

## **Explantion of Booklet Dedication to the UPSILON**

**Dear Bossman Chris,**

**The '58 Brods have mentioned in the internet about the Interior 14 Tour with our Professor Irene Cortes! of all people that you have conceived and memorably given us very happy memories including the Iloilo rumble when a rejected Ilongo neophyte managed to hit you as a revenge. We ran after the guy with Sluggo but failed to get hold of him. From Bacolod we talked up to the Baguio vacation where the Brods had a good recall of seeing *"something beautiful"* with the Sigma Deltans that ended up in *"something good"* with the marriage of Vic and Nanette.**

**Well, just to let you know that I have always been interested in seeing you on TV from your being a Comelec Chairman activities to many of your TV interviews and also of Winnie and I am really very proud of your accomplishments especially as a fraternity Brod.**

**The Brods, Ed Gumabon and Ronnie DyLiacco, in their internet communication to the Brods mentioned that Ninoy Aquino wrote during his imprisonment during Martial Law that *"we Brods could either be a candle or a mirror to reflect the Light"*. I wrote them that *"That was great!"* And I shared that I had the opportunity of talking with Cory during the Mass that the Brods in Cebu gave Ninoy in Brod Quisumbing residence not long after he was shot in the airport tarmac.**

**I asked *"Cory, what is this that I have heard about Ninoy being born again?"* I saw on Television Ninoy being interviewed by Pat Robertson about his being born again. Ninoy mentioned that he had an encounter with the Lord when he read Chuck Colson's *Born Again* and got to meet him during an air flight in U.S. He expressed that when he gets back to the Philippines, *"I am going to Spread the Light!"* Cory answered, *"Ninoy was enlightened."* I gave her a copy of the Heaven booklet.**

**I told the Brods Ed and Ronnie that when I was interviewed by Vic Puyat in his room while being questioned during the initiation if I believe in God. It was that time in my life that I stopped believing in God and I replied. *"No."* Twenty five years or so during the Upsilon Congress, Teng Puyat met me and greeted me saying *"Brod I heard that you are now a minister."* And I replied, *"Yes Brod and in fact I***

**have just written a booklet, YOU CAN BE ABSOLUTELY SURE OF GOING TO HEAVEN! HERE'S HOW!, a copy of which I gave him. And when he read the title he remarked, "Ah iba na ito, You Can Be Absolutely Sure of Going to Heaven!" Brod Doming Vidanes who was just by our side immediately told him, "Brod, totoo yan. Nabasa ko yan kagabi." I made 200 copies available at the Registry table during the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Upsilon Congress. Both Teng and Doming have gone now ahead of us but for sure we will meet them up there. We happen to talk about the Heaven booklet during the Upsilon Congress Ball with Vic Puyat and some Sigma Deltans with Winnie who was also seated with us and Vic categorically expressed that he believes that we can be sure of going to Heaven.**

**About five years ago I fell down repairing our Christmas light on the roof of our house in Cebu and broke my skull and right shoulder clavicle and stopped breathing for at least five minutes our helper claims as she tried her best keeping on pumping my chest several times. Somehow in the process God restored my life. I was brought to the hospital and was in the intensive care for 3 days and was in the hospital for 13 days until I was discharged.**

**I was supposed to attend the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Batch '63 as their IF in Manila about that time I had the accident. Confident that God gave back my life for a purpose, thus I have dedicated the reprinting of the Heaven booklet to the Upsilon Sigma Phi in line with its Motto, *We gather light to scatter!* What better light to scatter than the Light that Ninoy himself desired to Spread upon his return to his country. I have thought of sending you my New Life Eternal Pack that contains the Heaven booklet just in case you have not gotten a copy thereof. I have also sent Bossman Doming Santiago the Pack as he asked me during the 2<sup>nd</sup> Congress if the Heaven booklet was the only material that I have written. As Ninoy had written, "*We could either be a candle or a mirror to reflect the Light.*"**

**We hope you can attend the Batch '58 Salo Salo Golden Reunion in December 2008. I will look forward to seeing you there. It will surely be a grand reunion to recall our great time especially during the Interior 14 Tour.**

**Fraternally with God's Blessing, Ping**