

I Mina' Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

Resolutions Log Sheet

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352-32 (LS)	Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.	Relative to recognizing and congratulating Mrs. Joaquina Mendiola Robertoas she celebrates her one hundredth (101ST) year of life and further commending her as a "2014 Senior Citizens' Month Centenarian."	4/9/14 9:22 a.m.	5/6/14 9 a.m.			04/09/14

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May 1, 2014

MEMORANDUM

To: All Senators

From: Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

Subject: Presentation of Resolutions to Guam Senior Citizens Month Centenarians

Hafa Adai!

As celebrate and recognize our Senior Citizens during this month's festivities, please join me as I present Legislative Resolutions 350-32(LS) through 357-32(LS) to the following, congratulating them as recipients of the Senior Citizens Month Centenarian Award for 2014.

The resolutions will be presented to:

Mrs. Rita Calvo Artero
Mrs. Oliva Untalan Leon Guerrero Arroyo
Mrs. Irene Fernandez Laygo
Mrs. Regina M. Reyes
Mrs. Maura R. Robeniol
Mrs. Joaquina Mendiola Roberto
Mrs. +Carmen Navea Mina, awarded posthumously
Mrs. +Estelle Greenway Minot, awarded posthumously

The Presentation will take place on Tuesday, May 6, 2014 during the Senior Citizens Month Centenarian Celebration at the St. Dominic's Senior Care Home in Barrigada Heights beginning at 9am.

Together, let us recognize and congratulate our island Centenarians!

Si Yu'os Ma'ase'!

Joseph A. Q. Mesngon
Office of Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.
I Mina'trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guahan

Resolution No. 352-32 (LS)

Introduced by:
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Relative to recognizing and congratulating Mrs. Joaquina Mendiola Roberto as she celebrates her 101 years of life; and to further commending her as a "2014 Senior Citizens' Month Centenarian."

BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN:

WHEREAS, Joaquina Mendiola Roberto (*familian Gabiti*) was born on September 9, 1913; and her loving parents are Gabriel Santos Mendiola and Maria Benaventura Leon Guenzero. She is the eldest child of four children, and she took care of her siblings when her father went to work to support the family. He was a farmer and fisherman, who blessed his family with a beautiful home by the beach; however, their land was taken away by the government after World War II; and

WHEREAS, Joaquina married Juan G. Roberto on December 21, 1951, and together they raised seven children. Joaquina and Juan celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary on December 21, 2013; and

WHEREAS, Joaquina received her Bachelor's degree in education and she became a teacher. Her love for teaching was extended through an opportunity for her to improve the education of our island students when she became a Principal and served for 24 years at the *Talofajo* Elementary School and *Agat* Elementary School. She spent a total of 42 years with the Guam Department of Education, preparing our young generation for success in adulthood. She also served our elders in the community, as she taught Adult Basic Education at the *Talofajo* Elementary School from the 1960s to the 1970s, helping senior citizens to receive their high school diplomas; and

WHEREAS, Joaquina continued to play a big role in our island's development when she served as a member of the Guam Congress from 1948 to 1950; and

WHEREAS, as a disciple of Christ, Joaquina was also a very religious woman and she served as the President of the Christian Mothers, as well as being a member of the church choir. She took every opportunity she could to serve our island, but most importantly, to serve the Lord in all aspects of her life; and

WHEREAS, Joaquina was also a very passionate woman. Her hobbies included teaching, participating in church activities, and helping children. She highly valued education that when she adopted children outside of her family, she made sure that they were enrolled in school. She touched the lives of many students through her determination in making every child feel special and worthy of receiving the best education they can get; and

WHEREAS, as a woman filled with love and compassion, Joaquina shared these values within herself, for she was also very health conscious. She ate the right kinds of food, especially vegetables, and she only eats fish on Fridays; although she never really did any form of exercise; and

WHEREAS, Joaquina hails from the village of *Talofajo*, and she has seven children, twenty-one grandchildren, twenty-five great-grandchildren, and five great great-grandchildren; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that *I Mina Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guahan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize and congratulate Mrs. Joaquina Mendiola Roberto as she celebrates 101 years of life; and does further commend her as a "2014 Senior Citizens' Month Centenarian"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mrs. Joaquina Mendiola Roberto; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Magsalaba Guahan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THE 9TH DAY OF APRIL 2014.

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker

TINA ROSE MUNA BARNES
Legislative Secretary



I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2014 (SECOND) Regular Session

Resolution No. 352-32 (LS)

Introduced by:

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2 ***GUÅHAN*:**

3 **WHEREAS,** Joaquina Mendiola Roberto (*familian Gabit*) was born on
4 September 9, 1913; and her loving parents are Gabriel Santos Mendiola and Maria
5 Benaventura Leon Guerrero. She is the eldest child of four children, and she took
6 care of her siblings when her father went to work to support the family. He was a
7 farmer and fisherman, who blessed his family with a beautiful home by the beach;
8 however, their land was taken away by the government after World War II; and

1 **WHEREAS**, Joaquina married Juan G. Roberto on December 21, 1951, and
2 together they raised seven children. Joaquina and Juan celebrated their 62nd
3 wedding anniversary on December 21, 2013; and

4 **WHEREAS**, Joaquina received her Bachelor’s degree in education and she
5 became a teacher. Her love for teaching was extended through an opportunity for
6 her to improve the education of our island students when she became a Principal
7 and served for 24 years at the *Talofof* Elementary School and *Agat* Elementary
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10 elders in the community, as she taught Adult Basic Education at the *Talofof*
11 Elementary School from the 1960s to the 1970s, helping senior citizens to receive
12 their high school diplomas; and

13 **WHEREAS**, Joaquina continued to play a big role in our island’s
14 development when she served as a member of the Guam Congress from 1948 to
15 1950; and

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19 island, but most importantly, to serve the Lord in all aspects of her life; and

20 **WHEREAS**, Joaquina was also a very passionate woman. Her hobbies
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24 students through her determination in making every child feel special and worthy
25 of receiving the best education they can get; and

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12 Mrs. Joaquina Mendiola Roberto; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I*
13 *Maga’lahen Guåhan*.

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TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
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I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÃHAN
2014 (SECOND) Regular Session

Resolution No. 352-32 (LS)

Introduced by:

Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr. *ov*

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Relative to recognizing and congratulating Mrs. Joaquina Mendiola Roberto as she celebrates her one hundredth (101ST) year of life and further commending her as a “2014 Senior Citizens’ Month Centenarian.”

1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF**
2 ***I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÃHAN:***

3 **WHEREAS**, Joaquina Mendiola Roberto, from the familian “Gabit” was
4 brought into this world on September 9, 1913, from her loving parents Gabriel
5 Santos Mendiola and Maria Benaventura Leon Guerrero. She is the eldest of four
6 children and took care of her siblings as her father would work to support the
7 family. He was a farmer and fisherman, who blessed his family with a beautiful
8 home by the beach. However, their land was taken away by the government after
9 World War II; and

10 **WHEREAS**, Joaquina married her current husband, Juan G. Roberto on
11 December 21, 1951, and together raised 7 children. Joaquina and Juan celebrated
12 their 62nd wedding anniversary on December 21, 2013; and

13 **WHEREAS**, Joaquina received her Bachelor’s degree in education and was
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18 can get; and

19 **WHEREAS**, as a woman filled with love and compassion, she shared these
20 values within herself, for Joaquina was also very health conscious. She ate the right
21 kinds of food especially vegetables and strictly eats fish on Fridays; although she
22 never really did any form of exercise; and

23 **WHEREAS**, Joaquina comes from the village of Talofofu. She has 7
24 children, 21 grandchildren, and 25 great-grandchildren, and 5 great, great-
25 grandchildren; and, therefore be it

26 **RESOLVED**, the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na I*
27 *Liheslaturan Guåhan*, does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the

1 people of Guam, recognize and congratulate Mrs. Joaquina Mendiola Roberto as
2 she celebrates one hundred and one (101) years of life and further commending her
3 as a “2014 Senior Citizens’ Month Centenarian;” and be it further

4 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on
5 Rules certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to the adoption hereof, and
6 that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mrs. Joaquina Mendiola
7 Roberto; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga’lahen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES
OF *I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE _____
DAY OF APRIL, 2014.**

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D
Speaker

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Chairman, Committee on Rules

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary

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