



FAMILY INTRODUCTION SHEET from THE PHILIPPINES



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Area : 14-01-7879
Province : Bulacan
District : City of San Jose Del Monte
Community : Pabahay Resettlement
Nationality : Filipino

Dear Sponsor,

On behalf of the Pearl S. Buck Foundation-Philippines, Inc. (PSBP), I am pleased to introduce Ria M. Romero and her family. Born on July 16, 2016, she is now an active 6-year-old girl. They call her Iyah as her nickname.

Iyah is in good health and did not suffer from any major illness this past year. She is an active 1st grader student at Muzon Pabahay Elementary School, a government school located 500 meters away from their residence. She walks in going to and from her school. She likes the subject MAPEH, and her favorite school activities are Writing and Physical Education. She dreams of becoming a Policewoman someday.

As a young child, Iyah loves to play. She likes to play hide and seek, race, and toys with her friends. Some of her favorite hobbies are drawing people, watching cartoons, reading school books. More than just enjoying her childhood through playing and doing recreational activities, she helps with the daily household chores as well like running simple errands during her spare time.

Iyah lives with her family. Her Mother, Mia Manalon, 24 years old, works as a Saleslady and earns \$180 a month, while her father stays at home at the moment because of his asthma. Her grandmother is working as well as a sewer and earns \$110 a month. Their earnings are usually spent on basic necessities like food, education, utilities, and medicines. I would like to introduce to you the other members of the family:

Name	Sex	Age	Relation to SC	Current Activity	Health Condition
Garry A. Romero	Male	27	Father	-	Asthmatic
Yarry M. Romero	Male	5	Brother	Kindergarten	Good Health
Rio M. Romero	Male	2	Brother	-	Good Health
Remedios A. Romero	Female	66	Grandmother	Sewer	Hypertensive

The family has been in the area for more than 6 years now. The child's grandmother owned the house and lot where they live. Their house is built with G.I. Sheets for the roof and cement for the floor and walls. It is a studio type of house and has one window, which provides ventilation for the house. They are privileged to be provided with basic utilities like electricity and water supply. The family eats three meals a day, with rice, fish, and vegetables being the usual combination. They get their water from piped water and use charcoal for cooking. The family uses a water-sealed type of toilet, and their household garbage is disposed of through the government waste disposal system.

Like any other Filipino family, the Romero family wishes to improve their quality of life. The parents dream of having their children complete their education, enjoy good health, have a clean and orderly house, and most importantly, increase their income.

PSBP, together with the community, has implemented programs in health, education, and psycho-social development and protection that benefit the children, their families, and their communities. We hope that the Romero family will be a part of our programs.

Iyah and her family need assistance and your sponsorship will usher in new hope and confidence in the family as they work together for a brighter future. PSBP commits to facilitating a development process for the family so they may achieve lasting improvement in their lives.

Iyah and her family look forward to communicating with you in English to share important family events in the future.

We hope that you find this new partnership meaningful and rewarding.

Very truly yours,



Teresita R. Latoza

Executive Director