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**INTERNATIONAL FORGIVENESS DAY FESTIVAL**

Remembering Hiroshima  
and bringing the gift of forgiveness to Hawai'i

**WHAT:** International Forgiveness Day Festival

**WHEN:** Sunday, August 3, 2003 1 - 4:30 p.m.

**WHERE:** Keoni Room, Hawai'i Imin International Conference Center, East-West Center (University of Hawai'i Campus), 1777 East-West Road

**DETAILS:**

Eth-Noh-Tec, an acclaimed storytelling ensemble, performs "Takashi's Dream," a 35-minute drama on the life of Hiroshima survivor, Takashi Tanemori, founder of the Silkworm Peace Institute in Lafayette, California.

Experience Tanemori's change of heart as he lets go of his feelings of revenge and turns to forgiveness. Tanemori, 65, will be appearing at the festival to share his life story.

Local comedian Frank DeLima will explore the benefits of forgiveness through his School Enrichment Project. Music, crafts, displays, mural creations, entertainers and artists also will promote forgiveness.

Free Parking on the UH Campus. Call 587-5712 for more information.

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**FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**