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SR. REMY ANGELA JUNIO, SPC PASSES AWAY

Sr. Remy Angela Junio, SPC went home to the Father on 21 February 2016 after a lingering illness. Sr. Remy was the immediate past President of St. Paul University Philippines (SPUP) in Tuguegarao and Chancellor of the St. Paul University System (SPUS). She was a graduate of the St. Paul Manila College of Nursing, where she also served as Dean.

The remains of Sr. Remy were brought from Tuguegarao to the Vigil House in Taytay, where she lay in state until 24 February. She was buried in Our Lady of Chartres Convent in Antipolo after the Funeral Mass on the 24th.



The SPUS had a Tribute for Sister at 6:30 P.M. on the 23rd. During the activity, Sr. Ma. Evangeline Anastacio, SPC, SPU Manila President, read a tribute collated from memories of several people in the University.

Following is the tribute:



These are words not just of one person but words gathered from several people in St. Paul University Manila who loved Sr. Remy Angela Junio: the Sisters, teachers, former students, friends, co-workers.

There are many wonderful words that would describe Sr. Remy. She is and forever will be an inspiration not only to us in St. Paul University Manila but to the whole St. Paul University System. She was a great, super-hardworking leader who had molded so many people with her selfless love for work and genuine love for people. Her works are not only on structures but on personalities, attitude, behavior, and lives of

many whom she had touched. She was like a second mother to most of us, especially when she was the Dean of the College of Nursing in St. Paul College Manila. She was very influential but she used her influence to inspire and encourage beginners; she was not hesitant to put her trust in 'neophytes,' so to speak. She was an unassuming person. Her life was dedicated to God and to her Nursing profession, especially in Education.

Sr. Remy, we will never forget you. You've changed so many lives in so many ways. Your undaunted trust and belief in every person you meet inspired them to live up to your vision. You challenged them and made them believe that they can do more. Working with you taught us lessons in life that brought us to higher grounds. You have shown us how to embrace pain and suffering gracefully. I guess the word "forever" is indeed true for we cannot stop counting

all the things that you have done for us, the Sisters, your students, the teachers, and including their families.

You will always have a special place in our hearts. We will all be sad but at the same time at peace that you are now free from all earthly pains. Be in the comfort of our loving Father and take the most deserved rest from a well-lived gift of life that you have shared with so many people. With that, we thank you for your love, support, and guidance. You are one of the treasures that God has blessed us with. You may not be physically around us anymore but your valuable spirit of encouragement and inspiration will remain in our hearts. And so we pray that we may be gifted with generosity and availability so that we too may be used as God's instruments to continue your legacy. We love you Sr. Remy, our beloved Sister, a very loyal friend, and a loving mother.

PAULINIAN GLOBAL FOUNDATION LEADERS CONSULT SR. MAGDALEN

Two leaders of the Paulinian Global Foundation (PGF) went to the Vigil House in Taytay, Rizal to consult Sr. Mary Magdalen Torres, SPC about a change of guards in the foundation. Virna Lisa Mananzan, incumbent Vice-President, and Jane Singson Fields, active core group member, were accompanied by Sherry Lara-Alingod, St. Paul Manila Alumni Foundation, Inc. (SPMAFI) President, Marionette Ocampo-Martinez, SPU Manila Alumni Relations Officer, and Lourdes Ia O.

Sr. Magdalen was the moving force in the formation of the PGF during a reunion in the US several years back. Since the PGF inception, its President has been Sol Balda-Ilagan (HS 1965); however, she is planning to relocate to the Philippines so she has begged off the position. The purpose of the consultation was to discuss the role and functions of the PGF president and vice-president and to get the consent of Virna and Jane to be nominated to these offices.

After much discussion and an overseas call to Sol, it was agreed that Jane would be nominated for President and Virna for Vice-President. The election will be held in April in Virginia, where most of the core group are based.

After the meeting, Sr. Magdalen treated the group to a sumptuous lunch. Earlier, the group visited Sr. Nieves in St. Paul Makati, where they had a heavy merienda.





Food galore: Above in the Vigil House.

Left in St. Paul Makati

ALUMNAE GATHERINGS



Lunch meeting on Paulinian Forum Last Chukker 19 February 2016 Sherry Alingod, Helen Dabao, MOM, Dinggay IaO, and Jane Fields.

High School 1965 First Quarter Birthday Celebration Residence of Oro Gomez 20 February 2016



High School 1964 Lunch in Peking Garden 23 February 2016



Mini-Reunions

AB 1977 Mari Valeriano and Popi Gutay





AB 1977
Walnut Creek, California
Reez Respicio-San Diego
and Emma Cruz-Walsh







High School 1966 Core Group Post-Homecoming Lunch L-R: Mina Dilag, Bachuchi Salcedo, Noemi Gomez, Agnes Devanadera, Rosario Magsino, Riqui Hizon, and Maritess Aguirre.

High School 1982, College 1986
Birthday of Princess Dauden
Seda Hotel, BGC
With Ida Hontiveros, Carol Salceda,
Lili Anne Guzman, Trisha Punzalan,
and Elka Ruivivar

