

# The Happiest Moment is My Journey as a Catholic

At the age of 10, I occasionally accompanied my sis-in-law to attend Mass at St. Peter & Paul Church in Bras Basah Road. Recalling that I was too young and also confused in making the sign of cross, I will always start from the heart instead of the forehead first. I believe there wasn't any calling from the Lord yet.

In Sept 30 of 2008, my eldest brother had a sudden heart attack and was called to rest in the Lord's arm. During the funeral, Father Richards Ambrose of Holy Cross assisted, comforted us in our bereavement and also baptised my late brother as a Catholic. I was grateful and was touched by his meaningful sermon that he presented at the Cremation Hall. Thank you Lord for giving us your compassionate love during this difficult time!

Germaine and myself have been neighbours for 11 years at our Pasir Panjang office but whenever we met, we only greeted each other. After shifting to our new premises at Ayer Rajah, by coincidence, I met her again at the canteen and she invited me to attend RCIA at Blessed Sacrament Church. Without any hesitation, I registered for the course and I even notified her that I will join but I may not want to be baptised after the course, but I will leave my faith to Lord. Remember the song "**IN HIS TIME**"...

With the grace from our Almighty Lord, Mother Mary and also the Holy Spirit for watching, guiding and guarding me throughout the 1-year course, I was very keen and always looked forward to my Thursday classes and also attending the Sunday Mass, but sometimes I felt that Satan was stopping me from going for the Mass. But with the blessing from the Lord and the Holy Spirit, I managed to overcome the obstacles and always felt happy after Mass and I also love to spend time at the Adoration Room.

Therefore, I am very grateful to the Lord for accepting me as his daughter in Christ even though we commit sins. Last but not least, my sincere thanks to my 3 Fathers – Anthony, Suyono & Remi for the blessing, not forgetting all the sponsors and the special love provided during the class and also my Godma for journeying with me. May the Lord watch over us and bless us with a burning heart, with love, joy and peace, AMEN...

**FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WHOLE WORLD, HE GAVE HIS BELOVED SON TO US**

With Love from: Pauline Pook, baptised on 3 April 2010