

About the Davis Chinese Association

The Davis Chinese Association (DCA) was created in 1965, with new faculty and staff coming to UC Davis from all over the US and abroad. The DCA became a warm and friendly group; where many could share cultures and talk in their native languages. Rosie was one of the founding members of the DCA. She brought energy and enthusiasm through her leadership, helping organize events, field trips and the ladies' luncheon group for decades.

She was the first Scholarship Committee chair, encouraging many members to join and carry on the program to this day. Rosie wanted a lasting legacy for DCA, and spearheaded efforts to create and sustain a scholarship endowment fund so DCA could offer annual scholarships to outstanding graduating Davis Senior High School Students. These scholarships honor and award graduating seniors of Chinese descent who have demonstrated academic excellence and distinguished themselves in school and community activities.

If you'd like to support the Davis Chinese Association in their scholarship program and community events, please contact Frances Leung at: 530-613-2277 or Davis.Chinese.Association@gmail.com

Please send donations via:

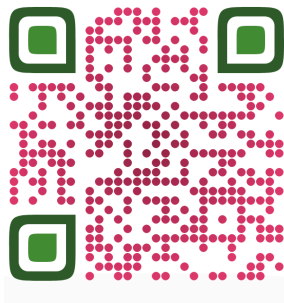
Venmo: @DavisChinese-Association

Checks: payable to "Davis Chinese Association"

Mail: 1100 Radcliffe Drive, Davis, CA 95616

Please include the memo: Rosie Soohoo Scholarship

Scan to read more about Rosie:



<https://everloved.com/life-of/rosie-soohoo/obituary/>

In Loving Memory



Rosie M. Soohoo
June 18, 1937 - March 8, 2025

Davis Cemetery District & Arboretum
Saturday April 5, 2025

Burial Program

11:00 am Pallbearers Procession to “The Saints” (10min)

11:10 am “Moon River”, Bendik Kleveland (5min)

11:15 am Opening, Rev. Christine Haider-Winett (15min)

11:30 am Eulogy, Roland Soohoo (15min)

11:45 am Speech, Reina Lam (5min)

11:50 am “Farewell Song”, Singing Group Friends (5min)

11:55 am Closing, Rev. Christine Haider-Winett (5min)

12:00 pm Open Mic for Anecdotes (15min)

12:15 pm Speech, Kit Lam (5min)

12:20 pm Speech, Bonnie Lam (10min)

12:30 pm Paying last respects (20min)

12:50 pm Leave for reception (10min)

1:00-3:30 pm All guests are welcome to the reception at:

Lam Family Home
1524 Arena Drive, Davis, CA 95618

Please allow for the elderly to park closest to the house.
For ADA Access,
call 415-244-6969 to use the garage elevator.

Farewell Song 送別

長亭外，古道邊，芳草碧連天，晚風拂柳笛聲殘，夕陽山外山。
Chángtíng wài, gūdào biān, fāng cǎo bì lián tiān, wǎn fēng fú liǔ
dī shēng cán, xiáng shān wàishān.

天之涯，地之角，知交半零落，一瓢濁酒盡餘歡，今宵別夢寒。
Tiān zhī yá, dì zhī jiǎo, zhījiāo bàn língluò, yī piáo zhuó jiǔ jīn yú
huān, jīnxiāo bié mèng hán.

留光逝，留無計，今日卻分離，驪歌一曲送別離，相顧却依依。
Liú guāng shì, liú wú jì, jīn rì què fēn lí, lí gē yì qū sòng bié lí,
xiāng gù què yī yī

聚雖好，別雖悲，世事堪玩味，來日後會相預期，去去莫遲疑。
Jù suí hǎo, bié suí bēi, shìshì kān wánwèi, lái rì hòu huì xiāng yùqī,
qù qù mò chíyí.

Translation:

Outside the long pavilion, along the ancient road, the grass is green and endless. As the evening breeze caressed the willows to the lingering sound of a flute, the glow of the sun sets slowly upon the mountains and beyond.

From the ends of the sky to the corners of the earth, my friends have all but scattered. For them I drink a cup of cloudy wine and savor my remaining joy, so that tonight I shall not dream of the cold.

Time passes, there is no way to stay, today we are separated, a farewell song is sung, but we are reluctant to part.

Although it is nice to be together and sad to part, today we are indeed separated. We will meet again in the future, so do not hesitate to leave.