Thursday, June 27, 2019

Dear Phoenix of Hiroshima,

It is with sadness that I learned that you must stay behind in the Mokolumne River while I sail off to Hawai‘i, the Marshall Islands and Japan!

Thank you for taking the baton and representing us both in 1958. What a glorious adventure for peace and elimination of nuclear testing!

With honor, I take the baton and a part of you to represent us both now. Our Peace in the Pacific voyage will help people resist nuclear madness and militarism in the Pacific! We will reach out to veterans, people of faith, native peoples, students of all ages, and everyone who wants peace and nuclear abolition!

Thank you for making it possible for us to sail on this historic voyage, with money that would have been used for your restoration had that been possible. And thank you for the emotional support. You help keep the wind in my sails!

I, too, hope that we meet again to sail for peace!

From the Bottom of my Keel to the Top of My Masts,

I Remain,

Golden Rule
Somewhere in the Pacific Ocean