

THE UCLA ASIAN AMERICAN STUDIES CENTER, THE BUDDHIST CHURCH OF SACRAMENTO AND  
THE EJI SUYAMA, 100TH BATTALION/442ND DRAFTEES, NO-NOS, DRAFT RESISTERS, AND  
RENUNCIANTS ARCHIVAL COLLECTION ENDOWMENT  
PRESENT



# TULE LAKE

## AMERICA'S WORST CONCENTRATION CAMP

**Saturday, September 14, 2019**

**1:00 - 3:30 PM**

**BUDDHIST CHURCH OF SACRAMENTO**

**2401 Riverside Blvd, Sacramento, CA 95818**

**FEATURING**

**ROGER DANIELS AND BARBARA TAKEI**

**WITH SUYAMA PROJECT COORDINATORS  
KAREN UMEMOTO, MARTHA NAKAGAWA  
AND TOM NGUYEN**

**Event is free and open to the public.**

**For questions or more info, contact Barbara Takei  
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Of the ten large War Relocation Authority facilities to hold Nikkei during WW II, the one called Tule Lake became America's worst concentration camp. Barbara Takei and Roger Daniels are writing a book to explain why they believe this was the case. They will also reveal and discuss how, in the postwar decades, Tuleans were often scapegoated by Nikkei from other camps and by the Japanese American Citizens League. Additionally, this event will share the importance of the UCLA Asian American Studies Center's Suyama Project, which aims to preserve the history of Japanese American resistance during World War II, including, but not limited to the 100th/442nd Regimental Combat Team draftees, Army and draft resisters, No-Nos, renunciants, and other Nikkei dissidents of World War II. Visit the Suyama Project website today at <http://suyamaproject.org>.

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*[Image above is of the stockade jail, built in early 1945 and used to imprison renunciants before sending them to DOJ incarceration camps in Sante Fe, NM and Bismarck, ND. Photo taken by Don Tateishi, Caltrans, 1988.]*