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the History of Spaceflight, Moonshot
and the Balance of Family and Work

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ABSTRACT

In the Design as Discovery: Design Thinking Peace Technology program taught at Stanford by Freedom Cheteni, we explore the human experience through persuasive and vivid imagery using a powerful peace technology for rapid visual content creation and global sharing.

Through research, open innovation and collaboration with the Shiokari Family, this special publication gives you an uncommonly close look at a man who forever transformed humanity and was central to sending the first man to space, **Tom Shiokari**. In some never before seen original images, handwritten postcards, and other documents, Ken Shiokari shares an inspiring historical and visually captivating anecdote about his father through the LightGrid. This scholarly publication “An Encapsulation of the Career of Tom Shiokari and the History of Spaceflight, Moonshot and the Balance of Family and Work” is the only comprehensive journal publication that gives the reader a glimpse of what it was like for a family that was intrinsically involved in realizing President John F. Kennedy’s declaration of sending the first man to the moon.

Ken Shiokari has a formidable commitment to a moonshot in education that advances human potential and he has given riveting interviews on this important part of our history. Inspired by Esther Wojcicki’s Moonshot in Education, the

LightGrid as a Peace Technology for transforming the way content is preserved and shared in education and to honor the Generosity and Impact that Tom Shiokari made on the planet we are looking forward to more students across the globe to engage with content in a way that increases our potential as a species.