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Professor Kuno in the age of paleomagnetism, university unrest, and Apollo project

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Beside his epoch-making work in volcanology, Professor Kuno was known as a dedicated teacher and was respected for his unselfish service to the scientific community. I was very fortunate to have had a close interaction with this great scientist in my younger days not only in science, but also in non-scientific matters. The former includes our joint work on a paleomagnetic study of the Izu-Hakone volcanoes and his zealous participation in the Apollo project, and the latter includes his efforts to calm radical students during the period of Todai student unrest. I would like to introduce those moving aspects of the late Professor Kuno, who deserves to be remembered by the scientific community, especially by younger students.

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