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An open letter to the youth of today

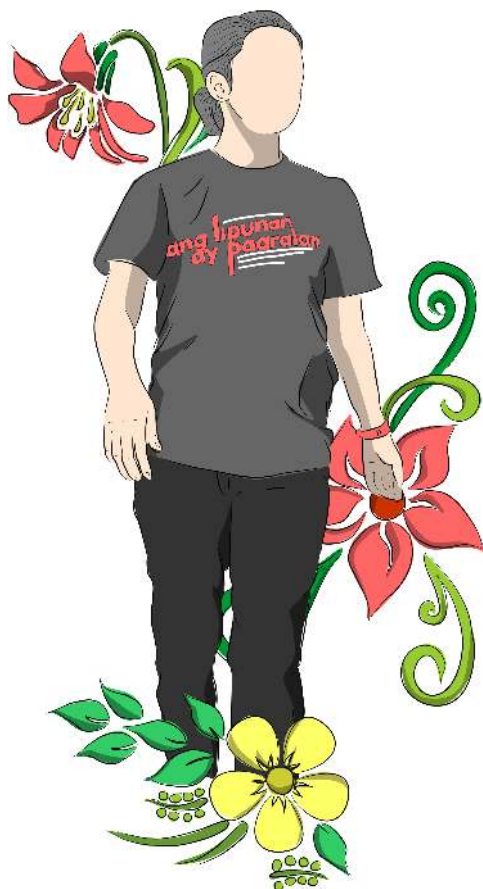
IT'S TIME, SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF THE NATION!

Advance and raise the current stage of the people's war!

As the Kabataang Makabayan celebrates its 57th founding anniversary this month, we also commemorate the heroism of Andres Bonifacio to appreciate the historical significance of the first national democratic revolution and, in retrospect, draw inspiration from all the young heroes and martyrs who offered their life and blood for national independence and democracy back then.

The heroes and martyrs of the First Philippine Revolution waged armed struggle to achieve the long-awaited freedom that has been trampled upon by foreign invaders for centuries. They inspire us, today's revolutionaries, to take part in the new democratic revolution bravely and determinedly especially that US imperialism took away the victory of the 1896 Revolution and established a semicolonial and semifeudal society in





our country instead. Consequently, the people continues to suffer from terrible conditions especially the peasants and workers.

As the present Filipino youth with the revolutionary militance of Gat Andres, your main role is to resume the unfinished revolution and fight for the sovereignty of the Philippines against the imperialism of US and China, freedom from domestic feudalism and the overthrow of a regime beset by bureaucrat capitalism.

You must be resolute in ending oppression and exploitation, or else your future will remain bleak. Like the entire people, you are also facing problems such as poverty; joblessness; a colonial, commercialized and fascist education; high prices of commodities, backward and immoral culture; COVID-19-related problems; and killings and threats (red-tagging) by the bloodthirsty Duterte regime.

Your generation of Filipino youth must firmly grasp your immense role in addressing the ills of society and bringing about much needed societal change. To understand how to radically change the current conditions, you must study closely how US imperialism and the ruling class of big compradors and land lords control the Philippines as well as how the oppressed and exploited classes wage the national democratic revolution with a socialist perspective led by the Communist Party of the Philippines (CPP). The best way to achieve this is by integrating with the masses.

Do not be satisfied with only a few hundreds of you. You can

build a powerful combination of youth—young workers, young farmers, students, out-of-school youth, young professionals, and migrant youth. Effectively arouse, organize and mobilize the broadest numbers among your ranks and steadfastly struggle for the people's democratic rights and interests, in the cities and most especially in the countryside.

You are vital in achieving the invincible unity of all oppressed and exploited classes and forces against a fierce and wicked class enemy, represented today by Duterte, and their imperialist masters. It is time to join the New People's Army (NPA) to further raise your political consciousness and understanding of armed revolution. Strive to contribute to developing and raising the level of people's war. **AP**

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Nagapasalamat ang *Ang Paghimakas* sa mga kontribusyon agud mangin madinalag-on ang ini nga isyu. Sa pagpauswag sang aton *Ang Paghimakas*, ginapangabay sa tanan nga bumalasa nga padayon nga magamot sang mga balita, piktyur, istorya kag iban pa nga sinulat. Nagapangayo man kami sang inyo mga suhestyon kag komentaryo paano pa gid ini pauswag.

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