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The View from Sri Lanka

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"Culture Change in Practice" is our own weblog where people can become involved in a conversation about Culture Change as it is practiced by professionals in real nursing homes. Feel free to join the conversation, or post a comment about something you have learned on your journey.

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Emi Kiyota, who spent a month living in a nursing home to discover how to best design environments for elders in Culture Change Now Vol 3, <http://www.actionpact.com/mag-ish3.html> is taking on a new challenge. She and her colleagues have just returned from Sri Lanka http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sri_Lanka where they were looking at the current and future states of eldercare.

As you will see in her blog <http://srilankaproject.blog.com/> Sri Lankans value community and a happiness based on that community and relationships, not material things. Because these things are so valued in society in general, they find it from the start of value for their elders. We are lucky to have Emi sharing her insight. I can't say enough about how inspirational I found her blog and the amazing things happening in Sri Lanka. So, I'll stop writing and you just go see for yourself.