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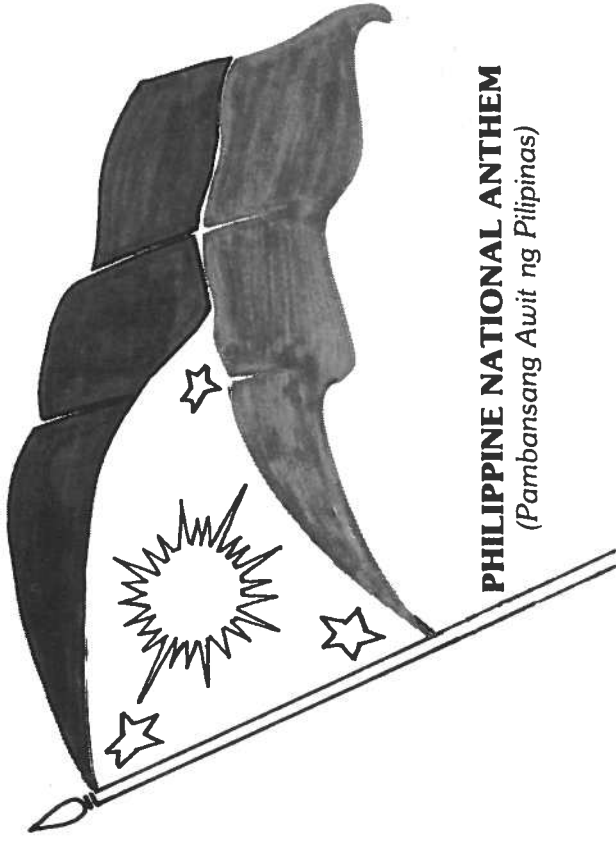
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Perlas ng silangan
Alab ng puso sa dibdib mo'y buhay
Lupang hinirang,
Duyan ka ng magiting
Sa manlulupig di ka passisiil.
Sa dagat at bundok, sa simoy at sa
langit mong bughaw,
May dilag and tula at awit sa
paglayang minamahal,
Ang kislap ng watawat mo'y
tagumpay na nagniningning
Ang bituin at araw niya
kailan pa ma'y di magdidilim
Lupa ng araw ng luwalhati't pagsinta
Buhay ay langit sa piling mo.
Aming ligaya na pag may mang-aapi,
Ang mamatay ng dahil sa iyo.



MESSAGE

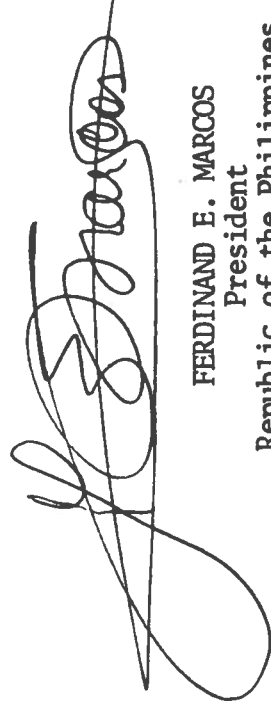
I take great pleasure and pride in conveying my heartiest as well as warmest greetings to the Filipino Association of Denmark as it celebrates the 84th Philippine Independence Anniversary on June 12 this year.

It is most heartening to know that you have organized an Association pledge to enhance the social well-being of the Filipinos living in Denmark, promote their culture, and develop closer relationship with the Danish people. This is a noble commitment to which I entrust my encouragement and support.

It is my hope that the significance of this independence day commemoration will strengthen your resolve to carry on and attain the other heights that you have set as your objectives.

In this context, I wish one and all a very memorable celebration.

Mabuhay!



FERDINAND E. MARCOS
President
Republic of the Philippines



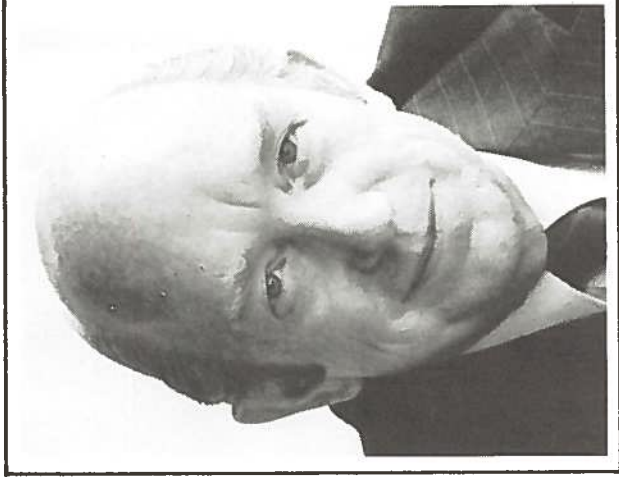
MESSAGE

Filipinos at home and abroad this week will mark the 84th Anniversary of Philippine Independence. It is a commemoration that can be observed with national pride considering the strides made specially during the past years.

In these times of internecine strifes, coups and countercoups in other developing countries, Filipinos have a lot to be thankful for ---- a national leadership that has held the country together and set it on course towards sound socio-economic development.

On the occasion of the 84th Anniversary of Philippine Independence, I therefore join the officers and members of the Filipino Association of Denmark in a rousing cheer of "M A B U H A Y."

Jose Manuel Stilianopoulos
JOSE MANUEL STILIANOPOULOS
Philippine Ambassador to Great Britain



MESSAGE

On the occasion of the 84th Philippine Independence Anniversary on 12 June 1982 - the fourth after President Ferdinand E. Marcos and the Philippine Minister of Foreign Affairs appointed me Consul General of the Philippines in Denmark - Mrs. Hunderup and I send you our warmest greetings.

We also want to use this occasion to thank the President of FAD, Marcelino R. Dicay, and his officers for the positive reaction every time the Consulate is in need of assistance in connection with its many different tasks.

May I on the Independence Day join your cheer of "Mabuhay" with three Danish "Hurra's".

Christian R. Hunderup
CHRISTIAN R. HUNDERUP
Consul General a.h.



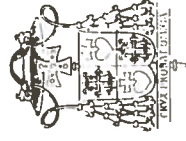
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Greetings and God's Blessings in abundance on all the Filipinos in Denmark who celebrate Philippine Independence Day.

It is a tribute to your sense of patriotism to remember your country on this day. Freedom is a precious gift from God. After many centuries of strife and struggle you have emerged strong in the Faith, fully Christian and free to practice your Religion. In the urgent words of St. Paul, may I also exhort you to stir up the Faith that is in you, that you have brought here to Denmark from the Philippines. Put it into practice so that your children can see how you witness to that Faith, and the Danish people can share your faith.

Make your presence among us something beneficial not only to the economy of our country, but especially to the Spiritual and Moral welfare of this your host country.

My Prayers go with you on this day and to all Filipinos back in your own country, to your friends and relatives celebrating this Anniversary Day of Independence.



Hans L. Martensen
MSGR. HANS L. MARTENSEN SJ
Catholic Bishop of Denmark



MESSAGE

I am most pleased to express my heartiest appreciation and gratitude to the officers, committee chairmen and members for their endeavors to make this year's celebration a success.

As we celebrate the 84th Independence Anniversary of the Republic of the Philippines, let us unite individually and collectively, as we seek strategies that will maximize our efforts not only to community service but how we can positively contribute to the government efforts to improve the quality of life of our countrymen and the development of our country.

May God bless us all!

Benjamin B. Garcia
BENJAMIN B. GARCIA
Chairman
FAD Board of Trustees



MESSAGE

As our association pace into its second decade of existence, it is undeniable that we have grown rapidly which measures our ongoing commitment to our members.

Carved with distinctvie role of concern, we venture to uphold our culture and preserve our beautiful customs and traditions which serve as the medium of passing our heritage to our children.

As we celebrate the 84th anniversary of the Philippine Independence, I would like to thank all concern whose allegiance and active participation in our undertakings is undoubtedly rewarding. Without them, the success of this celebration and the festivities of the past would have not been possible.

In conjunction with this celebration, it is with joy to observe this day with pride and dedication in honor of our forebears from whom we now enjoy the fruit of their heroic endeavor - our freedom.

Today, we join hands with our countrymen in the whole world over, hail our beloved country.

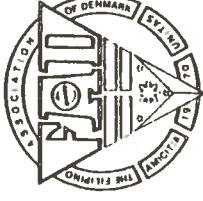
" Mabuhay ang Republika ng Pilipinas "


MARCELINO R. DITSAY
FAD President

Mabuhay!

THE OFFICERS & MEMBERS

OF



THE FILIPINO ASSOCIATION OF DENMARK JOIN OUR COUNTRYMEN IN CELEBRATING THE 84th INDEPENDENCE ANNIVERSARY

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THE HISTORY OF THE FILIPINO ASSOCIATION OF DENMARK

When Denmark, the small yet promisingly generous land of the Danes, opened her shores to foreign employment in the first years of the past decade, many Filipinos in search for better life migrated thereto. This migration generated the growth of the then tiny community of Filipinos there and, therewith, the Association that binds them together.

The Filipino Association of Denmark, or the FAD as it is shortly called, started as a sort of a listening post in 1970 when some thirty of the first Filipino residents organized themselves in order to help their newly arriving countrymen in the solution of their settling problems as legal, social, financial or otherwise. This listening post became the nucleus that subsequently developed into the FAD of today.

It is a non-profit, non-political service association and is believed to be the oldest organization of Filipinos in Scandinavia and, with its more than 900 presently registered members, the most populated too.

At the time of its initial inception, the FAD had barely enough funds and moral support to survive and to function effectively that the founding members feared it might not last long. Nevertheless, it survived. And it developed. Undaunted over the years, it grew larger, more populous, richer and consequently more efficient. Today, this once immature association has already achieved a stable and secured standing once but dream of by its founding fathers.

Throughout its tread, the FAD maintained financial pace through the collection of membership and monthly dues, the solicitation of donations, but mainly through gains derived from its various socio-economic activities.

Many times in the past, the members innovated varied social functions with the intention of determining which could supplement the funds needed to finance their other projects; and, at the same time, could be pleasing as well. Those which satisfied the intentions were retained and now are being observed at least once yearly.

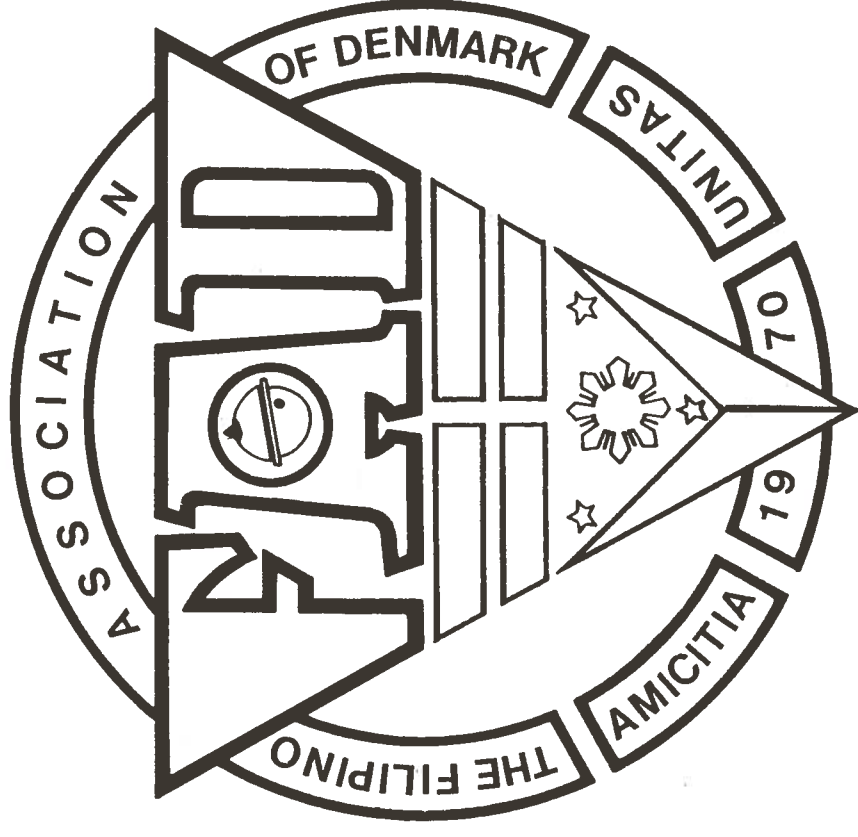
During the first eight years, the FAD was never housed permanently. Where the incumbent president resided became the association's locale for business too, a practice which, in one way or another, limited its efficiency. Since 1979, however, it has been renting a room in the uppermost floor of the Saint Anne Church in Amager and uses this as its clubhouse.

Christened as the "FAD Clubhouse", it acts as the office of the president, the meeting place of the officers, the publication center of the Newsletter and the pastoral center of the dominantly Catholic Filipinos. Comfortably furnished, it is here where the members, their friends and acquaintances socialize. It features a library with Philippine reading materials, a kit-chenette serving free coffee and tea, and a stereophonic sound system.

Since its acquisition, one can visibly notice the closer coordination of the officers and the more active participation of the members in the various projects of their association. It is truly a great factor needful for a more efficient FAD.

After twelve years of dedicated labor, the Filipino Association of Denmark is united and strong - a standing that is no more an illusion, as once it was, but a dream come true. And this is so because of the able management of the different sets, nine to the present, of officers it had. As in the words of one of the pioneering members, "without them... we can never reach this threshold at which we now can look into the future with more confidence and more optimism."

Twelve years is but a brief interlude in the life of the FAD; but to the members, each of those years has mirrored the trials and struggles, the courage and resourcefulness, and the indomitable spirit with which they have faced the most challenging pursuit for unity.



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PHILIPPINE INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION HIGHLIGHTS



First Miss FAD Philippine Independence, Lillian Palitang flanked by Miss Luzon, Jossie Galano; Miss Visayas, Cherry Medina and Miss Mindanao, Liza Destacamento.



Left to right: Miss Mindanao, Rosy Asuncion; Miss Visayas, Leah Cordon; Miss Luzon, Revita Ramos; crowned Miss FAD Philippine Independence, 1980, Mary Ann Sevilla, His Excellency, Philippine Ambassador to Great Britain, Jose Manuel Stilianopoulos and Miss Lillian Palitang, beauty queen of 1979.



Miss FAD Philippine Independence 1981, Miss Mira Velante being crowned by Mary Ann Sevilla and assisted by Hon. Consul General, Christian R. Hunderup with esquire Eugen Torres. Other winners not in picture were Maribel Eres, Evelyn Cruz, and Marietta Torres - Miss Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao, respectively.

CANDIDATES FOR

Miss FAD PHILIPPINE INDEPENDENCE

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Supervised and coordinated by
RUFINA DECANO

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MESSAGE Hon. Christian R. Hunderup
Consul General of the Philippines

PROCLAMATION AND CORONATION

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