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## THE FILIPINO LANGUAGE REPRESENTATIONS

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### I

Our forefathers and our ancestors' immersive trails  
Great fighters, they were and freedom prevails  
Malay and Portuguese, were from the folk tale  
Pre-colonial to pre-independence story to tell

### II

Quezon, Rizal and Balagtas to mention  
Instrumental in language preservation  
Filipino language, indeed a rich cultural reflection  
It represents the inclusivity and diversity of the nation

### III

Luzon from its places has its own bastion  
Visayas is island mystical, as best caption  
Mindanao is a place with nature to commune  
Divided yet united, Filipino language as a unification

### IV

Hiligaynon is known and so others like Waraynon  
Cebuano and Boholano dialects are also renowned  
Filipino Tour Guide with Filipino brand of service -mabuhay action  
Filipino language is the best solution in articulation

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## V

Taglish is an option in glocalization

Language evolves and others too for consideration

Social media influencers are into Filipino language introduction

Filipino migrant workers for language dissemination

## VI

Language diversity is instrumental in sustainability

Ethnicity forms part in multi-cultural community

Filipino language is a result of multi-lingual fusion in society

Wikang Filipino is a unifying national identity



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