

Housing Channel

Title: Community Impressions – Reminiscences of Wah Fu

Koney

My name is Koney

I am a flight attendant

I used to live in Wah Fu Estate

I went to school within the Estate

and had always stayed there

After school, I usually hung out

with kids in the neighbourhood

We played plastic balls

or flied kites made from plastic bags

at the end of the long corridor

“I’m back”

One night, while mom was preparing dinner

Dad took out a paper box from underneath the bed

When I opened it, there was a chick

Since then we had a new family member

The corridors outside our flats were very long

We liked chasing one another and

playing with toy water guns

There was an occasion

when we drenched a neighbour's flat

"I've got you, you naughty kid!"

He grasped my hand. I was very frightened

I just cried, "It's not mine! It's not mine!"

Then I dropped the toy water gun and ran away

going home immediately

Once when I looked at the sea

I saw a pole sticking out from it

Till now, I still believe it was a submarine

It might be an exaggeration

yet I believed wonders were all around

In Wah Fu Estate anything could happen

There was a haunted house nearby

Actually, it was not that scary

I didn't know why people said it's haunted

Once we found a bottle

with an odd message inside

“I’m at the opposite of the shore, anyone there?”

Let’s come back to the chicken

It had grown up without my being aware of it

I went to school every day

and it stayed at home as usual

Until one day, we had a festive dinner

I didn’t know yet

One of the dishes turned out to be a chicken

I had lived in Wah Fu Estate for many years

Looking back, there are so many sweet memories

My name is Koney, an “old kaifong”

who had lived in Wah Fu Estate for 24 years

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