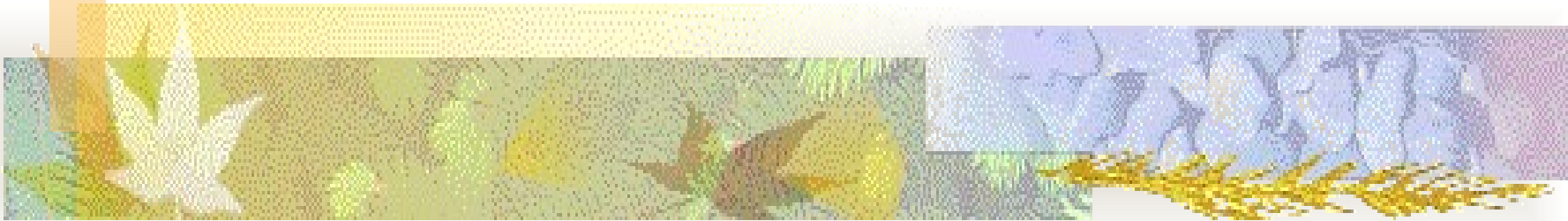


Digital Image Gallery and  
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# Outline

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# About the Collection

- **Donated by Ms. Adachi to Columbia University's C. V. Starr East Asian Library in 1991** (The major portion was donated in 1991, with additional materials given over the next decade. )
- **An extensive collection of *Bunraku*-related materials**



## About the Collection (cont'd)

- 13,571 slides
- 7,571 photographic items
- Theater programs in Japanese and English
- Texts of the plays performed
- Audio and video recordings of interview with masters of the modern Japanese puppet theater



## About the Collection (cont'd)

- A Puppet (Osono-san)
- A Tayu-dai with its tassels and a text
- Books in Japanese and English on *Bunraku* and other Japanese cultures
- Covers *Bunraku* history of the last thirty years of 20<sup>th</sup> century



# Access to the Collection

- Grants:

- NEH : finding aid
- Freeman Foundation : the slide digitization project

- Bunraku Project Steering Group

- Two Access Formats:

- Digital Collection Gallery
- Archival Collection



# Barbara Curtis Adachi Bunraku Collection : Gallery

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# Plays and Production

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- Printed Materials and Realia
- Personal Papers



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- Publications and Public Speaking by Barbara C...
- Correspondence
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Thank you.