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Juan dela Cruz stamp on stamp, imperf proof, 1986

JUAN DELA CRUZ

The Catholic Church baptizes the Filipinos after popular saints.

Juan dela Cruz, the national personification of a typical Filipino, is usually depicted wearing the iconic *salakot*, *camisa de chino*, native trousers and slippers.



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