THE NEEDED VALUES TO RESTORE

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Can we say that we value a lot of values today? The honest answered is no, most of us now are not giving importance of values.

It’s been 29 years of celebrating an anniversary of EDSA REVOLUTION where Filipino people ended the painful suffering brought about by twenty-year dictatorial regime of the late President Ferdinand Marcos. Indeed the revolution was successful to overturn him as president, after which entire Filipino people experienced truly democratic Philippines. How nice to live in a place where the concern of everyone is PEACE, RESPECT, LOVE, and JUSTICE. This was what everyone’s expectation.

But many of us dismayed the problem left behind remain up to the present. Greedy and corrupt public officials still drain the government profits. Others over exercise the powers of their positions toward ordinary people. Everyone seems to be unconcerned of his duties to his fellowmen.

Shall we just get to tolerate these issues and concerns? If we just don’t care and just take it for granted all these problems then we should be living in an indecent society. Often we recite “Panatang Makabayan” or “Panunumpa sa Watawat,” What are these words for if we do not observe and practice “LOVE OF COUNTRY AND FELLOWMEN? Indeed our values are alarmingly degrading.

Teachers have great influence on the learners in reviving our values. Take this opportunity despite many distractions in the society to help them a good citizen of their country in the future. Take this challenge to have the positive action and lead them to carry out activities with good values. Values acquire most especially in the environment.
Be a model show them good examples and focus on the DepEd Core values “MAKADIYOS, MAKATAO, MAKAALIKASAN, MAKABANSA” These are the needed values to answer the varied problems our country facing today. We should take part of the same goal in uplifting values and high morale among us.

Let us act hand in hand to have great values restoration – not only for us but for the young learners and for our country, the Philippines.

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