

In Memoriam – Mak Wai-Kei, Gregory 麥偉基 (April 22, 1943-September 19, 2012)

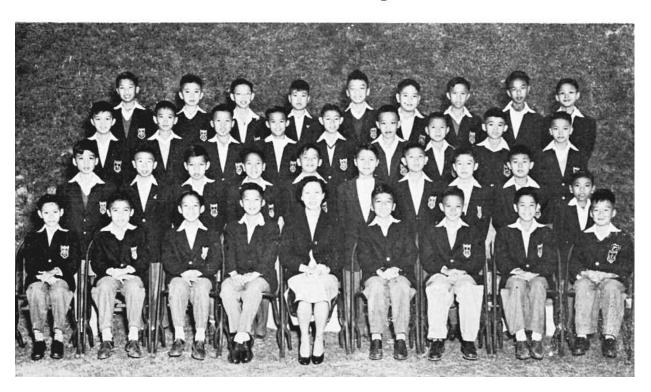
Studied at Wah Yan College, Kowloon, 1955-1962

## A. Years at Wah Yan College, Kowloon, 1954-1962

P6D - 1954-1955	F3D - 1958-1959
F1D - 1955-1956	F4A - 1959-1960
F2D - 1956-1957	F5B - 1960-1961
F3D - 1957-1958	F6S - 1961-1962

## B. Class Photos and Class Lists, a Selection

PRIMARY 6 D.
Form-mistress: Miss Wong Kit Kwan.



**P6D**, 1954-1955 – 2nd row from top – 1<sup>st</sup> right

	PRIMARY	6D		19.	Leung Chi Chiu, D.	梁	子	超
				20.	Leung Kai Man	梁	佳	文
1.	Chan Chin Chun		陳 展 津	21.	Leung Ying Hoi	梁	英	海
2.	Chang Laing Mo		張良武	22.	Leung Ying Kit	樂	类	傑
3.	Chen Tai On		鄭大安	23.	Leung Ying Wai	梁	类	体
4.	Cheng Wai Chin, A.		陳維政	24.	Lo Siu Keung, T.	獙	张	强
5.	Cheung Ting Kau		張定球	25.	Loo Wai Ching	硼	懷	澄
6.	Cheung Tze Tung		張子東	26.	Luk Chung Ming, M.	腔	俥	91
7.	Ching Yat Biu		程一彪	27.	Mak Wai Kei	紫	你	悲
8.	Choi Hak Shing		蔡 克 成	28.	Mui Chee Ho	梅	志	豪
9.	Choy Ting Pong		祭定邦	29.	Ng Chi Kwong	吳	椊	光
10.	Fong Che Tung, G.		方之棟	30;	Ng Kwok King	吳	國	827 827
11.	Fong Wan Long		方雲龍	31.	Szeto Pak	司	徒	柏
12.	Hui Fun Cheuk		許勁卓	32,	Tam Wing Hei	in	荣	186
13.	Ko Sai Ping, D.		高世平	33.	Tsang Chung Kwong, R.	曾	仲	光
14.	Kuo, David Henry		郭大維	34.	Tsang Chung Lam, R.	台	仲	林
15.	Kyoong Yuen Paiu, A	Λ.	郵業標	35.	Tsang Roy	솹		仰
16.	Lam Chi Pak		林志伯	36.	Wong Ping Kwan	王	炳	坤
17.	Lee Man Kong		李文江	37.	Wong Sik Ying, B.	Œ	式	英
18.	Lee Yum Yan, F.		李藤恩	38.	Chan To Ming	陳	道	明

**P6D**, 1954-1955 – Class List



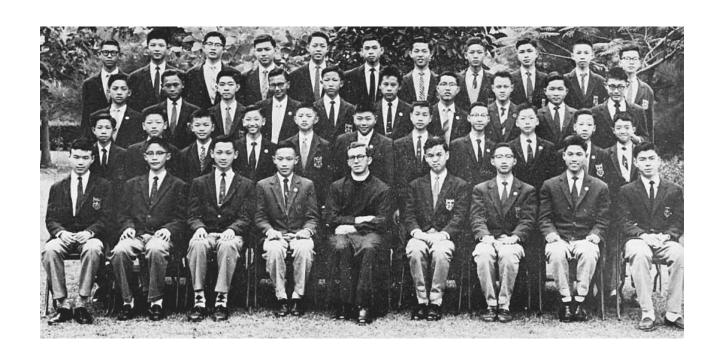
FORM III D.

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## FORM III D

r. Chan Chin Chun, Gregory	陳展津	21. Leung Ying Hoi	梁英海
2. Chan Kwok Hung, Hilary	陳國雄	22. Leung Ying Kit	梁英傑
3. Chan Sik Yiu, Thomas	陳錫売	23. Leung Ying Wai	梁英俳
4. Chang Liang Mo	張良武	24. Mak Wai Kei	麥体粘
5. Cheng Kak Hung	解格雄	25. Mui Hao Bun	梅浩濱
6. Cheung Chi Ming, Matthias	張之明	26. Shen Ching Ping, Anthony	沈正平
7. Ching Yat Biu	程一處	27. Sie Kwai Ming	施桂明
8. Chiu Kam Lam, Anthony	招北霖	28. Tam Wing Hay, Stephen	輝榮磁
9. Chuang Ho Piao	莊 和 標	29. Tam Yu Tat	牌裕達
10. Fong Wan Loong	方寒龍	30. Tam Yu Min	譯裕棉
11. Hu Berkim, John	胡似卿	31. Tang Ka Yiu, Michael	邵家堯
12. Hui Fun Cheok, Reginald	許勁卓	32. T∉ang Chung Kwong	曾伸光
13. Kuo Tai Wai	郭大維	33. Wang Hok Cheong	王學章
14. Kwan Man Woo	關文誕	34. Wong Hin Nang	王顯能
15. Kwok Kam Yin, Albert	郭绵賢	35. Wong Ping Kwan, Paul	王炳坤
16. Lam Chi Kee	林敬祺	36. Wong Sik Ying, Billy	王式英
17. Lee Man Kong	李文江	37. Yang Chik Hing	楊枚慶
18. Lee Yu Ting	李鏡鼎	38. Yeung Yu Ping, Paul	楊裕平
19. Lee Yum Yan, Francis	李薇恩	39. Yeung Yue Ming, Peter	楊裕銘
20. Leung Chi Chiu, David	梁子超	40. Yu Kwan	於 黎

F3D ('60 Grads Fr Mallin's 3D), 1957-1958 – Class List

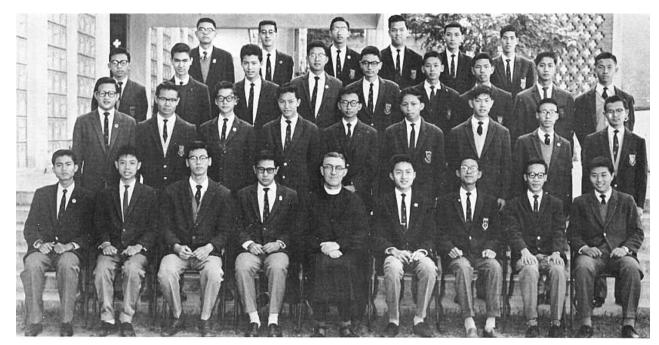


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### FORM III D (1958-1959)

1.	Au-Yang Siu Lee	歐	陽兆	里	21.	Lam Fook Hong, T.	林	福	康
2.	Chan Yiu Man	陳	耀	民	22.	Lam Wing Cheung, S.	林	永	章
3.	Chang Kung Sun, P.	張	君	新	23.	Lee Lap Sun, R.	李	立	信
4.	Cheng See Yau	鄭	時	佑	24.	Lee Ping Hon, M.	李	秉	漢
5.	Cheung Chi Keung	張	志	強	25.	Lee Sai Cheung, M.	李	世	昌
6.	Cheung Kwok Ming, E.	張	國	明	26.	Lee Yu Ting, G.	李	毓	鼎
7.	Ching Yat Biu, C.	程	_	彪	27.	Leung Siu Tat, C.	梁	少	達
8.	Chiu Kuo-Chao, A.	邱	國	超	28.	Lew Kwok Chi, R.	廖	國	治
9.	Chiu Wah Kwong	趙	華	光	29.	Lee King Hang, R.	李	景	行
10.	Chu Cho Ham, L.	朱	祖	涵	30.	Ma Shiu Sang, A.	馬	韶	生
II.	Choy Tak Fun, R.	蔡	德	勳	31.	Mak Wai Kei	麥	偉	基
12.	Chu Shing On, P.	朱	承	安	32.	Pan Cheung Ming, J.	潘	祥	銘
13.	Fong Wai Kit, F.	方	偉	傑	33.	Shih Yen Chung, J.	史	仁	仲
14.	Fong Wan Loong, L.	方	雲	龍	34.	Tai Chun Leung, P.	戴	振	樑
15.	Ho Kar Wing	何	家	榮	35.	Tang Ka Yiu, M.	鄧	家	堯
16.	Ho Ping Kwong	何	秉	光	36.	Wang Hok Cheong, D.	王	學	章
17.	Koo Chi Chung	古	志	衆	37-	Wong Hin Sing	王	顯	誠
18.	Kung Yum Sing, F.	龔	蔭	聲	38.	Wong Ping Kwan, P.	王	炳	坤
19.	Kwan Ying Wai	關	英	偉	39.	Wu Tse Wai, F.	吳	子	惠
20.	Lai Park Chiu, W.	黎	伯	釗	40.	Yu Chi Hung	茹	至	雄

## **F3D**, 1958-1959 – Class List



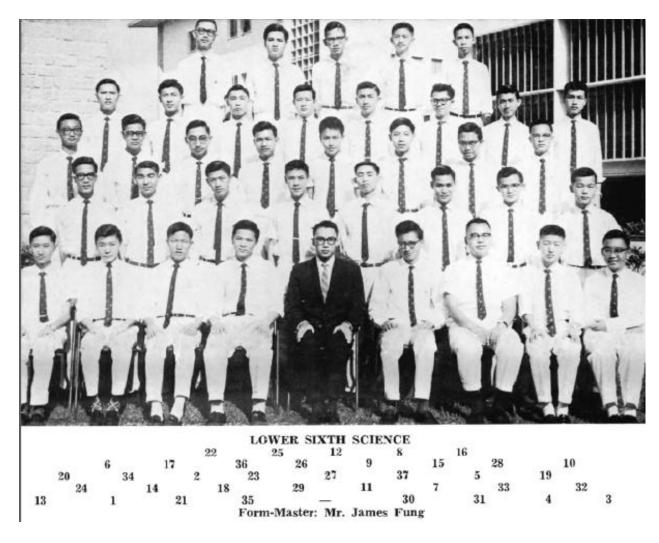
FORM VB, 1960 - 1961

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### FORM VB, 1960-1961

ı.	Aitken Harry	焦	哈	利	18.	Lee Ying Shing, Gordon	李	應	盛
2.	Au-Yang Siu Lee	歐	陽兆	里	19.	Leung Siu Tat, Carmelo	梁	少	達
3.	Chan Chi Kong, Joseph	陳	至	岡	20.	Leung Po Man, John	梁	保	民
4.	Chan Kwok Wai, Michael	陳	或	惠	21.	Leung Ting Chu, Felix	梁	廷	柱
5.	Chan Shiu Kwong	陳	韶	光	22.	Luk Chung Man, Daniel	陸	仲	文
6.	Chan Yiu Man	陳	耀	民	23.	Mak Cheuk Bong, Lawrence	麥	焯	邦
7.	Chang Kung Sun, Patrick	張	君	新	24.	Mak Wai Kei, Gregory	麥	偉	基
8.	Chia Ling Fai, Peter	謝	靈	暉	25.	Man Yan Lok, Michael	文	仁	樂
9.	Ching Yat Biu, Clement	程	_	彪	26.	Ng Joy Chiu, Peter	吳	在	釗
10.	Chow Cheh Ming, Jimmy	周	哲	民	27.	Ng Siu Kim	吳	小	儉
II.	Choy Chun Chiu	蔡	鎮	潮	28.	To Hin Leung	杜	顯	亮
12.	Chue Shing On, Patrick	朱	承	安	29.	Wang Hak Yee, Harry	汪	克	義
13.	Ho Sau Yip	何	守	業	30.	Wong Hin Sing	王	顯	誠
14.	Lam Kwong Yu	林	光	宇	31.	Wong Pak Cheung, David	黃	伯	翔
15.	Lam Wing Sheung, Stephen	林	永	章	32.	Wong Yuk Lung, John	黃	玉	龍
16.	Lam Yuk Ming	藍	玉	明	33.	Yu Ming Lun	余	明	倫
17.	Lau Ping Shing, Gabriel	劉	炳	元					

## **F5B**, 1960-1961 – Class List



 $F6S, 1961\text{-}1962-second\ row\ from\ top-4^{th}\ right$ 

## LOWER SIXTH SCIENCE (1961/62) 大學預科理科一年

1.	Chan Man Bun, Kenneth	陳	文	彬	20.	Lau Yat Yeung, Joseph	劉	-	島
2.	Chang Pai-Tak, Peter	張	培	德	21.	Lee Sai Cheung, Michael	李	世	昌
3.	Chen Chia Hua, Robert	陳	加	華	22.	Lee Wen Hao, Clement	李	文	浩
4.	Cheng See Yau	985	時	佔	23.	Leung Fung Sun	架	鳳	榮
5.	Cheung Chi Fong, Benjamin	张	Ŧ	方	24.	Leung Siu Tat, Carmelo	樂	11	達
6.	Cheung Wing Sun, Maxime	張	永	新	25.	Leung Wing Kuen	果	永	棚
7.	Chiu Hai Kaw	趙	祀	蛟	26.	Luk Chung Man, Daniel	陸	仲	交
8,	Chiu Kuo-chao, Anthony	邱	100	超	27.	Mak Wai Kei		偉	
9.	Choy Chun Chiu	罄	餓	301	28.	Man Chung Keung, Andrew		仲	
10.	Fong Wai Kit, Freddie	方	偉	傑	29.	Ng Sheung Yee		尙	
11	Fong Wang Bun	方	宏	濱	30.	Pan Cheung Ming, John	潘	鲜	銘
12.	Hui Tak Cheung, Noel	許	德	群	31.	Shen Chi Hung	沈	100	洪
13.	Ku Chi Chung, Damien	古	志	泰	32.	Tai Chun Leung	戴	振	樑
14.	Lai Cham Chiu, Joseph	黎	洪	24	33.	To Hin Leung, Byron	杜	顕	亮
1.5	Lai Tin Wah	黎	天	華	34.	Tsui Pui Ming, Bartholomew	徐	佩	明
16.	Lam Fook Hong, Thomas	林	脳	康	35.	Tse Tak Fu	謝	德	家
17.	Lam Kwong Yu	林	光	宇	36.	Wu Ho Mun	胡	可	淵
18.	Lam Yuk Ming	脓	玉	明	37.	Yu Ming Lun	余	明	倫
19.	Lau Chor Kin	劉	楚	堅	38	Wong Chi Hok, Bernard	黃	志	額

**F6S**, 1961-1962 – Class List

#### C. Other Photos, 1957-1961

#### From The Shield 5 (1957), Inter-class Drama Competition



"The Four Clocks"

"The Four Clocks", an adaptation of "Six Who Pass While the Lentils Boil", was presented by Form 2D. Illness unfortunately caused casualties here, and the hurried replacements were not quite up to the mark. This was a pity because it was a delightful little play in itself and Form 2D had in Mak Wai Kei and Quan Man Woo two boys of whose acting they could be proud. When, towards the middle of the play, the latter made his exit the audience burst into spontaneous applause — the only occasion on which this happened during the whole competition. It is hard, as yet, to tell whether Mak Wai Kei is a particularly good actor or whether the part in this play just suited him; he certainly did very well here. He was on the stage from curtain to curtain, gave out his lines faultlessly and

in a pleasant voice, and reacted with perfect naturalness to the various situations. It will be interesting to see him in another part next year. He received a Special Award for his winning performance in this play. Gregory Chan deserves special mention; he acted and spoke well as the Blind Man. The members of the cast were: Mak Wai Kei, Kwok Kam Yin. Quan Man Woo, David Kwok, Gregory Chan, Wong Hok Cheung.

### From The Shield 7 (1959), Inter-class Drama Competition

# THE BAG OF THE WINDS

CAST:

Chan Yiu Man Chorus -Mok Wai Kei Ulysses -Wong Ping Kwan, Paul Aeolus Sailors Chang Kung Sun Koo Chi Chung Kung Yum Sing Wong Hok Cheong Michael Lee Sai Cheung Stage Manager Ching Yat Pui

Prompter Chan Yue Man

Effects Fong Wan Loong, Laurence

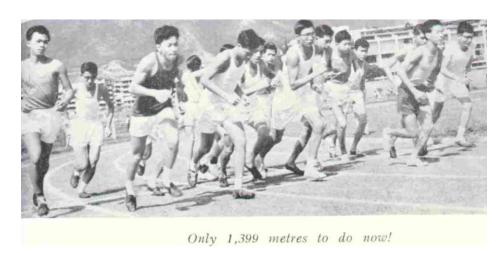
Tai Chu Leung

Rev. J. Mallin, S.J. Producer

This was not an easy play for small boys; and Form 3D deserves great credit for doing it so well. The difficulty in producing it is due to too little action and too much talk; but the 3D sailors overcame this by talking the talk in a lively and natural manner. Wong Hok Cheung, as the bully of the foc'sle, was particularly convincing; and Koo Chi Chung, the young sailor who crept forward to examine the "bag of winds", looked as if he really thought that he might be caught and pinned to the mast by Ulysses' spear. Both Ulysses (Mok Wai Kei) and Aeolus (Paul Wong Ping Kwan) have very pleasant voices. Chan Yiu Man, as the Chorus, spoke strongly and confidently.

The attractive green, white and gold costumes (was the ship registered in Eire?) against the dark back-drop looked very colourful.

### From The Shield 9 (1961), Sports Day (3<sup>rd</sup> left, in black vest)



#### His Article in The Shield 4 (1956) D.

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## **E.** Reunion Photos, 2004-2011



2004 May HK Reunion – top row – 1<sup>st</sup> right



2004 December HK Reunion – 2nd right



2010 International Conference, L.A. -2nd left



2010 International Conference, L.A.  $-1^{st}$  right



2010 International Conference, L.A. – 2nd left



2010 International Conference – Catalina Cruise –  $\mathbf{1}^{st}$  right



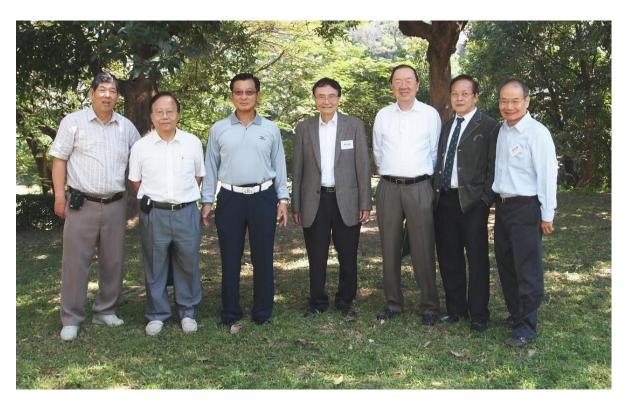
2010 International Conference – Catalina Cruise – 2nd right



2010 International Conference – Catalina Cruise – 4<sup>th</sup> left (2010 photos supplied by Michael Lee)



2011 November HK Golden Jubilee Reunion – 1<sup>st</sup> left



2011 November HK Golden Jubilee Reunion –  $2^{nd}$  right

### F. Remembering Greg – from Teachers, Classmates & Friends

Harry Aitken (2012-09-18) wrote:

It is with great sorrow for me to inform you that our dear school-mate Gregory Mak Wai Kei passed away peacefully at the Queen Mary Hospital in Hong Kong on the early hours <note: HK time> of Wednesday 19 September, 2012, after a short period of hospitalisation for stroke; and massive bleeding in the brain which could not be stopped.

I am sure you will join me in praying for his reposed soul. May he rest in peace.
Wong Hin-Shing (2012-09-18) wrote:
It's really shocking! Only a few days!
I hadn't met Greg since our WYK days, but I talked to him over the phone some 5 or 10 years ago. He was forever a gentleman, with soft-spoken voice. He was originally in my elder brother Hin-Nang's class ('60). Sometimes when I talked with Hin-Nang over the phone, we would talk about his and my classmates. Hin-Nang liked Greg very much.
May he rest in peace, and my deepest condolences to his family!
Kenneth Chan (2012-09-18) wrote:  Very sad to hear the news of the passing of Gregory Mak.
Claudius Seh (2012-09-18) wrote:
Sorry to hear one of our 61 grads. Gregory Mak Wai Kei has left us so suddenly.  Please convey my warmest condolences, sympathy and prayers to Gregory Mak and to his family.
Clement Ching (2012-09-19) wrote:

Since I heard the news about Greg's stroke last week, i have been very nervous checking my emails. I was hoping to read about improvements but dreading the bad news, which came tonight. I am so sad.

To the Mak family, I share your grief, and I feel the loss deeply.

Greg, during my 6 years in Wah Yan, I had a few close friends and you were one of them. Even though we didn't see a lot of each other the past 50 years, the bond was there. I am so glad we were on the cruise together 2 years ago, and I got to spend a lot of time with you. Thank you for your friendship which will always be very dear to my heart. May you rest in peace.

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Tse Tak-Fu (2012-09-19) wrote:

Please add my deep condolences to the Mak family.

Almost twenty years ago, I had the honor of looking after his parents for a couple of years. They had of course passed away. I met Gregory a couple times, very briefly.

Gregory was quite active amongst us and we played the glass beads quite a lot.

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Martin Li (2012-09-19) wrote:

It was a shock to all of us to learn the passing away of Gregory Mak within such a short time.

Let's all pray for his resting soul.

Will send condolence card and wreaths on behalf of the 61 grads when funeral arrangement is advised by Harry.

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Gilbert Chinn (2012-09-19) wrote:

It is indeed sad news to know the passing of Gregory Mak. I pray for Greg and my sincere condolences to the family

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Clement Wong (2012-09-19) wrote:

Dear friends and family members of Gregory,

Sorry to hear about Gregory's passing. He had been one of my most trusted friends. We had dinner and lunch when my wife and I visited HK last June. For a while we had been disconnected not until last year at the Wah Yan international reunion in L.A. It was completely unexpected that he showed up and we re-established connection. We had an nice dinner together with Chi Kong Chan and our wives in our hotel last June. The next week, Greg and his friend took my wife and myself to go to see the villages' houses in the New Territory. We had lunch and had a good time talking about the present and remembering the days when we were in college together in Madison Wisconsin, 40 something years ago, nice memories.

In the pass 40 something years, we had met again for many times in HK and in the US. But I had never expected him to leave us so suddenly. He was one of the nicest and honest man that I know.

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Tam Sir (2012-09-19) wrote:

It was indeed a shocking news that Mak Wai Kei passed away after a short period of hospitalisation. The last time I met him was when I was having lunch together with you at Maxim's Palace Restaurant at Tuen Mun Centre two years ago. He looked healthy and strong to me and in very good spirit. We had a very good time together exchanging our joyful experiences when we were at Wah Yan. I was truely impressed by his deep concern for me after all these years. He was always a gentle soul even when he was a boy. I do miss him a lot. Please express my deep condolences to his family. I will pray for the repose of his soul and that he may rest in peace.

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Fr Edmund Worthy (2012-09-19) wrote:

I am sorry to hear of the death of your friend and the 9.15 Mass this Friday at St Edmunds will be offered for the Repose of his Soul. May he rest in peace and rise in glory.

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Joseph Chan (2012-09-19) wrote:

It is extremely sad, and it happened so suddenly. I just talked to his brother Cary before reading your email. An MRI was taken on Greg and seepage was noticed in the brain where the blockage occurred. The physicians hoped that the blood vessel would heal but very unfortunately it didn't. Greg was still in quite good condition the night before the

bleeding and even talked. According to Cary, he left us on the night of Sept 18. He will definitely stay in our hearts. In my mind, Greg will forever be a dear friend and a gentleman.
Peter Chang (2012-09-19) wrote:
I want to offer my sincere condolences to the Mak family too. Not only was I a classmate of Gregory, I also worked with Dr. Felice Lieh-Mak at Castle Peak Hospital in early 1970s. I have an old photo where Gregory and I were riding bicycles.
Peter Poon (2012-09-19) wrote:
My condolences to the Mak family.
I do not know Gregory well, but he did come across as a very nice person.
We will miss him.
Peter Wu (2012-09-23) wrote:
I am really sorry to hear that. Every time we drive into a parking garage, and tab a pad with our card for the gate to raise, we should think of Gregory. His company makes, among other things, Near Field Communication (NFC) devices for entry security. The Octopus Card in Hong Kong is ideal for that. His installations are all over the place. I was joking by asking him, "How is that related to mechanical engineering?" He said that it is indeed mechanical engineering in application. A very gentle and unassuming man.
Sincere condolences to his family.
York Chen (2012-09-24) wrote:
I know/heard of Greg mostly thru Joe Chan Chi-Kong and other friends.
I do hear that Greg is full of fun, loving and a very nice person. It's very unfortunate that I had not connected with him in recent visits to HK. May he rests in peace.
Patrick Choy Chun-Chiu (2012-09-25) wrote:

I used to hang around with Greg when we were young, and I remember quite well that I went to his house a couple of times. I am saddened by his passing away, but at least we had the opportunity to meet again in LA two years ago.

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Clement Ching (2012-09-25) wrote:

I was with Greg for 6 years in Wah Yan. He was truly my 同學. In a Chinese class one year, we were supposed to write essay about our Chinese name. Greg wrote, 我名字代表:人类的,地球的,不,是宇宙的偉大基石. I remember we teased him about this for a long time. Typical of Greg, he responded everytime with his signature laugh.

During the cruise 2 years ago, his cabin was next to mine, and we spent a lot of time together. In his closet hanged 4 white shirts and 4 pairs of black pants. He said this way he didn't have to worry about what to wear every morning. He received a lot of phone calls from his girl friend, and every time he would complain 小小事就打來揾我. It was quite funny. Whenever he talked about his kids, he had this very proud and content look on his face. I am glad all his children went back to HK and saw him before he left.

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Michael Lee (2012-09-25) wrote:

A few years ago, Carmelo Leung, Hin-Shing, Fong Ying and others accomplished the almost impossible task of tracking down a lot of the "61 WYK classmates and allowed us to get in touch with each other. It was through this network that I reconnected with Gregory Mak after over 40 years. Through Carmelo, I was able to know a bit how Greg was doing. When we talked on the internet, we would joke that we should sit down for a serious game of Ma Jong. It is a pledge we would not fulfil.

I was most happy to actually meet up with Greg during the 2010 Wah Yan World Conference in Los Angeles. It was absolutely the greatest delight of my trip. Of the "61 classmates, Clement Ching, Patrick Choy Chun Chiu, Noel Hui Tak Cheung, Greg and myself were participants. Except for Patrick Choy, we also went on a short cruise out of LA for a few days. Greg was still gregarious, but lacked the boistrous exuberance that he once had as a teenager. I guess we all loose our boyhood carefree spirit as we age. We had our serious moments when we gingerly brought up the fact that I was his godfather. I was feeling guilty for not keeping more in touch with him, like any self-respecting godfather should. We talked a bit about how my religious belief has help me during difficult times and urged him to put faith in God.

During the high school years Greg lived at 鍾山台, which was about 5 minutes walk from the bus terminal at 荔枝角. I was at his place maybe couple of times but did not get to meet any of his family. During the Wah Yan WC at LA, he said he had retired and was mainly tending to his investments, most lately in parking lots. He spoke with obvious pride of his son who was working in Beijing.

When I learned last week that he had suffered a stroke, I was in the middle of a miserable cold. I wanted to go to church for him but was prevented by my coughing and congestions. Then two days later came the real sad news. I have spent some extra time in church the past few days and I shall ask my Redemptorist priest friend to say mass for him. What was intended to be a plea for his recovery has become a prayer for his eternal repose.

So next time when an old friend ask you to play a game of Ma Jong, or sing some Paul Anker or Platters, don't turn him down. Life is too precarious to let good things slip by.

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Philip Yu Fong-Lun (2012-09-25) wrote:

It was with mixed feelings of sadness and complacency to witness another dear classmate to be taken home by our Heavenly Father.

I was reconnected to Gregory and Carmelo in a dinner reception in Hong Kong, with Chu Sing Ning and myself as overseas visiting guests several years ago. Gregory learned that I had been hired by Hang Seng Bank to run the Education Advisory Service to counsel numerous Hong Kong students for overseas studies for 21 years before I moved to Seattle 16 years ago, he and I had some meaningful exchanges of dialogues in ensuing weeks to help one of his relatives to study in America. I found both him and Carmelo very friendly, warm and hospitable, which will impress me deep in my heart for the rest of my life on earth.

It is my prayers that Gregory and his family will be comforted by the outpouring well wishes of us 61Grads of Wah Yan College, Kowloon. May Gregory and Carmelo rest peacefully under the serene, protecting wings of Heavenly Angels, from now and evermore!

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Freddy Fong (2012-09-28) wrote:

I would like to add my sincere condolences to the Mak family. Gregory and I were in the same Wah Yan classes for several years. Later, we reconnected, mainly through Harry Aitken, when I returned to HK in the early '90s, Gregory played golf; we went out a few times. In recent years, 方雲龍 got us together whenever he came to town. Greg is cool and collected; always a gentleman. He will be fondly remembered.

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