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**Dr. Poderoso
Garma Prado**

Dec. 26, 1939 - Aug. 22, 2005

Dr. Poderoso Garma Prado was born to eternal life Aug. 22, 2005. He was born Dec. 26, 1939, the second to the youngest of seven children born from Basillo Prado and Maria Garma Prado in Alaminos Pangasinan, Philippines. He graduated from Far Eastern University Institute of Medicine with first honors in Manila, Philippines.

His career as a family physician was highlighted as being the chief resident at St. Michael's Hospital in Milwaukee. He also became the role model for family practice residency. He then started his own family practice in Palmyra. He was the first physician to insert a temporary pacemaker at Fort Atkinson Memorial Hospital.

In addition to his family practice, he also practiced emergency medicine at Deaconess Hospital in Milwaukee, St. Mary's Hospital in Green Bay, Community Memorial Hospital in Clintonville, Memorial Hospital in Manitowoc, St. Nicholas in Sheboygan and Northpoint Medical Group-Urgent Care. He was also a certified instructor of advanced cardiac life support, American Heart Association, a moderator of basic life support and a certified instructor of basic life support. He had also trained numerous emergency medical technicians and paramedics in Jefferson County.

His interests included gardening, photography, travel, researching and distributing an extensive family tree, complete with stories of childhood, educating and playing with his grandchildren and tae kwon do, in which he had attained his third-degree black belt. He was dedicated to his family around the world and was devoted to helping others in need.

He is survived by his wife of 37 years, Maria Paz R. Prado; son, Michael J. Prado; daughters, Clarisse (Matthew) Savoie and Maria Esperanza Prado; grandchildren, Josiah Savoie, Jessica Savoie, and Joshua Savoie; sister, Noemi (Reynaldo) Bambao of Antipolo, Philippines, Victoria (Luis II) dePasion of Florida, Namnaman (Juan) Hidalgo of Quezon City, Philippines; brother, Prudencio (Cleotilde) Prado of Cavite, Philippines; and other numerous relatives around the world.

Visitation will be held from 1 p.m. until 7 p.m., with a Mass to begin at 3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 27, at Schmidt & Bartelt-Van Valin Funeral Home, 315 Main St. (Highway ES), Mukwonago. The Rev. Agustin "JoJo" Orosa will officiate. Cremation to follow. A reception will follow the visitation at his daughter Clarisse's residence.

Schmidt & Bartelt-Van Valin Funeral Home, 363-7126, is serving the family.

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