



A MESSAGE FROM INTERIM PRESIDENT

**Daisy Cocco De Filippis, Ph.D.**

Dear Hostos Family,

It is with great sadness that I announce to the Hostos family the passing of SVP Esther Rodríguez-Chardavoyné's beloved husband John Chardavoyné. John is survived by his wife, four children and seven grandchildren.

After retirement, John enjoyed traveling the world. In addition, he taught at a school in Jaipur, India. While in India he engaged his writing talent in the creation of several characters that would work together to search for ancient antiquities, missing persons, stolen art, and other cases brought to their attention. His book was published last year and it is called The Adventures of Shetan and Ram. We had invited John to present his book to the college community at one of our Veladas Hostosianas this coming spring and he had accepted. The funeral services will be kept to the immediate family. Condolence cards may be sent to SVP Rodríguez Chardavoyné's office at Hostos.

Our hearts and prayers go out to Esther and her family.

Peace and love, Daisy

*I am pure light, not just a fistful of clay. The shell is not me, I come as the royal pearl within. Look at me not with outward eyes but with inward vision of the heart. Follow me there and see how unencumbered we become.*

Selected from Rumi's Quotes on Healing

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