

Stonewalk Japan

Mission Statement

The Memorial Stone honoring all people throughout the world who have suffered as a result of war will be pulled on a specially made caisson along the roads through the towns and cities in the five prefectures from Nagasaki to Hiroshima, Japan

Goals

To honor all victims of armed conflict, especially the victims of the atomic bombings in Nagasaki and Hiroshima during the 60th anniversary.

To create a non-political model that educates the public about civilian casualties and the true cost of war.

To serve as a historic milestone as it passes through towns by bringing people together to remember, lament and seek reconciliation as a commitment to peace.

To seek atonement and forgiveness for the suffering of all victims and family members not only in Japan but in all countries in Asia and the world.

To permanently place the Memorial Stone in Hiroshima engraved with the message in both Kanji and English.

Support Stonewalk

We are depending on your support.

Enclosed is my tax-deductible contribution
__\$25__\$50__\$100__\$200__other

Please send to: Stonewalk
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2 N. Main Street
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STONEWALK CALENDAR & ROUTE

Nagasaki Prefecture

July 2 Sat. Nagasaki to Higashi Nagasaki (Sakaimachi.Aba) 16km

July 3 Sun. Higashi Nagasaki to Isahaya (Via Tarami) 17km

July 4 Mon. Isahaya to Matsubara 20km

July 5 Tue. Matsubara to Ureshino-town 22km

Saga Prefecture

July 6 Wed. Ureshino-town to Takeo 18km

July 7 Thurs. Takeo-Taku-City 19km

July 8 Fri. Taku-City via Ogi to Ushitsu-town 17km

July 9 Sat. Ushitsu-town to Kanzaki-town 18km

July 10 Sun. Kanzaki-town to Tosu-city 18km

Fukuoka Prefecture

July 11 Mon. Tosu-city via Haruda to Chikushino-city
Hatsukaichi 19km

July 12 Tues. Hatsukaichi to Kasuga city 14km

July 13 Wed. Kasuga city to Fukuhiro 14km

July 14 Thur. Fukuhiro to Hisayama-town Hisahara 17km

July 15 Fri. Hisahara Nipponzan temple to Fukutsu-city
Fukuma 20km

July 16 Sat. Fukuma to Okagaki-town to Ebitsu station 19km

July 17 Sun. Okagaki-town to Ebitsu to Hachiman
Kuro-dai-park 17km

July 18 Mon. Hachiman Kurodai-park to Sunatsu 17km

July 19 Tue. Kokura (Sunatsu) to Monshi port (boat) to
Shimonoseki 17k

Yamaguchi Prefecture

July 20 Wed. Rest Day

July 21 Thurs. Karato (Shimonoseki-city) Ozuki 17km

July 22 Fri. Ozuki to Asa Sanyou-town 19km

July 23 Sat. Asa to Shinoki (Onoda-city) 18km

July 24 Sun. Shinoki to Tokiwa (Ube city) 18km

July 25 Mon. Tokiwa Park to____ 19km

July 26 Tue. ____to Kosaba (Yamaguchi City) 18km

July 27 Wed. Kosaba to Boufu-city 19km

July 28 Thur. Boufu city to Tokuyama

July 29 Fri. Tokuyama (Syunan-city) to Takamizu 19km

July 30 Sat. Takamizu to Kuga 16km

July 31 Sun. Kuga to Iwakuni city 20km

Hiroshima Prefecture

August 1 Mon. Iwakuni city to Ohtake city 12km

August 2 Tue. Ohtake city to Ashinadai 18km

August 3 Wed. Hiroshima City Koi 15km

August 4 Thurs. Koi (Hiroshima West) to
Central Hiroshima 12km

The Peace Abbey and September 11th Families for Peaceful Tomorrows are the two organizations leading STONEWALK JAPAN, the fifth global walk honoring all civilians killed in war. It will begin in Nagasaki July 2nd and finish August 4th in Hiroshima where the Memorial Stone will be placed permanently. Members of the Stonewalk team will be joined by Japanese people in pulling the Memorial Stone 340 miles along the roads remembering on this 60th anniversary the thousands of people killed by the atomic bombs in 1945. The Hibakusha, survivors of the bombings, will help to prepare for the event, participate in walking with the stone, and join in the opening and closing ceremonies.

September 11th Families for Peaceful Tomorrows is an organization founded by family members of those killed on September 11th who have united to turn their grief into action for peace. The group, which now has more than 170 members, has made contact with other civilian victims of terrorism and war throughout the world. Their mission is to promote dialogue on alternatives to war, to educate the public on issues of peace and the root causes of war and terrorism, and to work to create a safer and more peaceful world for everyone.

The Life Experience School at Strawberry Fields has been a not for profit organization since 1972. The school offers a small alternative program for individuals with special life challenges. The Peace Abbey was developed under the fiscal sponsorship of the school and was created following Mother Teresa's visit in 1988 and traces its roots to the Day of Prayer for World Peace which took place in Assisi, Italy during the United Nations International Year of Peace, October 27, 1986. The Peace Abbey offers innovative models for society that empower individuals on the path to nonviolence, peacemaking, and cruelty free living.



STONEWALK JAPAN

NAGASAKI-
HIROSHIMA



*Senso de gisei to natta
mumei no shimin*

Please support us as we pull
The Memorial Stone to remember
and atone for the suffering of the
Japanese people resulting from
The atomic bombings in 1945

July 2 to August 4, 2005

"In an instant it was like hell"
Midori Hibakusha

No More Hibakusha



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