

On 05-Oct-2023, at 3:24 AM, Sivaram, Sudha (NIH/NCI) [E] <sudha.sivaram@nih.gov> wrote:

Hi Soumya: Please accept my condolences on the passing of Dr. Swaminathan. I recall discussing his World Food Prize award with my Thatha when I was in high school in Chennai and we all took pride in his contributions to food security in India. Personally, it was so inspirational then to see a south Indian leader be recognized internationally for his research and leadership.

I am very sad to hear of his passing. I recall you mentioning his ill health when we met in Toronto in June. I wish you and your family much strength and comfort in this time.

Best, Sudha