In Memoriam: Professor Tamako Niwa-Kano (1922-2015)

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The members of the Department of Asian Languages and Literature regret the passing of our colleague, associate professor emerita Tamako Niwa-Kano on May 31, 2015.

Professor Niwa-Kano was born in 1922. She received a Ph.D. from Radcliffe College in 1956 with a dissertation titled “Nakatsukasa naishi nikki,” the diary of a medieval Japanese court lady, and taught with us from 1962 until her retirement in 1982. She was a renowned presence in the field of Japanese-language education.