

+Brother Anselm Baltazar FSC
August 28, 1931 - January 21, 2017

*Eternal rest grant unto Anselm, O Lord.
And let the perpetual light shine upon him.*

And may his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



It is with deep sadness that I announce to you the passing of Br. Anselm Baltazar FSC from St. Paul's Community in Yangon, Myanmar. He died from the infirmities of old age. He is remembered as a very caring Community Director and obedient member of Community. He had a reputation of being hard working Brother; it is through his efforts that several houses for the Brothers were built, including a church in Change Thar village. He was 85 years old at the time of death.

The funeral Mass will be on January 23, 2017, 11.00am at St. Mary's Cathedral, he will be entombed at the Yewday Christian Cemetery.

Formation:

Entrance to the Novitiate:	January 6, 1950 (Penang)
Habit Taking:	April 25, 1950
First Vows:	January 26, 1953
Final Vows:	August 18, 1957

Antiphon: The Lord will keep you from all evil. He will guard your soul.

Psalm 121 (120)

I lift up my eyes toward the mountains:
from where shall come my help?
My help shall come from the Lord,
who made heaven and earth.

May he never allow you to stumble!
Let him sleep not, your guard.
No, he sleeps not nor slumbers,
Israel's guard.

The Lord is your guard and your shade;
at your right side he stands.
By day the sun shall not smite you,
nor the moon in the night.

The Lord will guard you from evil,
he will guard your soul.
The Lord will guard your going and coming
both now and for ever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now,
and will be forever. Amen.



Lord of mercy,
hear our prayer.
May our brother Anselm
whom you called your son on earth,
enter the kingdom of peace and light,
where your saints live in glory.
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God for ever and ever.
— Amen.