

Mitsuo Fuchida and the cycle of love

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Today is the 69th anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor, which drew the U.S. into World War II. The Japanese attack was led by Mitsuo Fuchida, who later became a Christian and had this to say:

I have participated in the cycle of hate for much of my life. For the rest of my life I want to begin the cycle of love as often and in as many places as possible.

Rose Berger [tells a moving story](#) about an American teenager who visited Japanese POWs, a story that made a great impact on Fuchida.