration form.

box 14, folder 18  100th and 442nd Newsletters January 1996, March 1996  
Language of Material: English.

box 14, folder 19  Redress Materials June 15, 1988 - September 16, 2005  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Includes a letter from the National Archives, letters from the late Senator Daniel K. 
Inouye, a redress application and instructions, copies of Frank Saito's birth certificate, 
and a short note written by James Saito.

box 14, folder 20  Personal Letters May 30, 1944 - October 3, 1976  
Language of Material: English.

box 14, folder 21  Lawyer, Insurance and Social Security Documents August 12, 1987, July 11, 1990, 
undated  
Language of Material: English.

box 14, folder 22  Passports and Personal Identification Cards November 17, 1938 - November 30 , 
1981  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Contains personal information.

box 14, folder 23  Personal Photographs and Copies of Personal Photographs circa 1938 - 1996  
Language of Material: English.

box 14, folder 24  Funeral Materials January 11, 1996 - July 18, 2002  
Language of Material: English.  
Scope and Contents  
Contains private information. Includes Senshin Buddhist Temple memorial services card, 
documents concerning Frank Saito's Buddhist name, an envelope with Frank Saito's lock 
of hair, funeral programs, obituaries in the Rafu Shimpo and Los Angeles Times, a floral 
record, guest registers, estate execution forms, Fukui Mortuary social security benfits, 
and death certificate.

Minoru Saito's Name in the Museum Pavilion December 12, 1997  
Language of Material: English.
Joyce Teruko Mori 1942-1971

Physical Description: 3 folder
Language of Material: English.

Scope and Contents
The Joyce Teruko Mori series comprises of letters from her sister Emiko and from relatives from her mother's side of the family and a wedding announcement card.

box 13, folder 32

Personal Letters written in English September 26, 1942 - September 10, 1951
Language of Material: English.

Scope and Contents
Includes letters from her sister, Emiko, from her cousin, Yoshiaki Seki, and from her uncle, Seijiro Ogawa.

box 13, folder 33

Letter from Hamako Mori and Postcard from Hisamasu Mori to Joyce Teruko Saito June 11, 1951, June 16, 1951
Language of Material: Japanese.

General
Hamako (Hama) Mori was Joyce Mori's aunt, Kiku Saito's sister and grandmother to Hisamasu(?). Mori.

box 14, folder 34

Joyce Teru Saito and Egbert Yoshihiko Mori Wedding Announcement December 27, 1971
Language of Material: English.

Yearbooks and School Publications 1923 - 1943
Physical Description: 6 boxes
Physical Description: 2.5 Linear Feet
Language of Material: English.

Scope and Contents

box 15, folder 1

Fumiko Saito "Book of Verse" James A. Foshay Junior High School Booklet of Anthology June 1930
Language of Material: English.

box 15, folder 2

Fumiko Saito "Foshay Facts" James A. Foshay Junior High School Class A9 Publication Winter 1931
Language of Material: English.

box 15, folder 3

"The Life of Manual Arts High School" Publication 1925
Language of Material: English.

box 15, folder 4

"Manual Arts High School Daily" Newspaper February 2, 1934
Language of Material: English.
box 15, folder 5  Minoru Frank Saito "The Poly High" John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Booklet of Anthology 1936
Language of Material: English.

Language of Material: English.

box 15, folder 7  "The Music Hour: Fourth Book" by Osbourne McConathy, W. Otto Miessner, Edward Bailey Birge and Mabel E. Bray 1937
Language of Material: English.
Biographical / Historical
This book was at one point property of the Amache School.

box 15, folder 8  Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe "Foshay Facts" James A. Foshay Junior High School Yearbook Winter 1933
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes the yearbook, copies of some of the yearbook pages and Dot Tanabe's class photograph.

box 15, folder 9  James Saito "Foshay Facts" James A. Foshay Junior High School Yearbook Winter 1936
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes yearbook and copies some of the yearbook pages.

box 15, folder 10  James Saito "Foshay Facts" James A. Foshay Junior High School Copied Yearbook Pages Summer 1936
Language of Material: English.

box 15, folder 11  James Saito "Foshay Facts" James A. Foshay Junior High School Yearbook Winter 1937
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes yearbook and copies some of the yearbook pages.

box 15, folder 11  James Saito "Foshay Facts" James A. Foshay Junior High School Yearbook Summer 1937
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes yearbook and copies some of the yearbook pages.

box 15, folder 12  James A. Foshay Junior High School Copied Yearbook Pages Winter 1938
Language of Material: English.

box 15, folder 13  James A. Foshay Junior High School Copied Yearbook Pages Summer 1938
Language of Material: English.

box 15, folder 14  James A. Foshay Junior High School Copied Yearbook Pages Winter 1939
Language of Material: English.

box 15, folder 15  James A. Foshay Junior High School "Cavalcade" Copied Yearbook Pages 1940
Language of Material: English.
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box 15, folder 16  James A. Foshay Junior High School Copied Yearbook Pages Summer 1941
Language of Material: English.

box 16, folder 1  Nakao Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Winter 1923
Language of Material: English.

box 16, folder 2  Nakao Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Summer 1923
Language of Material: English.

box 16, folder 3  Nakao Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Winter 1924
Language of Material: English.

box 16, folder 4  Nakao Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Summer 1924
Language of Material: English.

box 16, folder 6  Nakao Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Winter 1925
Language of Material: English.

box 16, folder 7  Nakao Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Summer 1925
Language of Material: English.

box 17, folder 1  Nakao Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Winter 1926
Language of Material: English.

box 17, folder 2  Nakao Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Summer 1926
Language of Material: English.

box 17, folder 3  Sueo Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Winter 1929
Language of Material: English.

box 17, folder 4  Sueo Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Summer 1929
Language of Material: English.

box 17, folder 5  Sueo Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Winter 1930
Language of Material: English.

box 18, folder 1  Sueo Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Summer 1930
Language of Material: English.

box 18, folder 2  Sueo Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Winter 1931
Language of Material: English.

box 18, folder 3  Sueo Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Summer 1931
Language of Material: English.

box 18, folder 4  Fumiko Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Summer 1931
Language of Material: English.

box 18, folder 5  Fumiko Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Winter 1932
Language of Material: English.

box 19, folder 1  Fumiko Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Summer 1932
Language of Material: English.
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   Language of Material: English.

Fumiko Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Summer 1933
   Language of Material: English.

Fumiko Saito "The Artisan" Manual Arts High School Yearbook Winter 1934
   Language of Material: English.

Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe "Blue and White" Semi-Annual Los Angeles High School Yearbook 1933
   Language of Material: English.

Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe "The Polytechnic Student" John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Yearbook 1935
   Language of Material: English.

Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe "The Polytechnic Student" John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Yearbook 1936
   Language of Material: English.

Minoru Frank Saito "The Polytechnic Student" John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Yearbook 1936
   Language of Material: English.

Minoru Frank Saito "The Polytechnic Student" John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Yearbook 1937
   Language of Material: English.

Minoru Frank Saito "The Polytechnic Student" John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Yearbook 1938
   Language of Material: English.

James Saito John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Copied Yearbook Pages 1939
   Language of Material: English.

James Saito John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Copied Yearbook Pages 1940
   Language of Material: English.

John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Copied Yearbook Pages 1941
   Language of Material: English.

John H. Francis Polytechnic High School Copied Yearbook Pages Winter 1942
   Language of Material: English.

John H. Francis Polytechnic High School "Pegasans" Copied Yearbook Pages Summer 1942
   Language of Material: English.

Minoru Frank Saito "The Album" 442nd Combat Team Yearbook 1943
   Language of Material: English.

Copies of Class Photograph circa 1930 - 1940
   Language of Material: English.
Copied Pages From Unknown Yearbook undated
Language of Material: English.

Saito Family Photo Albums, Photographs, Color Transparencies and Panoramas circa 1890-1995 1931-1936
Physical Description: 8 boxes
Physical Description: 9.46 Linear Feet
Scope and Contents
Series seventeen comprises of loose Saito family photographs, color transparencies of mainly the Saito family, a CD containing digital copies of family photographs, an empty engraved photo album, a small photo album containing mainly photographs of Tanjiro Saito’s trip to Japan, a yellow photo album containing photographs of Tanjiro and Kiku’s children, the Saito and Ogawa relatives living in Japan, and possibly Tanjiro's friends or business partners, and two photo albums that belonged to Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe.

Saito Family Photographs (1/2) circa 1937 - 1939
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes photographs of family outings and gatherings, birthday parties, Tatsuo Saito's Shell service station, Frank Saito's track and field photographs and more.

Saito Family Photographs (2/2) January 5, 1905 - September 18, 1994
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes early twentieth century photographs of Tanjiro Saito and his parents Minekichi (father) and Naka (mother) Saito, his family and friends when they lived in San Francisco, photographs of his trip to Japan, and of Tanjiro and Kiku’s children when they were young. This folder also includes post-war photographs of the family and especially of the ten siblings as they age over the decades as well as photographs of Steven Saito's (Jim Saito's youngest son) wedding. Photographs are in chronological order.

Saito Family Color Transparencies June 1963 - July 1963
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
These color transparencies include images of Kiku Saito and her five daughters celebrating her birthday and mother's day, of family trips to Knott's Berry Farm and the Wax Museum, of Sueo Saito's baseball team and team dinner, of Eric Saito with his brothers (Brian and Steven) mother (Kathy) and father (Jim Saito) at his graduation from Loyola High School in Los Angeles, of Tatsuo and Frances Saito at a dinner, of Ted Saito's (Tatsuo and Frances' son) ceramics collection, of Emi Katayama at a wedding and at another event, and more.

Saito Family Photographs on CD circa 1900 - 1934
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes photographs from the trip to Japan and family photo albums as well as Tatsuo and Kikuye Frances Saito's wedding photographs.
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box 22, folder 4  Saito Family Get-Together Photographs June 1995
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes photographs from a family reunion, which included Emi Katayama, Dorothy Tanabe, Terry Mori, Fumi Saito, Sueo Saito, Frank Saito, Jim and Kathy Saito and their sons, Eric, Brian and Steven Saito, and their families.

box 23  Saito and Ogawa Family Yellow Photo Album circa 1890 - 1931
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes photographs of Tanjiro and Kiku Saito's children, Tanjiro's family, Kiku's family and possibly family friends.

box 24  Saito Family Get-Together Engraved Photo Album June 1995
Language of Material: English.
General
All photographs that were in this photo album are now in box 22, folder 4.

box 25  Tanjiro Saito Small Photo Album of Trip to Japan 1936
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes photographs of Tanjiro, Kiku, Tatsuo and Kikuye Frances (Tatsuo's wife), Ted Akira (Ted and Frances' son), Nakao, Tomi and Taka Aratani, Faye Michiko (Tomi and Taka's daughter), Emi, Sueo, Fumi, Sumi, Minoru, James and Joyce. Also includes photographs of Tanjiro’s brothers: Genjiro and Keijiro Saito, Chozo Ogawa and Suekichi Futagawa.

box 26  Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe Brown Photo Album (1/2) 1933 - circa 1970 1933 - 1945
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes mainly pre-World War II and World War II era photographs of Dot, signed photographs of her friends, photographs of Dorothy hanging out with her friends, graduation photographs, a newspaper article entitled "Hawaiian Boxer Named Captain of Badger Team", photographs of her sisters, Tomi, Terry and Emi, and her mother Kiku, of her travels, of when she and her family were incarcerated at Amache/Granada, of her brothers Frank and Jim while they were in the army, of her nephew Eric Saito with a young woman taken sometime during the 1970's, and a drawing possibly of Dorothy on a piece of cloth.

box 27  Sumiko Dorothy Tanabe Green Photo Album (2/2) 1946 - 1951
Language of Material: English.
Scope and Contents
Includes post-war photographs of Dorothy herself, her travels, friends, possibly her former husband, of Terry, Tomi and her family, Emi and her husband John, her niece/Tatsuo's daughter Judy, Fumi, Kiku, Jim, Frank, and Christmas cards.

box 29, folder 1  James Saito Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) Panoramas March 19, 1957 - July 27, 1979
Scope and Contents
Includes panoramas from the meter reading, water construction, and landscape and maintenance units. Jim Saito can be found in the meter reading unit panoramas.

box 29, folder 2  Nakao Saito Manual Arts High School Summer Class, 1926 Panorama Summer 1926

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<td>Japan American Society and Artland Club Grand Coronation Ball Panorama December 7, 1928&lt;br&gt;<strong>General</strong>&lt;br&gt;Panorama includes Tomi Aratani in the front row and possibly Emi Katayama towards the very back of the room.</td>
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