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Dearest Sisters,

Once again the Risen Lord knocked at the door of the Province of the Philippines. At 10:46 pm, he called to himself our sister

LINGO SR. TRINIDAD
Born at Digos, (Philippines) on 26th May, 1952.

Sr. Trinidad was stricken last autumn with a tumor in the womb which in a short time spread to her lungs. Only a few days ago, she was in the hospital because of difficulty of breathing, because of pneumonia, which caused her death.

She entered the Congregation in the house of the Queen of Apostles in Pasay City on 15th August, 1971. She was immediately sent to work in the technical apostolate where she stood out right away for her common sense and inclination towards this apostolic activity which characterised the different years of her Pauline Life.

Her novitiate was lived in Lipa which concluded with her first profession on 30th June, 1976. As a young professed sister, she received a diploma in religious sciences and then dedicated herself to diffusion in the community of Tacloban. It was a short experience but it marked her Pauline Life. There remained always in her heart the urgency to announce the Gospel, to encounter the persons whom she met to bring to them, with great enthusiasm and conviction, the word of salvation.


Because of her organizational skills, in 1979 she was inserted in the typography of Pasay City, soon becoming the one in charge and the coordinator of the technical sector. And to be better prepared to carry out this service, while continuing to follow her apostolic duties she dedicated herself to the deepening of the commercial and administrative material, receiving in the year 2000, at the University of Manila, a diploma in business administration. She placed her competence in the service of the province by participating in the "Management Team" and was briefly inserted in the provincial administration. For some years she was a local counsellor and responsible for one group of the large community of "Queen of Apostles" in Pasay. She was tireless, very organized in her work and capable of assuming different responsibilities at the same time with tranquillity and tenacity.

In the year, 2000, she asked for, and received, a year of absence for vocational discernment and after she re-entered, inserted herself in the community of Lipa and then in that of Marikina to dedicate herself, with much generosity, to collective diffusion. Her capacity to establish relationships helped her to enjoy the apostolate very much: her good rapport, which knew how to interact with the clients, was good in beginning the mission.

In the year 2015, she had the joy of participating in Rome, in the International Encounter of the Charism Course, and to visit the places of our origin during the centenary of our foundation. With a heart filled "with abundant riches" which she had had assimilated, inserted herself once again in the community of Pasay City, and it was in this community, which she loved, that the Lord visited her with a grave illness which she faced with full knowledge and lucidity.

Her "hour" had arrived in a particularly favourable time, in the week we are preparing for the Ascension in which we are invited to "live in the hope of joining Christ, our leader, in his glory. Sr Trinidad had reached the fullness of life, in the contemplation of the resplendent face of God, in the immersion of that "Trinity" of which she bore, with joy and humility, the name.

With affection,


Sr Anna Maria Parenzan
Superior general

Rome, 7 May 2017