

Pearl Memorial

Engraved Memorials — Packages & Pricing

Cross Boundaries Through Resonance

To exist. To act. To eternity.

Your story matters.

A Japanese family in Maui helps Japanese-Americans return ashes to ancestral graves, reconnect with their roots, and preserve memories across the Pacific — born from their own journey of loss and healing after their beloved dog Pearl.

Laser-engraved keepsakes to preserve your memories.

Standing at the Boundary?

You're not alone. We've been there too.

A **Boundarist** is someone standing at the boundary — someone who has experienced the moment when systems stop working as they "should."

Whether you're outside the system or seeing its limits from within.

| If you're... | The message for you |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Outside (system failed you) | "It's okay to exist." |
| Inside (seeing limits, wanting to act) | "You can act on your own judgment." |
| Everyone | "Your story matters." |

The 7 Systems We Depend On

Standing at the boundary = when these systems shake:

| System | What we depend on | When it shakes |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Survival | Body, housing, energy | Illness, homelessness, power outage |
| Social | Family, partner, community | Bereavement, divorce, isolation |
| Economic | Income, assets, credit | Job loss, bankruptcy, layoffs |
| Institutional | Nationality, visa, qualifications | Entry denied, license revoked |
| Information | Communication, access | No signal, censorship |
| Inner | Identity, meaning, spirit | "Who am I?", burnout |
| Temporal | Life stage, generation | Feeling outdated, generation gap |

Timeless Eternal Hope — Four Pillars

Pearl Memorial is part of **Timeless Eternal Hope**, built on four pillars:

| Pillar | What it means | How we do it |
|--|---------------------------|---|
|  Carry | Soul Carrier | We carry souls home |
|  Inscribe | Proof of existence | Laser engraving preserves memories |
|  Preserve | Disaster-resistant memory | Quartz glass, QR archives |
|  Sustain | Digital independence | Your own micro datacenter, protection on your terms |

Soul Carrier — Reuniting Roots

For Japanese-American families seeking to reconnect with their heritage.

We carry souls home.

We understand what it means to have roots across the ocean. People crossed the Pacific for different reasons, in different eras. Over the years, connections to their homeland faded — but the longing never did.

We help deliver:

- Ashes to ancestral homes — Return remains to family graves in Japan

- **Families to their roots** — Reconnect with relatives, registries, and history
- **Family crests to memory** — Research your kamon with EN/JP report on its history and significance
- **Stories to completion** — Close the circle that distance left open

"Loss doesn't have to be the end."

Why existing services struggle

It's not anyone's fault. But there are walls.

| Wall | Reality |
|------------|---|
| Language | City halls and temples rarely offer English support |
| Systems | Family registries and cemetery procedures require a Japanese address |
| Continuity | No one handles research, coordination, and accompaniment as one journey |
| Heart | Few treat this as "completing a story" rather than "processing paperwork" |

We stand on both sides of these walls.

Why Us?

We stand at the boundary ourselves.

| What we offer | Why it matters |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Japanese natives living between Hawaii and Japan | We understand both worlds |
| Fluent in both languages and cultures | No translation barriers |
| We have homes in Japan ready to welcome you | Stay with family, not hotels |
| We know the systems: family registries, temples, cemeteries | We navigate the bureaucracy for you |
| We've experienced loss — Pearl (2007-2025) led us here | We understand grief firsthand |

Pearl was family for 18 years. After creating a portable grave for him, we visited Pearl Harbor as a family. With his remains, we prayed for peace. 80 years after the war — times have changed, but the wish for peace transcends generations. This experience awakened our family's mission.

We don't just research. We walk with you. We carry your story home.

Pricing

| Service | Price | Timeline | Description |
|-----------------------|----------|-----------|---|
| Consultation | Free | — | 30-minute call to understand your situation |
| Research | \$500 | 2–4 weeks | Locate family records, graves, contacts, and kamon |
| Coordination | \$1,000 | 4–8 weeks | Arrange ceremonies, temple visits, and logistics |
| Accompaniment / Proxy | \$2,000+ | Varies | We travel with you — or on your behalf (+ travel expenses, typically \$1,500–\$3,000) |

Custom packages available. Contact us to discuss your needs.

See what you'll receive: [Sample Research Report \(EN/JP\)](#).

Memorial Packages

Moment — Returns to Earth

\$30–\$50

Materials: Palm leaves, driftwood, natural materials

We come to you

Memory — A Lifetime

\$100–\$200

Materials: Wood, charcoal, coconut shell

We come to you

Legacy — Across Generations

\$300–\$500

Materials: Lava rock, metal

Visit our workshop or Japan

Eternal — Forever

\$5,000

Materials: Quartz glass internal engraving (1,000+ years)

Crafted at our Japan studio

Preserve — Places to Keep & Visit

Your memories, protected. Your presence, welcomed.

A place to store. A place to return. Even from overseas, your memories stay connected to Japan — and you're always welcome to visit.

Urayasu — Near Tokyo

- 30 min to Tokyo
- Near Disney Resort (fireworks view)
- 4LDK Frank Lloyd Wright Organic House
- Storage + stay for visits
- Starlink Wi-Fi

Kurihara — Countryside

- Traditional farmhouse
- All tatami rooms
- Rice paddies & nature
- Homemade meals by Mina's mother
- Storage + stay for visits
- Starlink Wi-Fi

Hana, Maui — Pacific

- Remote east coast of Maui
- Ocean & nature
- Storage + stay for visits

- Off-grid ready

Available: Jan–Mar, Jun–Jul, Nov–Dec

Storage Tiers

| Tier | Locations | Shikinen | Description |
|--------|-----------|----------|------------------------------------|
| Single | 1 site | — | Urayasu or Kurihara or Hana |
| Dual | 2 sites | — | Domestic + overseas redundancy |
| Triple | 3 sites | ✓ | All sites + renewal every 20 years |

Shikinen Renewal: Every 20 years, data migrates to new storage media with ceremonial verification.

Archive locations expanding. New sites announced as they come online.

"A place to keep. A place to return."

Sustain — Your Own Micro Datacenter

Own your data. Data protection on your terms.

Tested and running on Maui since 2023.

After the 2023 Maui fires, we learned firsthand: when the grid goes down, so does everything you depend on. Power, internet, communication — gone. We built this system so our family could stay connected, stay informed, and stay together. Now we help others do the same.

The Stack

- **Solar Panel** — Off-grid power
- **Jackery 290W** — Portable battery (car-mountable)
- **Starlink Mini** — Satellite internet anywhere
- **Mac Mini** — Your personal server

Service

| Package | Price | What you get |
|-----------------|-------------|--|
| Micro DC Setup | \$3,000 | Equipment + setup + handover. Ready to use. |
| Managed Hosting | \$100/month | We maintain your datacenter remotely |
| DIY Support | \$500 | Consultation + equipment list. You build it. |

How it works:

1. We procure and configure the equipment
2. We set up at your location (or ship pre-configured)
3. We hand over access credentials
4. Your data lives on YOUR hardware

"Your memories don't belong to a corporation. They belong to you."

Start Yourself — Equipment & Sourcing

The movement is replicable. You can start too.

Gold = The color of the movement. The symbol of "Cross boundaries through resonance."

Handmade Soap (for Gifting)

| Material | Price Range | Source | Notes |
|----------------------|---------------|-----------------------|--|
| MP Soap Base | \$15–25/kg | Amazon | Melt and pour, beginner-friendly |
| Coconut Oil | \$10–15 | Costco / Grocery | Moisturizing, good lather |
| Essential Oils | \$10–20 | Amazon | Lavender, tea tree, etc. |
| Food-Grade Colorant | \$10–15 | Amazon | Safe, skin-friendly |
| Silicone Molds | \$10–20 | Amazon / Dollar store | Cookie molds, bento cups work too |
| Mesh Drawstring Bags | \$10–15/50pcs | Amazon / Dollar store | Doubles as lather pouch |
| OPP Bags | \$5–10/100pcs | Amazon / Dollar store | Individual wrap, moisture protection |
| Label | \$15–20 | Amazon | e.g., P-touch 18mm+, gold, clear, etc. |

How to: Melt MP soap in double boiler → Mix in oil, scent, color → Pour into molds → Cool → Place in mesh bag → Wrap in OPP bag → Add label → Done

Cost per batch (~10 bars): \$5–10

Label Message (Example)

Sample message. Feel free to customize:

At the boundary? You're not alone. Cross Boundaries Through Resonance. To exist. To act. To eternity.
Boundarist Movement by Pearl Memorial <https://bit.ly/boundarist>

Laser Engraving Equipment

| Equipment | Price Range | Source | Use |
|----------------------|-------------|--------|---|
| LaserPecker 2 | \$400–600 | Amazon | Wood, leather, paper (best for beginners) |
| LaserPecker 5 | \$800–1,200 | Amazon | Metal & diverse materials |
| Brother P-touch Cube | \$50–100 | Amazon | Label printing (gold tape compatible) |

Off-Grid Equipment

| Equipment | Price Range | Source | Use |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| Jackery 1000 Plus | \$1,200–1,500 | Amazon / Costco | Stationary power station (heavy) |
| Jackery Explorer 290W | \$300–400 | Amazon | Car-mounted / mobile power |
| Jackery 100W Solar Panel | \$300–400 | Amazon | Charging |
| Starlink Mini | \$599 + \$50/mo | starlink.com | Satellite internet |
| TP-Link Deco (Captive Portal model) | \$150–250 | Amazon | Guest WiFi capable mesh |

Living Infrastructure

| Equipment | Price Range | Source | Use |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| IGLOO Electric Cooler | \$200–300 | Amazon | 12V compatible, car-friendly |
| Gravity Water Filter | \$50–100 | Amazon | No power needed |
| Portable Washing Machine | \$100–150 | Amazon | Compact, manual/electric |
| Propane Burner | \$30–50 | Costco / Home Depot | Cooking |

Minimum Setup (~\$2,500 to start)

1. Jackery 1000 Plus + Solar Panel
2. Starlink Mini
3. LaserPecker 2
4. Soap supplies (~\$50)

That's all you need to "exist, engrave, and gift" — without permission, with resonance.

How To — Laser Engraving Basics

Choosing Materials

| Material | Source | Characteristics | Difficulty |
|---------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------|
| Palm leaves | Beach, garden | Returns to earth, lightweight | Easy |
| Driftwood | Beach | Natural shapes, one-of-a-kind | Easy |
| Coconut shell | Market, grocery | Hard, long-lasting | Medium |
| Lava rock | Hawaii local, garden stores | Heavy, lasts generations | Medium |
| Charcoal | BBQ supply stores | Black base, white engraving pops | Easy |
| Metal plate | Amazon, hardware stores | Permanent, outdoor-safe | Hard |

Engraving Process

1. **Wash and dry material** (24+ hours)
2. **Flatten surface** (light sanding if needed)
3. **Create design** (Canva, Illustrator, etc.)
4. **Test engrave** (adjust power/speed on scrap)
5. **Final engrave**
6. **Finish** (oil for wood, clear coat for metal)

Recommended Settings (LaserPecker 2 Pro)

| Material | Power | Speed | Passes |
|---------------|-------|-------|--------|
| Wood | 80% | 60% | 1 |
| Palm leaf | 40% | 80% | 1 |
| Coconut shell | 100% | 40% | 2 |
| Charcoal | 30% | 90% | 1 |

Experience It

Don't just receive a service. Experience it yourself.

Workshop — Engrave Your Own

\$100/person (2 hours)

- Choose your material
- Design creation support
- Hands-on laser engraving
- Take home your creation

Families and groups welcome. Maui or Japan.

Tour — See Off-Grid in Action

Free (reservation required)

- See actual off-grid setup
- Equipment walkthrough
- Q&A session

See for yourself that it really works.

Build-Along — Construct Together

\$300/day

- Join an off-grid construction
- Learn by doing
- Knowledge you can apply to your own setup

Don't just watch. Become capable.

The Sato Family

| Member | Role | Contribution |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Takuya Sato | Founder, Tech, Strategy | Off-grid construction, concept design, communication, handmade soap |
| Mina | Co-founder, Production, Marketing | Resin art, digital marketing |
| Ito (5 years old) | Soap helper, Heart of the family | Helps make handmade soap, symbol of family unity |

Family Principles

1. **Stay together** — Family never separates
 2. **Sleep together** — Live in the same place
 3. **Secure infrastructure** — Ensure comfort
 4. **Sustainable gift economy** — Freedom from monetary dependence
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FAQ

- Q: When can I stay in Japan?** A: Jan–Mar, Jun–Jul, Nov–Dec (aligns with Hawaii school breaks)
- Q: Can I use a car?** A: No vehicle lending for safety/insurance. Transportation available upon request.
- Q: Is the farmhouse comfortable?** A: It's authentically old — but has Starlink Wi-Fi. 24-hour high-speed internet.
- Q: What's the donation guideline?** A: \$500–\$1,000/week suggested. Not mandatory.
- Q: Off-grid construction outside Hawaii?** A: Yes. Our methods are transferable — Japan, anywhere.
- Q: Can I just buy the equipment and do it myself?** A: Yes. Everything in this catalog is public. Reach out if you have questions.
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In memory of Pearl (2007–2025) 🐻

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Everything in this catalog is open. Anyone, anywhere, can start.

It's your turn to become a Boundarist.

December 18, 2025 — The day the world begins to change.