

NCRR LUAU

A CELEBRATION AND BENEFIT

VICTORY IN '87

WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE !



October 3, 1987

Venice Japanese Community Center

NATIONAL COALITION FOR REDRESS/REPARATIONS

The National Coalition for Redress/Reparations (NCRR) is a grassroots organization that was founded in 1980. With chapters in various cities, NCRR has been active in the campaign for redress in seeking to gain justice for Japanese Americans who were incarcerated during World War II. NCRR recently organized a 120 member lobbying delegation that visited Washington D.C. to seek support for passage of H.R. 442. Future plans include mobilizing community support for Presidential approval of redress legislation and organizing a major "Day of Remembrance" event in February, 1988, to commemorate the anniversary of the signing of Executive Order 9066 by President Roosevelt.

NCRR is an entirely volunteer organization that depends upon the active support of the community for its success. General meetings are held once a month and interested individuals are welcome to attend. For further information, contact:

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*Proceeds from tonight's event will be used to support the continuing community outreach, education, and advocacy work of NCRR in seeking to gain approval and implementation of meaningful redress legislation.

VICTORY IN '87 - WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!**PROGRAM****EMCEE: ROBERT ITO**

- Welcome*.....
Alan Nishio, NCRR Co-Chairperson
- Toast to Victory in '87*.....
May Love, NCRR Co-Chairperson
Bert Nakano, NCRR National Spokesperson
- Introduction*.....
Robert Ito, Emcee
- Hawaiian Wedding Song, I'll Remember You, Ka Makani Ka'ili Aloha*.....
Will Ha'o, Actor / Singer
- Tsuma Koi Dochu, Family*.....
Merv Maruyama, Singer
- "Nisei Day", an excerpt from Coming Into Passion/Song for a Sansei*.....
Jude Narita, Actress/Playwright
- The Manzanar Song, St. Louis Blues*.....
Mary Normura, The Songbird of Manzanar
- Sentimental Journey, Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy, Apple Blossom Time*.....
Nancy Arnold, Musician/Singer
Haruye Ioka, Singer/Actress
Deb Nishimura, Singer/Dancer
- Hawaiian Humor*.....
Charlie Laborte, Comedian
- "Karate and Bamboo" an excerpt from Coming Into Passion/Song for a Sansei*.....
Jude Narita
- Gaman, Many Roads*.....
Nobuko Miyamoto, Singer/Composer
- Aknowledgements*.....
Miya Iwataki, NCRR Legislative Chair
- Kinanara Taiko!*

*Musical Accompaniment for Mary Nomura by Dave Iwataki. All other musical accompaniment provided by Scott Nagatani and band.

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