Mother,

The reason I sent to you in checks and not cash (money order) is that the checks sent here by Manong Inte takes a long time to cash, taking three months; therefore I sent P40 from the sale of embroidery that you sent me, that I still had. Just like an exchange.

You can cash this at any bank in Manila and you can obtain the P40 and the money order for P72, all of it for your benefit. All in all the amount of P112 for you is from selling the tablecloth and 6 bibs.

Your daughter,

Maria Y. Orosa