

## **Requiescat in Pace**

our beloved Father

## Dom Frans Harjawiyata, OCSO

September 24, 1931 – June 07, 2016

Dom Frans was born in Yogyakarta, Indonesia, September 24, 1931. He joined our order in Koningshoeven, Nederland in July 26, 1951. Became a novice there in September 30, 1951 and called as Brother Maria Fransciscus Harjawiyata. Three years afterwards he took his simple vow, and on October 7, 1956 professed his solemn vow also in Koningshoeven.

He was ordained a priest in the Lateran Basilica, Rome, March 14, 1959. Later on October 2, 1960 went back to Indonesia join his brother monks in Rawaseneng Monastery. Change his stabilitas loci to Rawaseneng on October 3, 1961. And on May 4, 1978 was installed as Rawaseneng's first abbot by late Justinus Cardinal Darmojuwono until October 1, 2006 when he retired. Dom Frans then took sabatical in Tenshien Monastery, Japan and went on as their chaplain for 9 years time. On April this year he went back to Rawaseneng to be with his brothers once more.

