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JUANITA PALTING-CACANINDIN, is Unanimously Selected As One Of The 2010 Twenty Outstanding Filipinos Abroad (TOFA)

WASHINGTON, D.C. March 4, 2010 - (PinoyGlobal) **JUANITA PALTING-CACANINDIN** is unanimously selected as one of the **2010 Twenty Outstanding Filipinos Abroad (TOFA)** by the TOFA Panel Board of Judges headed by **Nonoy & Aida Mendoza** of the **FILIPINO IMAGE MAGAZINE (FILIM)** and the **PINOY GLOBAL ONLINE NEWS (PGON)**, and the **ROXANNE ANDREA MENDOZA (RAM) MEMORIAL FOUNDATION**.

The **TOFA** project was initiated in 1990 and have been commended by the governments of the United States, Canada and the Philippines. The bio-data of the 320 Past TOFA Awardees are found in the **PINOY GLOBAL ON LINE NEWS**: [HTTP://WWW.FILAMIMAGE.COM](http://www.filamimage.com), a 24/7 global web site.

The **CRITERIA, HISTORY** and other **TOFA** informations are found in the popular website. A complete copy issue of **FILIPINO IMAGE Magazine's** 2006, 2007 & 2008 Souvenir Journals, detailing more one hundred pages of bio-data of the **2009 TOFA** awardees and photographs; VIP Special Messages and including all the Congratulatory Messages and ADs, in full color, are in the website and free for all to read globally. An unprecedented feat in Filipino journalism.

The 3-day 14th annual event starts on **Thursday, Sept. 09, 2010** with an informal get-together for the awardees and their special guests. The following, **Friday, Sept. 10th**, the VIP Luncheon at JW Marriott Hotel, and at night, the fabulous welcome dinner reception at the **Philippine Embassy**. The following day, **Saturday, Sept. 11th**, a sight-seeing tour, and photo opportunity around the Nations' Capital, capped with a memorable VIP Dim Sum Luncheon. At night, **Saturday, Sept. 11, 2010**, is a formal gala Banquet and Ball Award Ceremony. After the gala is the traditional Filipino breakfast which will end the whirlwind social functions.

Nita hailed from Northern Luzon, the eldest daughter of 4 children of the late Sofia Mariano Ancheta from Solsona, Ilocos Norte, a housewife, devoted Catholic, lay church minister, lead the church Legion of Mary, married to the late Jose Gabriel Paltng, from Laoag City, retired USAFFE, established later a business in Home Photography Studio. Nita finished high School from Holy Spirit, graduate-nurse from Chinese General Hospital, BSN from Far Eastern University May 1966, migrated to USA, June 1966 and worked at Temple University Hospital until June 1967. Married Amadeo Leopoldo Carreon



JUANITA PALTING-CACANINDIN
President/CEO/Founder AJC International, INC.

Cacanindin, USN Retiree and, live in VA Beach 42 years, still married to the same loving man for 43 years. , both are blessed with 2 daughters and 1 son. Marivic Cacanindin married to Toru Adachi, residing in Hawaii, They have 1 daughter Tiffany Adachi, 22 , Boston College graduate, working in L.A., Richard Paul Cacanindin married to Dr. Vivian Mapanao-Cacanindin, they have 1 child Zoe' Cacanindin 4. Rosalie Cacanindin, CRNA, married to Louis W. Shepard who is in the military. They have 3 children, Sofia Eloise, 3 Helena Rose 2 and Isabella Juliette Shepard 1 month old.