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## JUBILEE WISDOM

*No matter what ministry  
God gives us, God is always  
leading us to grow...*

**- Mary Benedette Fujimori  
SSND**

## Sister Maris Stella Morimoto, SSND

60 Years

*Sister Maris Stella served as an excellent English teacher and vice principal for more than 30 years at Notre Dame Girls High School (now Notre Dame Jogakuin Junior and Senior High School) in Kyoto. She took wonderful care of the students and also of the teachers. She also worked at Notre Dame Women's College (now Kyoto Notre Dame University) as a secretary for a short time. Following her ministry in education, she worked at the Carmelite convent reception desk. In retirement, she is a member of the SSND Iwakura Community in Kyoto where she continues to serve in prayer and presence. Sister Maris Stella is a graduate of Sacred Heart College (now Sacred Heart University) in Tokyo, where she studied English.*

### A blessing of these years I want to share is ...

Countless students and teachers have blessed me with their love of learning, their search for goodness and truth, and their tireless dedication. The experience of learning and then teaching a second language has broadened and deepened my own journey with a glimpse into the oneness that was the mission of Jesus.

数え切れないほどの恵みを生徒や先生達から頂きました。彼女らは喜びを持って学び 善を求め 真理について探し求め 奉仕の精神を培いました。私にとって第二語学を学ぶ事と教える事は大きな経験と恵みでした。語学を通して互いに学び理解し合う事でイエスの言われた一つにすると言うお言葉を実感するようになりました。

### The wisdom I would like to share is ...

No matter what ministry God gives us, God is always leading us to grow, to experience more fully all that God has in mind for each of us. God connects with each of us in such a loving, personal and unique way.

どんな使徒職であっても神は何時も我々を導き成長させて下さいます。そして神の御旨をもっと深く知る様に示して導いて下さいます。



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