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#### **Speech Of President Rodrigo Roa Duterte During The Unveiling Of Marker Of Mella Hotel**

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Kindly sit down. Thank you for your courtesy.

Senator Cynthia Villar, ma'am; our birthday celebrant for today and my good friend, my former Speaker on the 11<sup>th</sup> Congress Manny Villar and his family; Public Works Highways Secretary Mark Villar, one of the performers in my Cabinet and the other members of the Cabinet; invited guests; mga kababayan ko

I would like to take this opportunity to first greet Senator Villar, Manny, my Speaker, on his birthday. It is indeed an occasion to celebrate not only his natal day, but also his meaningful contributions to our nation's overall advancement.

Senator Villar is truly an epitome of diligence and hard work. Coming from a poor family, Senator Villar used his hardships as an inspiration to push through and persevere. I recognize his admirable determination to become what he is today despite his humble beginnings. Nakakatuwa nga talaga ang istorya niya.

Indeed, his sipag at tiyaga --- dapat ang ito ang sana ang ginamit ko sipag at tiyaga --- *[laughter and cheers]* Eh nagkamali kasi 'yung mga PR ko, DDS eh *[laughter]* Davao Death Squad. *[laughter]*

Indeed, his sipag at tiyaga should remain a guidepost for every Filipino in reaching and realizing his aspirations in life. Let us emulate these traits so that we may also succeed as millionaires, I think, or billionaire --- no, succeed in our respective interests and pursuits.

You know, lahat dito sa mundo it's destiny. Manny Villar is destined to be a billionaire and a public servant and he's splendid one at that. His gift to the nation is the example that has given us that if you have the tiyaga at sipag,

it not might be in the other dimensions of life, pero definitely you will have success.

Me, my presidency is a gift from God and my gift to the Filipino people. Baka kung makulong ako, then my gift to you is my freedom. And if I have to go to jail for killing these idiots, I will do it and it's gonna be so be it.

The unveiling of the markers and the blessing of the Las Piñas Drug Abuse Treatment and Rehabilitation Center and the Mella Hotel are once again a testament to his continued efforts to uplift the lives of many Filipinos.

Sa totoo lang I welcome investments. Not desperately trying to showcase a place where there are tall buildings or a modern one, or a crowded greater Manila area. Ang habol ko lang talaga diyan sa totoo lang except for the taxes which are really minimal, 'yung trabaho ng Pilipino. Iyan lang ang hinahabol ko.

I don't go for a --- that one day I'd see Manila bustling with tall buildings, skyscraper, nothing of that sort. Ang tanging ano ko lang with my short stint as I only have three years or two years left is really na makapagtrabaho lang ang Pilipino.

It is not the time to be dreaming of grandiose achievements kasi mahirap lang tayo. We do not have the money actually. So that we need investments and may I also just would like to take --- we do take something about: oil.

Everything that you see here is oil. The floor that you are stepping on is oil, the thing in front of me is oil, 'yung sige kuha ng camera diyan, not himself but the camera is oil. Everything, your shoes, because they are made of machines and is always empowered or powered with oil.

Hindi pa panahon ng mga itong innovations sa bago kulang pa ang solar. It has yet to be perfected. There's a lot of it I know but we have not reached the apex of our innovation on that particular field. So tayo Pilipinas we are the ones that...

I am not questioning God. But right after the war, Second World War, that's about the time when we were born, ako, every nation that were involved in the Second World War started to rehabilitate. And the first thing that they did was really to go after the natural resources. You know in Asia the first to struck oil was Indonesia and then Malaysia and Brunei.

But I do not know what happened along the way. Since we occupy the same trench, the big one, and even our continental shelves inside under the

breadth of the high seas, pare-pareho lang man ang pictures and yet we were not given by God oil.

So every time there's an oil increase, lahat 'yan two weeks after, 15 days after, the prices of everything follow suit. Kaya kung maski na patayin ninyo ako, sunugin ninyo 'yung Congress, wala talaga tayong magawa because we are dependent on oil.

And we do not have the buffer stock na reserba na sabihin natin, "Huwag na natin gamitin ito, this is a reserve. Just increase if there is trouble or World War again or what." You have the stock to move your country.

Eh ang problema tayo wala. We have an inventory. I don't know 45 days maybe more, ganun din. And rice, we have lost the arable lands. In Mindanao, the landowners there who were the first to be given large tracts of lands during the Spanish and the American periods, sila 'yung ibinigay. Iyan 'yang homestead na 'yan. That's an American invention. That's the homestead of America. They patterned our distribution of lands. Kaya noon pwede kang kumuha ng seven hectares, 24 if you are a corporation.

But along the way, they forgot that there was also the Adam and Eve of Mindanao. The Visayans were called Sugbuanon, it's not the Cebuano. The originals would say, "Taga saan ka?" "Sugbu." Then the Hiligaynons, then you have the Maranaos and then you have the Tausugs and everything.

But 80 years before the Spaniards came in 1521 or 22, dumating si Magellan. Nagkalat ang g\*\*\* dito. Hindi naman niya lupa ito. Akin ito, akin ito, kaya nagalit si Lapu-Lapu. He was actually a Muslim. Kaya tinaga talaga siya. Ganun-ganun. Those are the nuances of colonialism.

And for a part, the latest ruckus is the return of the Balangiga bell. Now let me be very clear on this, here and now. The credit of the return of the Balangiga does not belong to any worker or officials of government. The return of the bells were upon the demand of the Filipino people. *[applause]* Nobody but nobody should ever claim success for that. It was a property of...

May pari dito? *[laughter]* Wala ng pari, sir? Is there a priest here? Ihulog kita dito sa stage lalo na kung obispo ka. *[laughter]*

Well, it's a property of the Catholic faith --- the Roman Catholic faith. But I'd like to order the protocol now. Ngayon lang pumasok sa isip ko. There's going to be a High Mass. I will not be there. I will just float along the coastal shores of Samar. And when we are ready to --- take note. Wala kayo nito.

Huwag na lang muna kayo makinig. Mag-usap-usap lang muna kayo diyan. *[laughter]*

It's going to be like this. The American government will give it back to me. Then I will give it to the local executives. And the local executives will turn it over to its rightful owner, the people of Balangiga and 'yung pari doon. Kanila 'yun. So hanggang dito lang ako. I do not want to hear the mass. I have heard all the masses in the world.

Kayo graduate ng Ateneo 'di ba every Friday, since Kindergarten 'yan. You go to confession. P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* maski na... *[laughter]* High school. "What are your sins my son?" "P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*..." Alam mo na kung ano ginagawa niyo kay mga lalaki.

"It's not a sin."

"C'mon boy, tell me about your sins." "I went to the..." "To the what?"

"To the rooms of the --- to the maids." "And?" "I...I..." "What?" "I, I, I lifted the blanket." "That's bad. Why?" "Because I wanted to see what's inside it." "Oh." And the idiot was fondling us. Kaya nung --- wala na sira na.

"And after that, you went back to your room?" "No. I went somewhere else." "Oh where?" "To the bathroom." "What did you do there?" "Same as last week, the one I confessed." "I do not remember you confessing anything. What's that?"

Huwag na kay magagalit si Ma'am Cynthia. *[laughter]*

This DATRC will definitely help hundreds of drug dependents from the southern part of Metro Manila and in nearby provinces such as Cavite.

Let me repeat it again for all. Do not go into drugs because if you do that, I will kill you. If you destroy our children, then I'll just have to kill you. I do not take anything back. I state it with more clarity every time. Do not f\*\*\* with my country.

Alam mo, ang social dysfunction madali 'yan eh. May --- sir can I have a longer time? *[laughter]* Because I just want you --- kasi extrajudicial, extrajudicial killing. That's b\*\*\* s\*\*\*.

Alam mo itong mga human rights. "Look at Duterte." They go everywhere. Seven hundred --- a time of the --- a time of the --- woman of the century and all. Inyo na 'yan.

Ako simple lang ako. I'm a worker of government and I work for the people. The long and short of my oath is: I have to protect the people of the Republic of the Philippines and I have to preserve the nation. *[applause]* Wala nang iba.

Kaya pagka pumasok ka diyan and even if I'm the only one trying to answer or to justify my actuations, I will do it. As I have said, even if it would cost my freedom. I will go to prison.

The presidency is a gift from God and my gift to the Filipino people would be my freedom, if I have to go to jail. So, again, be it. Mas mabuti 'yang klaro tayo diyan.

Eh pinaka --- 'yung seven... 20,000 deaths? Okay. It does not say, where did it happen? What actually happened? How did it happen? When? Where? Wala. Basta nakalista diyan bulagta, extrajudicial killing.

Maybe the 4,100 plus. Sabi ng pulis, they killed --- they were killed because they offered to resist violently. Then I take full responsibility for it. Sabi ko sa pulis, sa military, mag-trabaho lang kayo. And if it is done in accordance with the rules of law, and there's the only one. There are two --- of course it's a one chapter. But if it is in self-defense, in the performance of your duty, you think that you'll lose your --- not only your pants but your life, then you have to kill. Go ahead.

Then in defense of a relative o inaatake ng mga durugista or a stranger being killed, hinohold-up kasi walang pera pang-droga, then go ahead. It will be my pleasure to see dead criminals. Wala tayong neutral diyan. I do not apologize for it. I offer no explanation. I am just stating the law as it is.

So 'yan. Kaya nagpapasalamat ako kasi 'yung aabot diyan sa [DATRC], mag-ano kayo because maybe it might help you. Pero ako, I love my country and I will do everything to see to it that my country survives.

Alam mo bakit? Okay. I'll give you an explanation. Binaril 'yung p\*\*\*\*\* j\*\* na 'yan, nakabulagta diyan. Lista ka, "wanted". Anong ginawa nito? You want your enemies to suffer? You just get one of the family into drugs, two or three and it will be hell for them in this planet.

Meron kang isa dalawa na anak nasa droga, that family is dysfunctional. Now, if it is the father, the breadwinner, who is addicted or contaminated,

he does not work anymore, he is still malnourished because they do not eat. Mabuti rin 'yan para walang rice crisis. P\*\*\*\*\* j\*\*\*\*\* 'yan. [laughter]

Hindi na. He does not go to work. He sits there in stupor and wait for the drugs to come. If it does not have any money, he would start to sell everything. Tanungin ninyo 'yan may tinamaan. They start to lose things in their house then pati 'yung mga kotse nila ipinagbibili.

The family is dysfunctional already. Wala nang nagtatrabaho para magbili ng pagkain. Wala nang magbayad sa tuition. Wala ng pamasaha ang mga bata. And it is not a single family for one day, itong durugista na ito. He is able to distribute and convert new ones to support his habit.

Then magsabi ka, if this guy can contaminate about 50 a month then count how many are those who are peddlers or the merchants of death and you have about in one month, 100 --- 1,000 in this place alone or in your barangay, totally dysfunctional families. Multiply that by the years and think what will happen. Look at the environment. Tingnan mo 'yung suicide rate, in Bacolod, in Davao.

At ang masakit sa akin, although you might say, "pretended sentiment lang 'yan ni Duterte." Eh mabuti kayo kay mayaman kayo. Ako, galing sa mahirap. Hindi ko na sabihin mahirap ako ngayon. Medyo mahal nga itong t-shirt ko eh. [laughter] Anong logo nga ito? Ibinigay lang 'to. Uniqlo man lang ako. It's black and white. But sometimes, I get to have this combination. Sigurado ako ibinigay 'yan. Ah 'yan ang --- Uniqlo kasi mura tapos durable. Kita mo, it's a white or black. That's it.

Ngayon, 'yung iba. Ilang libong Pilipina umaalis every year outside? They number now about two million. It used to be one million Filipinos working outside. More than half of them are domestic helpers.

I'm telling you. I've been there to fix a case for a Davaoeña who was arrested for giving rosaries. So kayo 'pag nandoon kayo, you obey... That's the problem, you start to mess up with the rules. You know when you start to screw up there and so ito nagpunta.

But I was --- I was able to catch up with King Fahd. It was a little bit --- he was --- may Alzheimer's na noon. Maybe it was very lucky for me to catch up with him sa... And he understood my plea. And he agreed. But the minister of that court there, sabi niya. You better talk to your counterpart.

One of the reasons why we're with my Speaker when we went there. Sinabi niya not all --- remember ha lest I be misquoted --- not all, but there are certain Arab tribes in the Arab country, different Arabs, that if you are a slave working for the family, if you are bought from the slave markets of Africa usually black, or you are a paid servant there, rape is always inevitable.

So how many stories, sad stories do you hear? Are all of these incidents there reported? No. Why? Because they will have to go home. You start to complain, you lose the employment.

So magbili na lang sila sa mga pills diyan kung saan nila makuha and they endure bestiality, they endure human degradation and the loss of human dignity. Titiisin nila 'yan p\*\*\*\*\* j\*\* dahil kailangan na ng pera para ipadala dito. Ipapadala dito tapos pagdating dito itong mga p\*\*\*\*\* j\*\* gaganunin talaga nila 'yan hanggang bumigay ang bata. Alam nila may pera na dumadating.

Ngayon itong mga animal na 'to alam nila may pera 'yan sila. 'Pag nahulog na 'yan, so 'yung new recruit he will have to find a new recruit also to sustain his habit. That's how it spreads in society.

Now tell me. Iyong iba ipinapasok sa refrigerator, iyong iba pinapatay. How many times have you read... Tell me the truth now. Look me into the eyes. Ilang Pilipino tumatalon sa bintana? What does that indicate? It happens almost everyday. "Filipina jumps." What does that show then? It's desperation. Baka hindi na kaya talaga ng katawan.

You know baka hindi ninyo alam ha maglinis 'yan sa employer niya, the one who got her to work in that house. Then after that she goes to the house of her daughter-in-law and cleans the house. And then he goes to another relative, maybe the sister of... And she cleans the house.

That is why ang --- uniform ang kanila. How many hours of sleep do you get? Three hours. What's the food? It's hogwash. Hindi mo ma --- eh kayo mga mayaman kayo. Napunta na man kayo doon. Kaya ninyo magkain?

Ako sa totoo lang --- ask anybody pati si Speaker --- ako nagbabaon ng carne norte pati tuyo. Maski doon sa labas sa Papua New Guinea, 'yon ang pagkain ko araw-araw. Ipinapaluto ko lang sa...

I'm not given to that iyong mga they say sa ano. Susmaryosep. Ugh. *[laughter]* Wala naman 'yan. No specific country but iyon hindi ko talaga kaya. Carne norte kasi sanay ang...

Alam mo the average family Filipino oh walang pagkain, ah carne norte kaagad, sardinas. Eh 'yon ang pagkain ko not because I cannot afford the itong mga... But because I just want to eat simple foods. Why? Because nasanay ang dila ko. Why? Because I have no money? No, I have money.

I can eat at... This night I can make a tour of five, six hotels. I can afford it now pero credit card lang. Saan ang bag ko? *[laughter]*

Kaya 'yan. So kayong mga durugista o may kilalang durugista o galit sa akin kasi pinatay ko 'yung kaibigan ninyo, anak ninyo, p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* sila ang sabihan mo. If you want these killings stopped, if you want to live peacefully, if you are afraid of EJK, there's only one simple thing that you have to do. Just drop it and it will end tomorrow. I assure you. Eh kung may magpatay pa ng pulis diyan sila ang patayin ko. Just drop it.

At saka iyong mga pulis bantay kayo sa akin. Of late, kita mo namamatay puro opisyal. Major --- major major problem ka. *[laughter]* T\*\*\* i\*\* mo huwag mo akong bigyan ng b\*\*\*s\*\*\* na ganun. Mindanao ito hindi ito taga-Maynila. Huwag mo akong ganunin kasi...

Well more or less ganun ang warning. Eh kung marinig ito nang iba, sabihin ko lang naman na istorya ko lang man 'yon para pabilibin ko si sir pati si Ma'am Cynthia. *[laughter]* Istorya man lang. Maniwala pala kayo? *[laughter and applause]*

Pero ganon na daw. You have been to Davao. I could see that... Well, most of you must have been there. O tingnan mo ang Davao. You can walk. Do



not f\*\*\* it up because I will... Do not spoil the day for the Filipino para wala tayong gulo.

Ako wala akong ito. Ayan si ma'am, sila lahat. I tell you now again and again, there is no document or documents involving money public or private projects and everything. It does not reach my table either in the office or in my house. It begins and starts with a Cabinet member. Wala ako.

All I receive is mga two thousand seven --- twenty seven. That's all, wala na. Maghanap kayo ng dokumento either in Congress, COA wala talaga kayo --- wala kayong makita ni approved or disapproved. Kanila 'yan.

Ako mga appointments then policies pati 'yung mga policies natin with our bilateral and multilateral commitment. Hanggang diyan lang ako. Kaya kung magmura ako ng tao pati 'yung ABS-CBN p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* ko kasi wala talaga kayong makita sa akin.

Pag-alis ko halungkatin mo 'yan. Eh siguro may makita ka ng bra 'yan o panty pero sa mga ano 'yan staff hindi sa akin 'yan. Because I am celibate. *[laughter]*

Maski anong gawin mo. Sinong 73 dito? Bilib ako sa iyo kung... *[laughter]* I will make you the deputy president sabihin ko. *[laughter]*

Wala na 'yan. Kaya kayo ma'am 'yung sabi maglakad-lakad aysus. *[laughter]* Huwag ka nang umuwi p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* mo sige. *[laughter]* Wala na 'yan. Istorya na lang ang... Ako no more. Wala na talaga. *[laughter]* Iyan ang totoo.

So isiningit ko 'yung istorya about drugs para ma --- you will understand me. You say that I'm a killer, yes I am. For my country, I will kill you. For gain personal, too late to start it. Too late.

So... Well, I've been mayor also for the longest --- 23 years akong mayor sa Davao. I never lost an election. Diretso-diretso na ako hanggang... Hindi ko nga alam kung bakit nanalo ako dito. *[laughter]*

Frankly, except for si ma'am and si Speaker. But maybe just for old times' sake. But I could only count about four or five politicians all over the country. Wala akong ni isang kagawad, barangay captain, wala. And yet, I won. And so I asked God.

Huwag kayong maniwala diyan sa mga buang na obispo na 'yan. I never said, "I do not believe in God". Kindly revisit my statement. I said, "Your God is stupid. My God has a lot of common sense." Those were the exact words.

Kasi when you use religion as a platform to attack me, then do not be surprised... Sino man ang anuhin ko? Then the platform itself which is really the Roman Catholic Church.

At sabi ko, "Patayin mo 'yang mga obispo na 'yan." Kung sila mismo sa misa nila, saying a mass there --- I think it was Trillanes who was there. Sabi ng pari, "Sana mamatay na ito si Duterte."

Kung kayong mga pari, mga obispo, mga p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* kayo, if you can say that to me, wish me the --- to die in a mass, eh bakit ako hindi makasalita? 'Di kayo rin. Tupal, sino man maniwala na magpunta kayo ng langit? *[laughter]*

You're dreaming. Ay lahat tayo magkita-kita sa impiyerno, kabaklaan ninyong *[laughter]* mga p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* kayo. Eighty-five percent of them are homosexual. Alam ninyo 'yan. Iyong ibang naiwan na 15, ayun, nagkakalat sa mundo.

Nabasa naman ninyo 'yung "Altar Secrets" 'no? Hindi ako nag --- I'm not --- this is not a campaign for the... Pero may --- may percentage ako nito sa publisher eh. *[laughter]* Totoo. Sabi niya.

"Altar Secrets". It is there. Pati 'yung orphanage nila, mga anak ng pari. Ito dito si Bacani ang number one. *[laughter]* And there's another one if you can --- nawala kasi 'yung akin. But it's just somewhere there sa --- it's either in Davao or here.

"The Popes". Plural. Popes. Iyon ang basahin niyo. It's a totally --- from the Inquisition down to torture down to Lucrezia Borgia. Nanganak siya ng --- anak siya ng pope and they had incest. At 'yung incestuous child nila became eventually a pope.

That is the scandal which they cannot deny because that is history. Kaya kung gusto ninyo, we can have a public debate in Luneta. Line up all of your orators and public speakers na mahusay. Ako, mag-Tagalog lang ako pati Bisaya. Y\*\*\* mo. *[laughter]*

That's a problem. I could only remember one president, Ramos who advocated family planning pati ako. One hundred ten million. Sabi ko wala nga tayong arable land eh. They sold it to the multinationals.

But it's now the practice all over the Philippines. It's cash crop. Taniman 'yan, i-harvest, ipagbili. Who gets the profit? The multinational of course. Anong umabot sa Pilipino? Eh di 'yung sweldo ng agricultural worker. Wala na tayo.

At whatever is left or a residual aside kasi walang bagyo doon eh, kasi you can plant anything and it grows. Dito, tinatamaan ng bagyo. So those are the dynamics that plays out in this country.

Eh totoo man sinasabi ko. As a matter of fact, if you think that I'm lying, you can all pray in unison. Patayin mo na ako. Ayan naman talaga ang gusto ko. Magpahinga na rin. Kasi alam mo, pagkatapos ko ng presidente, anong gawin ko? Hindi na ako makatangga, hindi na ako makatang --- kagawad. *[laughter]*

Mabuti kung tanggapin ako dito --- tig-ano na lang... Ma'am, baka may trabaho ka sa akin diyan. *[laughter]* Wala na.

So by the time I'm 73, 76, I'm done. What am I supposed to do? Maglabas ako? Talagang puputulin ang ulo ko sa mga p\*\*\*\*\* j\*\* 'yan. *[laughter]* NPA, durugista, karami kaya 'yan.

By the time, gusto ko magsabi 'yung pari, "Mamatay sana. Just pray for..." Sabi ko, "Okay, God. I accept that..." Mamatay ako, I like it. But bigyan mo lang ako ng konting panahon para makumpleto ko lang 'yung trabaho ko para madagdagan 'yung population sa impiyerno kasi medyo kulang na eh. *[laughter]*

Talagang pulpog na 'yung iba. Wala na makuha si satanas. Ashes. Tatal ang kasama ko doon mga pari, hold-upper. *[laughter]* Lahat 'yang lahat obispo na mga bakla. Eh sigurado 'yan.

Kaya 'yung pinalitan nito, itong pope ngayon. Itong pope ngayon, progressive 'to. Diyan ako, bilib ako. Saludo talaga ako dito. Pero 'yung nauna, why was he...  
But there's another scandal brewing now. Iyon. Because of homosexuality. He was dancing all night in Vatican.

Alam ko 'yan kasi ako nung maliit pa, twice or thrice a week nakaluhod ako diyan sa altar. Nakaganun pa. Magbaba lang 'yan nang konti, pakkk! Kaya 'yung nanay ko, kung buhay pa 'yan ngayon, idemanda ko talaga sa child abuse. *[laughter]*

P\*\*\*\* j\*\*\* nanay mo, maski anong mahawakan mo. Kaya 'yung sobrang --- magsabi, "Ah, tatal marami akong anak, patayin kita l\*\*\*\* ka." Pero kung isa lang, medyo --- kung marami kayo? Ah. Kaya 'yung noon, 'yung crucifix na...

But since my mother died, hindi na ako nabalik sa ancestral house. Dinadaan ko na lang, pero ayaw ko. Talagang mama's boy man rin ako. Pero minsan mag-ganun, nakaganun 'yan si Hesukristo. Minsan mag --- siguro maawa, sabi niya, "Anak."

Narinig ko 'to, "Anak, pareho talaga ang swerte natin." *[laughter]* Sabi ko, "Hesus, ang anak ko hindi --- mama ko hindi man Hudyo. Ikaw...." Balik tayo sa... *[laughter]* Sige kayo tawa diyan eh.

I am glad to know that DOH, the DILG, the Vice Mayors League of the Philippines, and the Provincial Board Members League of the Philippines will work closely together for the effective management of this facility.

Hindi ako nagbibiro, sir. Kailangan you study the man. I'm --- 'yung sa harap ninyo. Tingnan ninyo ngayon sa --- look at... Lahat-lahat sila politiko, pati si sir.

Tingnan mo kung sino pinakamabait. Sinong hindi magnanakaw? At sino 'yung --- 'pag wala na ako, sino sa kanila magsabi in public, "p\*\*\*\*\* j\*\*, patayin mo 'yan." Sige daw. All prim and proper 'yan eh pakunwari.

Kasi kung takot ka mamatay o takot kang pumatay, huwag kang mag-presidente. It's not for you. Tingnan mo ang nangyari nung ano... Kailan lang

lumabas? When I became President. Then I demanded Bato, inilagay ko. "Buksan mo lahat."

So what did we find out? One point six... Si Santiago noon one – tig three million. One point six million Filipinos who are slaves to drugs called shabu and everything else. They are slaves because they are already inutile and they need the monkey off his back. Kasi hindi maka-ganun, kakati at gaganun ang katawan. Iyan ang mangyari.

That 1.6 is all over the country selling shabu. How much do you think you need time to correct all of these? To arrest the aberration in our society? 'Yan ang tandaan ninyo. Hindi ninyo kailangan na ano --- na ano, honestly.

Si Sir Manny nag-prepare na talaga. Mayaman naman siya. Then he's reaching out to his fellowmen. Kung mag-presidente siya nandiyan 'yung rehab. Tapos magpagawa ka na lang ng crematorium lang, sir. *[laughter]* I-improve mo lang, magsugba (grill) ka lang sampu araw-araw, maubos 'yan sila. *[laughter]*

This initiative is consistent with our efforts to eradicate the drug problem in the country. I therefore thank Senators Manny and Cynthia, their children, the entire SIPAG Foundation, and all communities involved in this endeavor for staying true to the commitment of leading our people towards more dignified and meaningful lives.

Let me also welcome the latest addition to the lineup of the Vista Land and Lifescapes: the Mella Hotel.

Wala masyadong tao dito 'no north naga-ano? Mabuti 'yang --- medyo malayo ma'am. Maraming cover oh, wala namang --- wala ka mang makita magpasok dito. *[laughter]* Pwede na tayo dito 'pag wala si Mar --- si ma'am. Si Sir Manny okay lang 'yan. *[laughter]* Ganun man lang 'yan siya. Paborito... Sige lang kay malapit ka na.

Let --- without... Nawala na tuloy ako. *[laughter]* Huwag kayo mag --- 'wag kayo mag-sige tawa diyan. *[laughter]*

Let me also welcome the latest addition to the lineup of Vista Land and Lifescapes. As a Spanish-themed structure with more than a hundred rooms, various dining halls, banquet halls, and conference rooms.

Ang... *[Pwede magtingin sa kwarto, sir?] [laughter] [Ah meron na? Hala wala dito 'yung...]* Sino man daw girlfriend ko be? *[laughter]* O sino? Ha, sino? Ah 'yon asawa ko 'yun. Girlfriend... *[laughter]*

Bigyan ko kayo ng hint. Nandito siya nakatira. *[cheers]* Maganda siya. *[cheers]* Medyo ... Sino? *[laughter]* May kalandian siya. *[laughter]* Hindi naman siya mataas, hindi naman siya ma... Maganda ang mukha niya, pero ang t\*\*\*\*\* selosa. *[laughter]*

Marami namang --- marami naman siya noon. Bakit ako ang ginagantihan? Hindi, wala na. *[laughter]*

Without a doubt, this hotel will generate employment and livelihood opportunities for the people of Las Piñas and surrounding localities as well as create a positive impact on the area's tourism industry.

I thank again the Villar Family for sharing their blessings to the Filipinos from all walks of life, especially those who need to reform the lives of those who have gone astray. I hope it could go a long way to help with the addicts. The lives of those who have gone astray because of illegal drugs.

Your partnership with the government in advancing the condition of our kababayans is truly commendable. I pray to God, 'yung Diyos natin. Hindi ko maintindihan.

Ganun ang chalice ng --- gold. 'Yung ostiya minsan kuripot ang mga --- bahaw na. May amoy man itong p\*\*\*\*\*... *[laughter]* 'Pag ganun sa kamay

mo you take a deep breath. Padre p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* amoy na 'to, naamoy ko rin ito kagabi. *[laughter]* Saang --- saang bar ka ba kagabi? Nalimutan mo maligo --- ang animal.

I pray that your endeavors and advocacies will continue to serve the needs of the Filipino people.

To Senator Manny Villar, may you have more years to come and I hope that you will continue to inspire and help more Filipinos who also want to uplift their conditions and enjoy more comfortable and progressive lives.

Again, happy birthday and congratulations for all of your... *[cheers and applause]*

I think it's sold in malls, but online meron 'to. *[laughter]* Ang dito sa last paragraph, "And lo and behold, president --- the late Rodrigo Duterte, President *[laughter]* was all along right in his attacks against the church, because they were valid and the truth." We stick with it. Thank you. *[applause]*

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