



AT THE HOSTS' RESIDENCE. Front: (seated on floor) Hosts Ven Reyes and to his right, (seated) Glo Sicut Reyes; (Clockwise from L-R) Celia Sicut Lorenzo, Emmy Tuano, Lettie Tempongco Figueroa, Luz Macalalad Yu, Lucinda de Leon, Evans Raymundo, Tessie G. Manigque, Nito Tuano and Alex J. Raymundo.

## UPCBA Class of 1959 Golden Jubilee reunion in San Jose

AN impromptu mini reunion by the members of the University of the Philippines College of Business Administration Class 1959 was held in San Jose, California on September 11 and 12, at the residence of Ven and Gloria Sicut Reyes.

The two day schedule began with an afternoon *merienda* of Filipino delicacies, followed by dinner, dancing and live music entertainment on the first day.

The second day started with an early morning mass At Saint Christopher church, breakfast and an excursion to San Jose's Santana row, Santa Clara University Campus, the Rose Garden and concluded by a visit to the Santa Clara Mission Church.

In attendance were alumni from Southern and Northern California classmates aptly naming themselves the California or West coast chapter of UP CBA Alumni Association.

True to Emily Posts' rules of perfect hosting Glo Sicut met the alumni from Southern California and offered their guests lodging and

generous servings of food, drinks, mid-day snacks, Non-stop introductions and conversations on subjects of each one's family brag book surfaced.

Intermission was provided on the spot through singing kundiman songs by Celia Sicut, the host's younger sister (*Minamahal Kita*, *Dahil Sa Iyo*, *Saan Ka Man Naroroon*, *Maalaala Mo Kaya*, *Bituin Marikit*, and many others) accompanied on the violin by another alumnus Alexis J. Raymundo and Gloria Sicut Reyes on the piano cum organ. Ven Reyes and Rene Figueroa continued the singing performances of the American song hits of Frank Sinatra and Elvis Presley while Lettie and Tessie and Celia all danced the boogie.

A bigger golden jubilee celebration for Class 1959 is set for December 5, 9am-3pm at the UP College of Business Administration Building at the UP Diliman campus in the Philippines. Contact Cecilia Mandapat at gmcmmandapat@yahoo.com. ■

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**SPEAKERS:**



**Dado Banatao** is the managing partner of Tallwood Venture Capital, a firm focusing on semiconductors and semiconductor related technologies. He is credited with developing several key semiconductor technologies and is regarded as a Silicon Valley visionary.



**Winston Damarillo**, CEO and Founder of Simula Labs ([www.simulalabs.com](http://www.simulalabs.com)), a Marina Del Rey-based firm that is developing companies based on open source software. Winston is the founder of Gluecode, which was purchased by IBM last year, and a former venture capitalist at Intel Capital.



**Sheila Marcelo** is a seasoned entrepreneur whose passion for business and family led to the founding of Care.com. She also served as an executive at several successful consumer internet companies including: Upromise and TheLadders.com.



**MODERATOR:**  
**Eric Manlunas** is the Founder and Managing Director of Frontera Group, LLC, a boutique venture capital firm focused on investing in early-stage emerging companies. He is a two-time start-up veteran turned venture capitalist with a strong passion for early-stage investing.

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