



MALACAÑAN PALACE
MANILA

MESSAGE

In the name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful, may peace, mercy and blessings be upon you all on the holy month of **Ramadan**.

The entire nation joins our Muslim sisters and brothers as we commemorate the revelation of the Quran to the Prophet Mohammad. One of the Five Pillars of Islam, this period of fasting reminds us of the value of sacrifice, obedience and charity in our daily lives.

As we mark this holy occasion, I ask everyone to promote solidarity among all Filipinos by manifesting faith through action and by fostering peace, hope and unity as we face the most challenging of times. Let us all come together and channel the spirit of Ramadan by helping those who are less fortunate and most in need.

It is my hope that we can all move forward with courage, hope and optimism as the blessings of Ramadan bring peace and prosperity to the entire nation.

May we all have a meaningful observance. Ramadan Mubarak!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rodrigo Roa Duterte".

RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE

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