

**COLLABORATION IN ALTAVAS, AKLAN
DURING THE JAPANESE OCCUPATION:
THE CASE OF DR. ROQUE R. MAYOR**

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ABSTRACT

Leah S. Arboleda. University of the Philippines in the Visayas, Miag-ao, Iloilo. **Collaboration in Altavas, Aklan during the Japanese Occupation: The Case of Dr. Roque Mayor.**

This is the study of Dr. Roque Mayor's role during the Japanese Occupation of Altavas, Aklan, what are the causes of their collaboration and their contributions in Altavas' local history.

This study described the nature of collaboration, identified the factors that caused the Mayors to collaborate with the Japanese authorities during their occupation of the town and analyzed the significance of Dr. Roque Mayor's collaboration.

Dr. Roque Mayor collaborated with the Japanese to minimize the sufferings of the civilians of Altavas. He showed cooperation with the Japanese and on the other hand, he gave vital information relative to the activities of the Japanese. To ensure his safety and the civilians, he requested the guerrillas not to raid the town. With his collaboration, no further killings had occurred in their ten-month occupation of the town.