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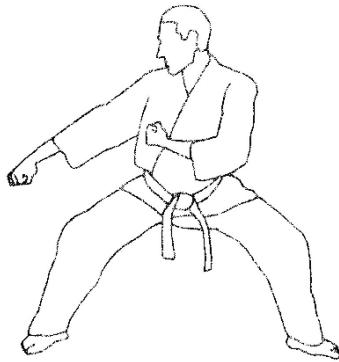
Technique: Dropping downward block (Otoshi-uke)

Kata: P5, Passai

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Description: "The arm is dropped down from the height of the ear to block a kicking leg."

Comments: Fig. 21 and Illus. 17 from the Red Book show the complementary arm angling upwards to protect the solar plexis. The fist is about arm-pit height. Many students have this arm angling downwards, which is incorrect.



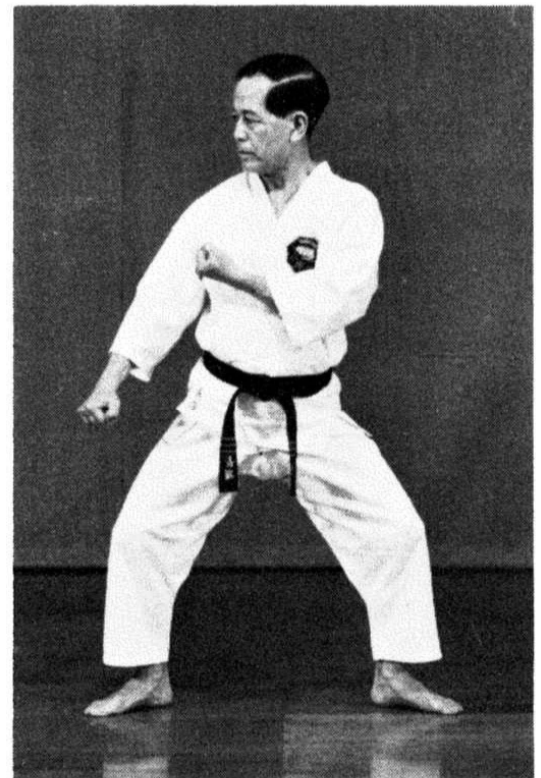
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As per Master Ueshiro and the Kata DVD, our knife-hand down block (Spec. 21) is very similar to the "dropping downward block" shown here.

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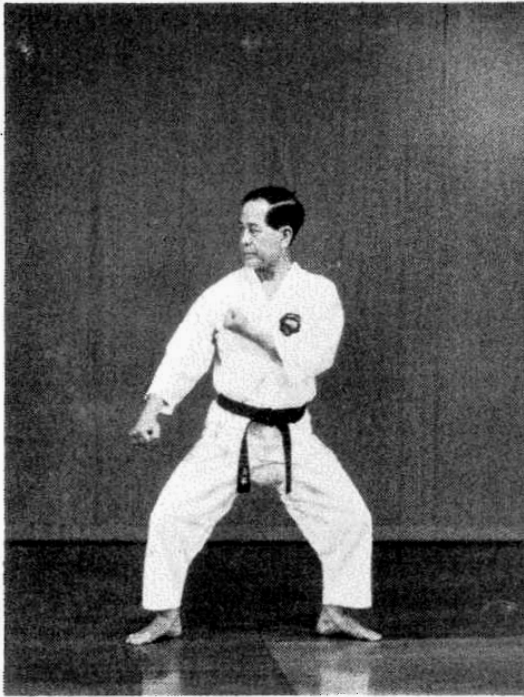
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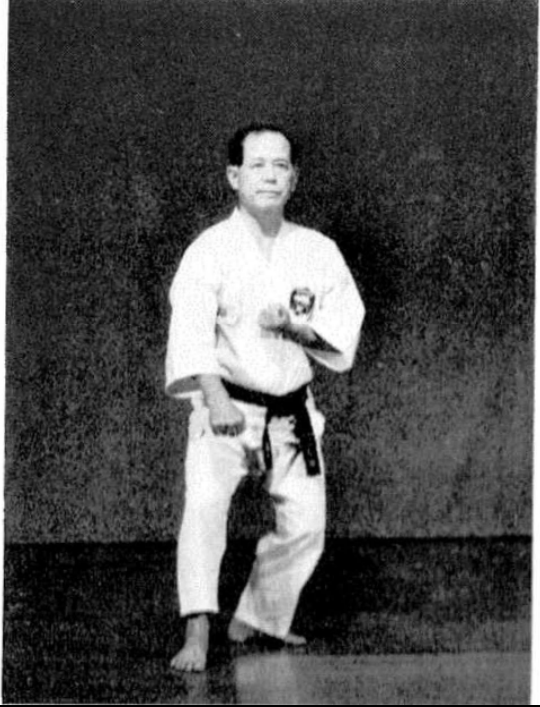
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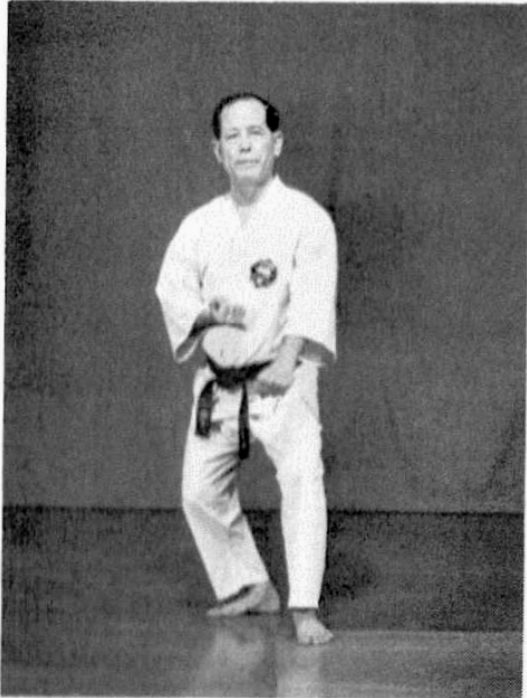
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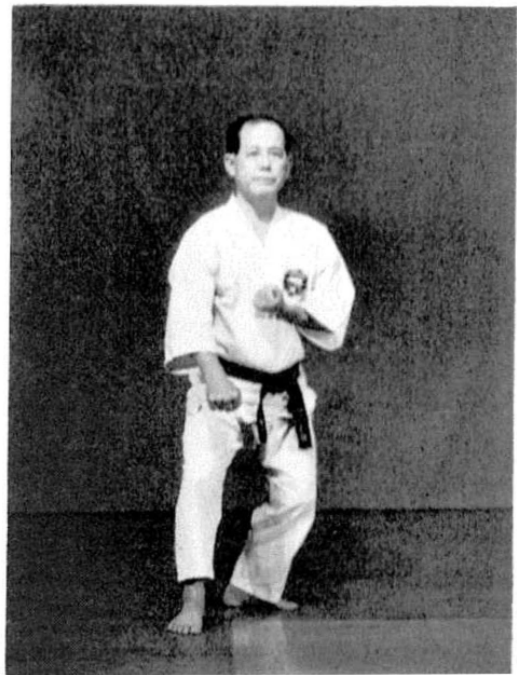
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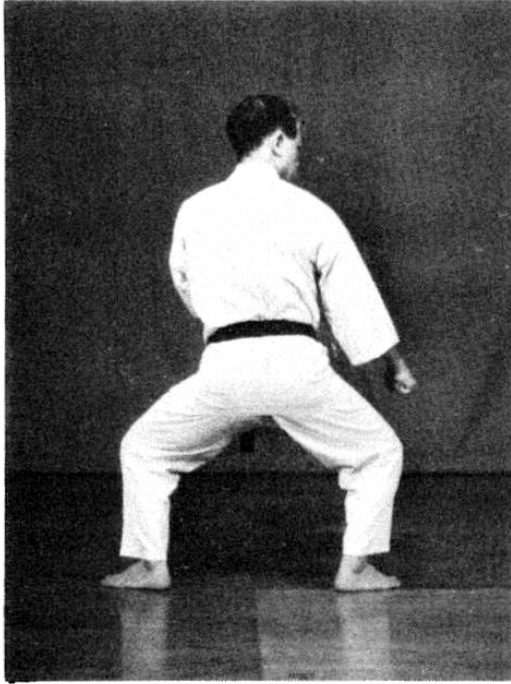


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