

'Azah's perseverance will be remembered'

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KUALA LUMPUR: Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Razak and his wife Datin Seri Rosmah Mansor yesterday conveyed their condolences to the family of Azah Aziz.

Azah, 84 whose real name is Sharifah Azah Mohamed Alsagoff, is the wife of Royal Professor Ungku Aziz and mother of Bank Negara Governor Tan Sri Dr Zeti Akhtar Abdul Aziz.

"Her perseverance to dignify the field of culture and arts will be remembered," Najib said, referring to Azah as a cultural icon.

Deputy Prime Minister Tan Sri Muhyiddin Yassin said the country had lost a Malay cultural humanist with the passing of Azah.

"She was a remarkable person and was admired for her huge contributions, especially in the development of Malay culture.

"She was very committed to society and her dedication to arts and culture was simply too great," he said in a condolence message to her family.

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