

**PRESIDENT FERDINAND ROMUALDEZ MARCOS JR.'s
MEDIA INTERVIEW**

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It's a very, very sad news. I have lost a friend; the Philippines has lost a friend. Secretary Toots is a special person. With a deep compassion really for the people that she had to care for, namely, the migrant workers, and she was very, very...

It's a big loss kasi ang galing-galing ni Secretary Toots. She's very much followed in the tradition of Ka Blas Ople of excellence, of compassion.

It is a great loss for all of us. It's a great loss for all of us who called her my friend. It's a great loss for the Philippines, for the service we know she could have still rendered that she lived.
