



ZENITH VELASQUEZ AGUILAR '60

A husband remembers

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Zenith Velasquez was born on January 9, 1936. She was one of six siblings. She was raised in the sprawl of the quaint and rolling hills of the Mountain Province in the Philippines.

She graduated in 1960 from St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing. In 1963, she immigrated to the United States to join her physician husband who was then on the exchange visitor training program. She demonstrated her nursing proficiency at the New York Ear and Eye Infirmary, Lutheran Medical

Center, Family Health Center and Victory Memorial Hospital. She retired as a nurse supervisor at Norwegian Christian Nursing Home in 2000.

She passed away five years after her retirement, on May 3, 2005. She was 70 years old. She is survived by her husband, Robustiano, her three children, Alice, Robin, Jr., Christer and four sisters and a brother.