



## Victor F. Alcantara

November 4, 1925 - August 26, 2010

ALCANTARA, Victor F.

Victor F. Alcantara, 84, the husband of Shirley Tang Alcantara, and retired Professor in Civil Engineering at Hartford State Technical College, died August 26, 2010 at St. Francis Hospital. Born in Davao City, Philippines, he served as a Lieutenant in the Philippine Army during WWII. He earned his bachelors degree at the Mapua Institue of Technology in Manila, Philippines, and his Masters Degree in Engineering from Mississippi State University. Besides his passion to education, Victor enjoyed travel, music and the arts. He was a devoted husband and loving father. He and his wife have lived in West Hartford for the past 40 years. He is survived by his wife Shirley, their son Victor J. Alcantara of Seattle, WA, and their daughter Shila-Vi T. Alcantara of Los Angeles, CA. He is also survived by his three sisters: Enriqueta A. Serate of the Philippines, Carmen A. Estacio M.D. and her husband Resty Estacio M.D. of Cherry Hill, NJ, and Erlinda A. Mirza and her husband Sadiq Mirza of La Prairie, Quebec CA. He is also survived by his brothers-in-law J. B. Tang, Jr. M.D. and his wife Rita, James B. Tang and his wife Grace, sisters-in-law Fe Tang, Lita Tang Terry and her husband Russell all of Houston, TX and Elena Tang Malabanan in the Philippines. Several cousins, nieces and nephews also survive him.

Funeral services will be Saturday Sept. 4th beginning with visitation at the Molloy Funeral Home 906 Farmington Ave. West Hartford at 7:45 a.m. and followed by the celebration of a Mass of Christian Burial at 9:00 a.m. in St.

Mark the Evangelist Church 467 So. Quaker Lane, West Hartford. Donations in his memory may be made to the UCONN Health Center-Fund for UCONN Health, 10 Talcott Notch Road, Suite 100, Farmington, CT. 06032. Online remembrances may be made at [www.molloyfuneralhome.com](http://www.molloyfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ I never knew Mr. Alcantara, but I've been getting to know his son. If a father's legacy lives on through his kids, then Mr. Alcantara has a rich, powerful, positive legacy indeed##imported-begin##Paul Shoemaker##imported-end##

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“ It was a pleasure to know Mr. Alcantara , and after all these years he was one of the most dearest, polite and interesting customer. I am glad to had the opportunity last Tuesday to give the last hair cut, not knowing that he will live us. I admired his strength and determination for wanting to be a strong man until the last moments in his life. My condolences go out to his dear wife, his daughter, his son and other family members. We will miss him very much, and our prayers and thoughts are with the grieving family. Anna Batory and her family.##imported-begin##Anna Batory##imported-end##

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“ I'm so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. I am a friend of Lita's. God bless you.##imported-begin##Linda Connolly##imported-end##

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“ I was saddened to hear about the death of Mr Acantara. I know how difficult this must be for his family and close friends. I'm sure that if he was anything like his sister Lita, whom I've known for several years, he must have been such a kind, gentle soul and like Lita, would do anything to help someone in need. May God bless you and your family during this time. You all will continue to be in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Gertrude H Harris##imported-end##

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“ Our condolences go out to Shila and family as you come to terms with the loss of your father and husband. I know how close Shila was with Mr. Alcantara, a beautiful relationship that she'll carry with her for the rest of her life. As with all you the family, God Bless: Wendy and Keith##imported-begin##Wendy Nelson##imported-end##

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August 29, 2010 at 12:00 AM