MISCELLANEOUS PHOTOS WITH MY NYC-BASED SON, RAMON & FAMILY, DURING THEIR VISIT AUG 2011











Top left - Group photo at Ma's Makati house, with Norma, Ma, Danny, Lisa, Glenda, Ramon and kids Victoria & Emilio. Top right - Ma, Victoria and Emilio.

Middle left - Ma and great grand-daughter Victoria.

Bottom right - Ramon & kids mimicking the UP Oblation. This was on our way to Dennis's house in Quezon City.

Bottom left - At Dennis & Annie's place, with Danny, Gerard, Lisa, Victoria, Glenda, Annie, Dennis, David, George and Emilio. George's wife Gina and daughter Regine couldn't make it because both were recuperating from flu, Other daughter Sarah did greet us outside on her way to work.





Left - We were treated to an excellent dinner by Jun & Bengbeng Gil. It was a very fruitful meeting also because Ramon gave both their resumes for Jun's Executive Search Company. Ramon is looking at all options. Originally, Lisa and the two kids where supposed to be around, but the kids were tired, so they were left with Lisa at their hotel which happened to be nearby in the Makati Greenbelt area. In photo is Glenda, Jun, Bengbeng, Ramon and Danny.

Right - At the house of Ramon & Mimi Pasicolan, who together with Jimmy & Mercy Abad, hosted us for an excellent lunch earlier. Their house is a showcase. In photo is Lisa & Glenda, posing beside the Diwata statue on the wall.



Left - In Dumaguete right after flying in, we visited one set of Lisa's cousins most of whom were also visiting. That's Chito & Sonie from Canada, Alice, Pio from Florida, Stella from Chicago, Cyd from Zamboanga, Lisa, Ramon, Victoria, Emilio and Danny. Glenda took the picture. These set of cousins were having a grand family reunion timed also for their alma mater Silliman University's yearly celebration. Later today, we are hosting them all (plus more) at the beach house, with pig & goat lechons from the farm. This should be a unique treat for these NYC bred grandkids.



Left - Ramon trying out the air rifle while I sit on the porch step of the farm rest house. Orchid flowers are barely visible in background.

Right - Tilapia catch after trawling the fish tank. This is the second set of fish fingerlings after 4 months. We usually trawl half a dozen times before reseeding from free gov't agri bank.









Top left - Ramon with Emilio admiring one of the cows. Top - Victoria watches coco harvest. Goat hse beyond. Left - Glenda, Lisa & Emilio at the farm house patio.



Left - At the beach. The sea has encroached much closer to the beach house. Boat belongs to the Belgian next door who asked that it be berthed at our front because his front area is eroded.

Left below - Later when the tide went out, Glenda takes shots of Ramon and the kids who are digging up for clams.

Below - The kids getting used to what they don't have in NYC, "nannies". The two girls actually are our live-in hired help whom we send to school. Their role mainly is "bantay" at night when we are out of town. The regular cook and laundry girl are all day-time help.







Above - At the rate the sea is encroaching to the beach house, we might lose our frontage soon.

Danny Gil 8/30/11