



## Primitiva B. Bondoc

December 27, 1933 - January 10, 2021

### Tribute for Primitiva Bondoc

Primitiva B. Bondoc (1933 - 2021) |

Primitiva “Perla” Bonus Bondoc (aka “Ima”), beloved wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, passed away peacefully on Sunday, January 10, 2021.

Perla was born in Capas, Tarlac, Philippines on December 27, 1933. She married her husband, Benedicto Bondoc in Angeles City in 1954 after a brief courtship. It was a classic case of love at first sight.

The couple established their home in Angeles City with Perla as a full-time housewife and mother of six children.

Perla was a generous, kind-hearted, warm and God-fearing individual. Their home was always open to everyone, and there was never a time when a relative or a friend did not feel welcome when visiting. Perla’s generosity not only showed in her sharing with neighbors but also in her support of her relatives and her husband’s siblings.

In 1988, Perla and Ben, with their youngest son, emigrated to the United States. They were followed a short time later by three of their children.

Formerly a full-time housewife and stay-at-home mom in the Philippines, Perla was very proud of her job accomplishments in the US.

She enjoyed ballroom dancing with her husband as her dance instructor and partner.

Perla was fervent in her Catholic faith, and expressed her gratitude and gratefulness to the Lord not only through her actions but through daily prayers, rosaries, and holy mass.

Perla touched a lot of lives wherever she lived, and was loved by everyone blessed and fortunate enough to have met her.

Perla is preceded in death by her husband, Ben, and survived by her sister Rosita, her children and their spouses, Joe and Edith, Teody, Carol, Rey and Emily, Julie and Clifford, Bernard and Debbie; ten grandchildren, Joyce, Jen, Joseph, Terrence, Troy , Kristoffer, Kristia, Kayla, Alexis, and Carissa; and four great-grandchildren, Adrian, Aaron, Alexine, and Khristine.

A viewing and the praying of the rosary, will be held at The Chapel of the Chimes on Sunday, January 24th, 2021.

A Celebration of Life, funeral mass, and interment will follow on Monday, January 25th, 2021.

NOTE: The Celebration of Life and funeral service will be live-streamed for relatives and friends who would like to join us remotely. Please click on the following link:

We, her family, are grateful that our Ima lived a life filled with love and happiness. But, it was time for her to join our Tang and our Lord in Heaven.

We also wish to especially thank our brother and his wife, Bernard and Debbie, for caring for our Ima, as well as the medical teams at Sutter Delta Medical Hospital and California Pacific Medical Center (CPMC) for their compassionate, caring, and professional help during Ima's final days.

# Events

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**JAN**   **Vigil and Rosary**   04:00PM - 07:00PM

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Chapel Of The Chimes

32992 Mission Blvd., Hayward, CA, US, 94544

**JAN**   **Funeral Service**   09:00AM - 11:00AM

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Chapel of the Chimes - Hayward

32992 Mission Boulevard, Hayward, CA, US, 94544

# Comments

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“ I had to go deep in the archive to find some pictures of this magnificent woman. Perla, let me call her "Ima," and even though she wasn't really my grandmother, I looked up to her as my own. She was always so kind to me, but never afraid to speak up. Her soft nature, kind heart, and spunky personality is forever engrained in my heart. I remember one time she taught me to cook adobo. I still have her hand written recipe and I still make it for my kids. It's hard to even imagine visiting Bernie & Debbie's home, and not seeing Ima. She will be missed greatly. I can only imagine the loss that your entire family is feeling right now. I hope and pray that you can all find some peace during this difficult time.

Many prayers,  
Jess

Jessie Donchess - January 25 at 12:45 PM

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“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Jessie Donchess - January 25 at 12:37 PM

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“ Julie and family, the Chaney, Jones and Hammonds family want you to know that you are in our prayers. Ima was a beautiful person inside and out, may God give you comfort at this difficult time. Sending prayers and condolences to you all. May the memories of Ima and her beautiful smile help you get through the loss, and the pain and may God bring you peace. We are here for you,

Karen Chaney - January 25 at 12:21 AM

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“ I vividly remember and will always be with me Tita Perla’s smile and warm welcome whenever we arrived in her home in Angeles City to celebrate Christmas with the Bondoc and Bonus families. I can still remember the smell of the kitchen while she prepared our food and her voice when they exchanged stories in Kapampangan...I remember how she fondly say that Joey looks like Joe and how she would ask me how my other brothers were. Although its been years that we have seen her, she will always be our in our heart. Rest in peace Tita Perla



Jay Bonus-Matillano - January 24 at 05:51 AM

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“ RIP Tita Pearl. We love you!



Michelle Bonus - January 23 at 03:09 PM

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“ Tita Pearl.. as I fondly call her will always be near and dear to my heart. Her smile warms my heart and reminds me of dad. Not to mention her mad cooking skills and good food. I will always be reminded of home whenever I come to visit the Bondoc family in SF. We love you Tita..we will miss you. I’m sure there’s a big reunion in heaven going on right now with Tito Ben, Dad and all your other siblings. Love, Michelle, Micmic, Jim, Mommy Chi, Franz,Krystle, Mike, Tita Del



Michelle Bonus - January 23 at 03:00 PM

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“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Primitiva B. Bondoc.



January 23 at 02:38 PM

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“ I will always remember Ima ‘ As one of the most loving and welcoming people I’ve been lucky enough to meet . When I would come to visit Ima would Always ask if we were hungry of you must say Yes !!!! Your hospitality in the way she made you feel so comfortable and so much at home she would go in the kitchen and make me and my husband and my daughter fried bananas I’ll never forget that !!! She always made me fried bananas so good!! Now it’s her time to go and fly high with the Angels! My Condolences to All the Bondoc Family Love All You Guys ! Your Parents Did A Great Job Raising You Guys !

**Francine Martin** - January 23 at 10:39 AM

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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Primitiva B. Bondoc.



January 23 at 10:27 AM

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“ Roses symbolizing our love for Ima. From Teody, Terrence, and Troy



**Teody Bondoc Esguerra** - January 22 at 05:23 PM

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“ The thing I'll miss most about "Ima" was her smile. He never failed to light up a room when she walked in, right? Everytime I come to visit bff mars Juls, Ima will always made me in the house laugh, and never ending story about Tatang Ben. Haha. Also, my favorite memory about Ima is her super yummy "Pancit Canton". I will always remember you everytime I'll cook Pancit Canton! Lol. I will never forget you, Ima and how kind you are. Thank you po for the love and memories! I love you and I will miss you so much! Fly high Ima...

**Cecilia Deleon** - January 22 at 04:42 AM



“ Thank you Cille. Ima's love and kindness is extraordinary and she touched a lot of hearts. Ima will always have a special place in our hearts forever....

**Julie B. Jackson** - January 22 at 06:27 PM

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“ I remember that Bob and I were allowed to sit with her at her table during Julie and Cliff's wedding. She was very welcoming and kind to us. I have warm memories of your Mother.

**Lucy Washington** - January 21 at 09:46 PM



“ Thank you Lucy....my Ima was loved by everyone

**Julie B. Jackson** - January 22 at 06:24 PM