



**SAITO SENSEI KINEN KŌSHUKAI**  
10<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF SAITO SENSEI'S PASSING  
MAY, 11<sup>TH</sup>~13<sup>TH</sup> 2012, PALASPORT GIAVENO (TO), ITALY

PAOLO CORALLINI SHIHAN 7<sup>TH</sup> DAN  
ULF EVENÅS SHIHAN 7<sup>TH</sup> DAN  
WILLIAM W. WITT SHIHAN 7<sup>TH</sup> DAN  
MARK VAN MEERENDONK 6<sup>TH</sup> DAN  
UTE VAN MEERENDONK 6<sup>TH</sup> DAN  
DANIEL TOUTAIN 6<sup>TH</sup> DAN  
ETHAN WEISGARD 5<sup>TH</sup> DAN

On May 13<sup>th</sup> 2002 our beloved Sensei, Morihiro Saito, passed away. He was a man who devotedly dedicated all his life to the Founder of Aikido, O Sensei Morihei Ueshiba, and to preserving his teachings in the most faithful and rigorous way possible. To the ones who followed him, Saito Sensei left a deep spiritual heritage made of respect, kindness, gentleness and love towards others.

The Takemusu Aikido Association Italy wants to honor the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Saito Sensei's passing with a large koshukai in Italy, to take place exactly in the country where Saito Sensei first came in 1985 and where Iwama Aikido started its spread throughout Europe.

This important event will take place on 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> May 2012 in Giaveno (Turin), at the Palasport, and will be directed by Saito Sensei's closest deshi, who are still working hard together to preserve his beautiful pedagogy with the same harmony and friendship they experienced through this amazing Aikido master.



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