

# ***MAKIBAKA***

***THE KDP'S Experience  
1973-1987***

***Katipunan ng mga Demokratikong Pilipino  
Union of Democratic Filipinos***

***Commemorating  
the 25th Anniversary  
of the Founding  
of the KDP  
and a look back  
at Filipino American  
Leftist Politics in the  
1970's and 1980's***

***July 10-12, 1998  
Oakland, California***



*Illustration from the program of the July 1973 KDP Founding Congress*

IN MEMORIAM

*to kasamas of the KDP  
who have gone before us....*

Cynthia Maglaya

Silme Domingo

Gene Viernes

Douglas Yaranon

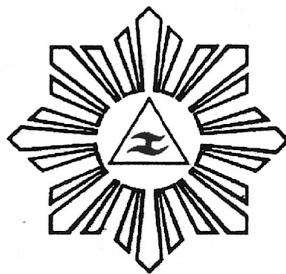
Manong Mario <sup>Hermoso</sup> ~~Hernando~~

Manong Pablo Valdez

*....and to our families, our manongs, our friends,  
brothers and sisters in the struggle  
who have passed on....*

*....you will never die,  
never be forgotten,  
in the hearts of the people....*

(from Luksampati, Song of Grief and Courage)



**July 10 Welcoming Reception  
@ Asian Resource Center**

**JULY 11 Program  
Oakland Asian Cultural Center**

**DAY PROGRAM, 9:00am-4:30pm**

Cathi Tactaquin, MC

Songs: *Profits Enslave the World, Pagbabalikwas*  
KDP History Slideshow, by Vince & Remy Reyes  
A Retrospective, Helen Toribio

Greetings by all former KDP members present  
(Lunch Break 12noon-1:30pm)

Songs: *Ang Masa, Somos Asiaticos*

Community Dialogue, Terry Bautista & Helen Toribio, Moderators

**DINNER, 7:00pm**

**MAKIBAKA CULTURAL NIGHT PROGRAM**

Ermena Vinluan & Helen Toribio, co-MCs

Opening Remarks and a Dedication by Jeannette Lazam

Songs: *Araw na Lubhang Mapanglaw, Awit ng Rebolusyonaryo, Mendiola*  
Scenes from the KDP's Sining Bayan productions of  
THE FRAMEUP OF NARCISO & PEREZ

**MINDANAO**

*Walnut Grove and Vegetables* written & performed by Robert Kikuchi-Yngojo

Memoirs from the KDP Book Project

Scenes from Sining Bayan's VISIONS OF A WARBRIDE

*The Martyr's Song* performed by Christopher Hershey & Andrea Harrington

Memoirs of the KDP

Medley *Ang Bayan Kong Hirang, Ang Bayan Ko, Kung Tuyo na ang Luha Mo Aking Bayan*

The KDP Book Project, Beth Rosales

Finale: *The Internationale/Ang Internasyonal*

C....E....L....E....B....R....A....T....I....O....N....(until 11:00pm)

Logistics of celebration.....

Park.... on the streets after 5 pm. Building parking closes at 11pm.

Childcare.... is from 9am to 12 noon, and 1:30 to 5 pm in Room 5.

Restrooms.... on hallway to the right of the auditorium.

**July 12 Picnic & KDP Trivia Game**  
**@ Knowland Park & Zoo, Lion Lookout site**  
Directions available at registration desk  
Bay Area hosts please sign up on what to bring

Thank you.....thank you.....thank you.....

**KDP REUNION '98  
PLANNING COMMITTEE**

Barbara Gaerlan  
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Remy Reyes  
Abe Ignacio  
Jeannette Lazam  
Sylvia Savellano  
Cathi Tactaquin  
Helen Toribio  
Ermena Vinluan

**SINGING GROUP**

Edwin Batongbacal  
Geline Avila  
Terry Bautista  
Midgio Galicia  
Barbara Gaerlan  
Vic Gaerlan  
Inday Refi  
Jeannette Lazam  
~~Annie Yu~~ David

**SINING BAYAN PLAYERS**

Ermena Vinluan  
Robert Kikuchi-Yngojo  
Annie Maramba Ferrell  
Gil Lazaro  
Mars Estrada  
Annie Yu David  
Wilma Consul (TNT)  
Midgio Galicia

**SLIDESHOW PRODUCTION**

Remy Reyes  
Vince Reyes

**TECHNICAL MANAGER**

Sylvia Savellano

**ARCHIVAL EXHIBIT**

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David, Fely Villasin

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