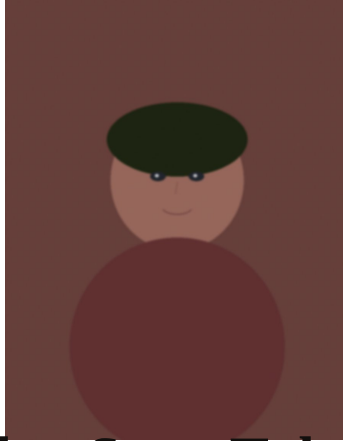




Gordon Scott Takemoto

July 22, 1954 - September 9, 2026

Amarillo, Texas

Family and neighbors in Amarillo mark the death of Gordon Scott Takemoto on September 9, 2026. He was 72. Born in Amarillo on July 22, 1954; Japanese-American cooking and payday thrift set the tone of the house. From the start, he treated promises like tools: keep them sharp, do not lend them lightly.

He took in costumes and let out kindness in the same fitting. A costume thimble dented from years never left his tray. Colleagues still mention a costume thimble dented from years.

He and Diane married in 1981 and raised a son and a daughter without needing an audience. After Diane's death in 2019, he held to quiet habits-coffee before dawn, a tended yard, a voice on the phone that still checked in.

Neighbors remember a rake leaned against a shared fence after a storm. Mornings were his favorite shift at home. He died in Amarillo, on streets that already knew his pace. The porch still expects a returning step.

Services

A quiet remembrance in Amarillo. Those who wish may give to a neighborhood library, food pantry, or workers' aid fund instead of flowers.

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