



### **St. Anthony Main Theater**

115 St. SE, Minneapolis, MN 55414

Fri. Sept. 16 to Thurs. Sept. 22

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Free ramp parking

University and 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. (with validation)

More about the film: [www.amigomovie.com](http://www.amigomovie.com)

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Oscar nominee John Sayles directs noted Filipino actors, Joel Torre, Rio Locsin, and Ronnie Lazaro, and Academy Award winner Chris Cooper, in a story of a Filipino village caught in the murderous crossfire of the Philippine-American War. Beautiful and atmospheric, the award-winning film follows an American platoon during their occupation of the village of San Isidro in central Luzon in 1901. The dialogue is in English, Tagalog, and Spanish with English subtitles. The film was shot in the Philippine province of Bohol.

This powerful movie dramatizes the trials of ordinary Filipinos as well as ordinary US soldiers during the war for US colonial domination that began on Feb. 4, 1899, as the Filipino forces led by Gen. Aguinaldo fought for independence.



Minnesota connection: The 13th Minnesota volunteers (forerunners of today's National Guard), who fought early in Philippine-American War, are memorialized in a plaque on the wall of the Capitol building. Unfortunately, that plaque does not recognize that all but one of the battles listed were fought against Filipinos. The Minnesota Filipino community won an 8-year campaign to install a corrective plaque, which was placed in the Capitol Rotunda in 2002.

### **Filipino Community Special Showing**

**Sat. Sept. 17, 2011 @ 4:00 pm: tickets at the door \$6.00**

*Discussion following the movie; refreshments will be provided*

### **Sponsored by the Filipino Community Organizations**

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