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ADMIRING THE SPIRIT OF NICHIMYO

Thank you for reminding me of the writing about Lady Nichimyo (“Letter to the Mother of Oto Gozen”; January 1999). The only thing I had remembered about it was the quote, “You are undoubtedly the foremost votary of the Lotus Sutra among the women of Japan.”

However, I did not really understand what it meant. Your explanation of it and the inclusion of “My Story” helped me. I cried when I read pp. 10–21.

Even though I am struggling financially, I rent a car each month to make the twelve-hour-round-trip drive to the Florida and Nature Culture Center for Kosen-rufu Gongyo [World Peace Prayer Meeting]. Driving twelve hours in an air-conditioned car is nothing compared to what Nichimyo did to visit Nichiren Daishonin.

Thank you very much for your encouragement.

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