

Dear Mr. Applebaum

I have heard of your idea to create a living memorial garden for Chiune Suigihara, the Japanese Righteous of the Nations, from the existing Japanese garden of the Garden of Nations located in the Rose Garden opposite the Knesset. I think that it is a wonderful idea for it will provide a meditative surrounding to absorb the selfless act that Sugihara achieved. This feat provided 2139 visas for life for a majority of jewish refugees fleeing primarily from war torn Poland that enabled 6000 people to become more than 36000 people to date.

Sincerely,

Uri Orlev

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Uri Orlev', written in a cursive style.