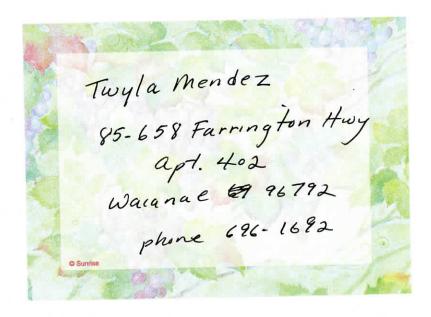


KALIHI-PALAMA CULTURE & ARTS SOCIETY INC.

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Ms. Twyla Mendez 85-658 Farrington Highway, Apt. 402 Waianae, Hawaii 96792

Dear Twyla:

The Kalihi-Palama Culture & Arts Society, Inc. would like to extend our heartfelt sympathy for the loss of your mother and would like to apologize for the delays in "Nana I Na Loea Hula" documentation project which she so graciously participated in. Due to budgetary cuts, KPC&A's staff was reduced and consequently, the completion of the documentation portion will be delayed. Following the completion of this phase, KPC&A plans to publish the narratives of approximately fifty hula resources in "Nana I Na Loea Hula" Volume II.

I have enclosed a sample photograph taken of you and your mother. We are grateful for this opportunity to share her story with the hula community.

We appreciate your patience and your continued support of this cultural project. Mahalo nui loa.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 521-6905.

Sincerely,

Jan M. Itagaki Executive Director

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