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OUR LADY OF MANAOAG

The Virgin of Manaoag has an amiable, radiant expression. Her countenance inspires love, adoration and awe. She exudes beauty beyond description. She is patroness of the sick, protectress of the helpless, benefactress of the needy. Her miracles are numerous and are not only part of the past but continue to adorn the present. Hence so strong is the devotion her devotees have for her that wherever they may find themselves they do not fail to visit her to ask that Masses be said for them at her shrine or that candles be lighted on their behalf before her. Some send flowers to decorate her throne and others even prepare a cloak for her wear.

Her devotees come to her shrine throughout the year. But it is in April and May that they come in big numbers making Manaoag a truly pilgrimage site. People from all walks of life and almost all parts of the country flock to her either to thank her for favors received through her intercession or to petition her once more for more favors or graces or simply to honor her.

Along the walls of her shrine the more famous miracles attributed to her are depicted in giant wall paintings. One reveals the story of a sick child from Binmaley who died on the way to the Lady's shrine. His dead body was nevertheless brought to the shrine before the feet of Our Lady and there it was brought back to life to the joy of his parents.

One other well known miracle is what happened to a man from Dagupan whose throat was infected from a fishbone he swallowed. He was cured when water that was used to wash her hands was poured into the dying man's lips.

Aside from curative intercessions, the Lady is even known for protecting crops. It is said that she saved Pangasinan and other northern provinces from the locust of 1698. Folks have retold of the days during which they tried to protect the rice fields from swarms of locusts that come darkening the sky. They finally sought for the Lady's help. A procession was made to the fields. When they laid her image down in the midst of the devastation, the locusts began to exterminate each other in an incomprehensible way. This ferocity went on for five days until not a single locust could be found.

The Lady's rain miracles which are known to happen even at present first transpired in the drought of 1706. The stories during that year's dry season describe dried and willowed seedlings parched under a cloudless sky. For days that stretched to months, the people of Manaoag hopefully waited for rain. But it did not come. They called on their last recourse, the Lady of Manaoag. She demonstrated her great compassion once again. During the first day of the novena and procession, right after she was brought back to the church, from the

outskirt of the town, clouds gathered about the sky and dimmed the stars. A downpour soon fell and continued for days.

Her origin as Patroness of Manaoag is surrounded with a myth as mystifying as the lovely expression of her face. Tradition has it that the town itself was born from the Virgin's call, thus the term, "taoag" meaning "to call" was used to name the town. It is said that one day, a young man "walking home heard a Lady's mysterious voice. He looked around and with great awe saw the radiant Lady with a Rosary on her right hand and a Child on her left, standing on a cloud veiling a treetop. The man fell on his knees. He told the people of the apparition. And soon right on the spot where the Lady appeared a church was built. A town quickly flourished around it and was called "Manaoag".

The Virgin has assured the people of Manaoag of her protection on several occasions. During the early times when mountain tribes used to burn Christian villages, Manaoag was not spared. It was set on fire. The church with its thatched roof was the last refuge of the people. But the leader of the pillagers, climbed over the fence and shot lighted arrows to all parts of the church. Not a single flame, however, set it on fire. This miraculous event was repeated during the World War II. In spite of several bombs that found their way into the church, not one of them exploded thus keeping the shrine intact.

People are fond of relating one incident that happened in 1697. It was Easter Sunday when a fire of unknown origin razed the town and reached the church. The Father Vicar went inside and snatched the Lady from the sacristy. Addressing her, he made this remark: Blessed Lady, if you do not spare the church from fire, I will hurl myself into the flames with you so that the two of us may be consumed with it. The flames in the sacristy suddenly died out. But when the Vicar tried to put the Lady's image back to its place, he could not budge it. It took then four men to carry her back to her throne.

Several plans to make a new site for her church never materialized. Somehow, in many varying ways, the Lady has expressed her refusal. The most remarkable story was that of the church which was built near the banks of the Baloquing River. According to the story, when the morning of the transfer came, some parishioners who were sent by the Vicar to make the place ready were stupefied with what they saw: nothing. Nothing was left of the structure except four pillars starkly standing amidst clear ground. No trace of the other parts. The parishioners reported what they saw and the Vicar decided to go there himself. Humbled by the truth of what the people told him, the Vicar knelt, asked forgiveness and vowed never to attempt to transfer the site of her shrine again.

On the hilltop where the Lady of Manaoag's shrine stands up to this day, thousands continue to flock every year. Huge crowds attended the day the image was canonically crowned by the Papal Nuncio in April 21, 1926. So also during the silver jubilee celebrations in 1951. This year, 1976, Manaoag is preparing

itself to receive the flocks of devotees who will come to honor her on her golden jubilee of the year. By the time that comes she shall have visited all the barrios of Manaoag, and all the towns of Pangasinan – something she does every twenty five years.

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2000 HAIL MARYS

IT WAS IN 1933, I MONS. JUAN RIU FARRÁN, was fifteen and a half years of age: I was studying in the Salesian Seminary of San Vicente of the Horts, near the City of Barcelona.

Around the 25th of MARCH, 1933, one of my Seminary companions, DANIEL ARA, of the Province of Huesca, in Aragon, said to me: "RIU, I have something interesting to tell to you: THERE IS A PIOUS BELIEF, THAT WHOEVER PRAYS TWO THOUSAND HAILMARYS ON THE 25TH OF MARCH, THE FEAST OF the INCARNATION Of the SON OF GOD, OBTAINS FROM THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, AT LEAST THREE GRACES.

That information was imbedded deeply in my mind, and when the day of the 25th of MARCH arrived, I prayed, with much devotion the TWO THOUSAND HAILMARYS, requesting of the Blessed Virgin Mary, THREE GRACES: TO BE SALESIAN, TO BE A PRIEST, AND TO BE A MISSIONARY...and I confidently awaited in the fulfillment of the promise of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

On the 16th of July, 1935, after serving in Holy Mass, my companion DANIEL ARA and I, went on a excursion or stroll by the forests and hills, not far from the city of Gerona, where we were doing the Novitiate, in preparation for the RELIGIOUS SALESIAN PROFESSION. Towards the middle of the day, when we reunited with our Superiors, who accompanied us in the excursion, communicated to us the sad news that my companion DANIEL ARA, when trying to jump a brook, lost his balance and fell into the water and drowned.

On the 17th, a memorable day, at ten o'clock in the morning we began the spiritual Exercises in preparation for the religious Profession, that took place the 27th of JULY. At that moment, I realized, that the FIRST GRACE requested on the 25 of MARCH, 1933: TO BE SALESIAN was fulfilled.

In July 18th, 1936, the Spanish revolution and persecution exploded, in which we had to leave the Seminary running the risk to be captured and assassinated, as it happened with hundreds of thousands. These were hard and difficult years. The Spanish civil war finally ended on the First of APRIL, 1939, with the defeat of Spanish Communists, by the troops of General Franco, we would be able to return to our Religious Houses to continue our studies in preparation for the priesthood.

ON THE 15TH OF JUNE, 1946, in the Seminary Chapel of Madrid, I was ordained a priest together with TWENTY SALESIAN COMPANIONS, by the Bishop of MADRID, Mons. Leopoldo Eijo and Garay. The SECOND GRACE, requested on the 25th of MARCH, 1933, had been fulfilled.

On the 30th of AUGUST, 1952, I arrived in San Juan, Puerto Rico, to begin my apostolic missionary work in the poorest district of San Juan. And the THIRD GRACE REQUESTED MARCH 25th, 1933, became reality: TO BE A MISSIONARY. After ELEVEN LONG YEARS of missionary work in Puerto Rico, I was invited by Bishop MONS. JOSE FELIX PINTADO, to go to help him in the EASTERN SALESIAN MISSIONS OF ECUADOR, considered like WATERING a DRY TREE, from December 4th, 1964 to the present day, the Blessed VIRGIN Mary had fulfilled her promises.

Today, the DEVOTION OF the TWO THOUSAND HAILMARYS has spread to many countries, thanks to the Marian devotion and fervor of the PHILIPPINE PEOPLE.

MONS. JUAN RIU FARRAN

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Our History

The 9/11 disaster in New York City in 2001 had prompted the Simbang Gabi (Midnight Mass) Group of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church in Nutley, New Jersey to pray together at the Guerrero's Residence in Clifton, New Jersey on October 20, 2001 for the victims of the tragedy, most especially to pray for world peace.

As a gesture of our concern, we devoted a whole day of praying the 2000 Hail Marys and invoked the powerful intercession of the miraculous Our Lady of Manaoag. The prayer session was attended by the Guerrero family, Fr Manny Soriso, Venadas family, Nano family, C Trombecky and her sister, G Cavalida, B Bautista, M and son, Obrera family and Edquilag couple who served as musicians during the Eucharistic Celebration to culminate the activity.

By His grace, we were amazed to see and experience the supernatural wonders right after the 3:00 PM Divine Mercy Chaplet. This motivated the group to schedule the 2000 Hail Mary's in their respective homes. Moreso, this inspiration has led to the creation of a website named http://2000hailmarys.org to share the resources that would help anyone who may wish to pray the devotion.

Today, many have been touched by this devotion. Through the internet, we continuously receive petitions not only from United States but also throughout the world, like Canada, Hongkong, Japan, Philippines, Thailand, Tobago and Trinidad, Nigeria, Australia, UK, Austria, Singapore, Switzerland, Saudi Arabia, Ireland, India, Malaysia etc. In our very eyes, we continue to hear, feel and see signs and wonders, conversions and healings.

As more devotees are propagating this devotion around the world, we also continue to pray the 2000 Hail Mary's at St. Mary's Church in Jersey City, NJ every last Saturday of the month from January to October. In addition, we do it every first Saturday of December in honor of the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

We praise and thank the Lord for this gift of prayer. Indeed, praying the Rosary is the weapon in these troubled times, as St. Padre Pio said. The Blessed Mother

has also led us to adore our Eucharistic Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament every Monday night at St. Anthony Church in Jersey City, NJ.

Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we adore you profoundly. Thank you Mama Mary, for your ever powerful and unfailing intercession.

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Prayers

8:30 AM - 8:45 AM	Sign of the Cross. Prayer to take authority. Prayer to the Heavenly Father Prayer to the Holy Spirit Let us pray Act of Contrition
8:45 AM - 9:45 AM	The Sign of the Cross The Apostles Creed The Our Father Three Hail Marys Glory Be
	The Joyful Mysteries (incl meditation) The Luminous Mysteries (incl meditation) The Sorrowful Mysteries (incl meditation) The Glorious Mysteries (incl meditation)
9:45 AM - 10:00 AM	Hail, Holy Queen Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God That we may be made worthy Let us pray Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary
10:00 AM - 10:05 AM	Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary
10:05 AM - 10:20 AM	Intermission: I'm your Mother
10:20 AM - 10:44 AM	Petition No. 1 followed by 100 Hail Marys
10:44 AM - 11:08 AM	Petition No. 2 followed by 100 Hail Marys
11:08 AM - 11:31 AM	Petition No. 3 followed by 100 Hail Marys
11:31 AM - 11:54 AM	Petition No. 4 followed by 100 Hail Marys
11:54 AM - 12:17 PM	Petition No. 5 followed by 100 Hail Marys
12:17 PM - 12:40 PM	Petition No. 6 followed by 100 Hail Marys
12:40 PM - !3:00 PM	Lunch Break
13:00 PM - 13:23 PM	Petition No. 7 followed by 100 Hail Marys
13:23 PM - 1:47 PM	Petition No. 8 followed by 100 Hail Marys
1:47 PM – 2:11 PM	Petition No. 9 followed by 100 Hail Marys
2:11 PM - 2:35 PM	Petition No. 10 followed by 100 Hail Marys
2:35 PM – 3:00 PM	Petition No. 11 followed by 100 Hail Marys
3:00 PM - 3:20 PM	The Hour of Great Mercy Chaplet of the Divine Mercy (be recited or sung) 3:00 PM Sharp

3:20 PM - 3:44 PM	Petition No. 12 followed by 100 Hail Marys
3:44 PM – 4:08 PM	Petition No. 13 followed by 100 Hail Marys
4:08 PM - 4:31 PM	Petition No. 14 followed by 100 Hail Marys
4:31 PM - 4:54 PM	Petition No. 15 followed by 100 Hail Marys
4:54 PM - 5:17 PM	Petition No. 16 followed by 100 Hail Marys
5:17 PM - 5:40 PM	Petition No. 17 followed by 100 Hail Marys
5:40 PM - 6:03 PM	Petition No. 18 followed by 100 Hail Marys
6:03 PM - 6:27 PM	Petition No. 19 followed by 100 Hail Marys
6:27 PM - 6:31 PM	Petition No. 20 followed by 100 Hail Marys
6:31 PM - 6:45 PM	Glory Be Memorare The Miracle Prayer Prayer to Saint Michael Prayer to the Guardian Angel Cleansing Prayer
6:45 PM – 7:00 PM	Prepare for Mass
7:00 PM	Mass to include singing of Spirit Songs and burning of petitions.

Note:

- 1. Time schedule may be altered for mutual convenience, if desirable or required.
- 2. All pray devoutly in unison.3. The Leader announces each mystery of the rosary. All recite devoutly in unison each meditation of the twenty Mysteries of the Rosary.
- 4. Please recite earnestly each petition and prayer.
- 5. During the burning of petitions, sing Spirit Songs.

2000 Hail Marys

All: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

In the Name of Jesus, I take authority and I bind all powers and forces in the air, in the ground, in the water, in the underground, in the netherworld, in nature and in fire.

You are the Lord over the entire universe and I give you the Glory for your creation. In your Name I bind all demonic forces that have come against us and our families and I seal all of us in the protection of your Precious Blood that was shed for us on the Cross.

Mary, our Mother, we seek your protection and intercession with the Sacred Heart of Jesus for us and our families, and surround us with your mantle of love to discourage the enemy.

St. Michael and our guardian Angels come defend us and our families in battle against all the evil ones that roam the earth.

In the name of Jesus I bind and command all the powers and forces of evil to depart right now away from us, our homes and our lands. And we thank you Lord Jesus for You are a faithful and compassionate God. Amen.

Leader: PRAYER TO OUR HEAVENLY FATHER.

All: Heavenly Father, we the inhabitants of earth are worthy of nothing from You except Your justice. We believe in Your perfection and know that Your Holy Wrath is justified at this time for us, Your disobedient children. We beg You with the merits of Your Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, has gained by the virtue of His most sorrowful passion, and by the great sorrows of His Blessed and Immaculate Mother, to look down on earth, see Thy faithful children who struggle to do Your will and administer Your justice quickly and completely with Your loving and Almighty Hand. Amen.

All: Blessed be the Righteous Hand of God! Blessed be His Holy Wrath! Blessed be His Perfect Justice! (3 times)

All: Heavenly Father, bless us with the grace of prayer.

Leader: PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

All: Come, O Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful, and kindle in them the fire of Your love. Send forth Your Spirit, and they shall be created. And You shall renew the face of the earth.

Leader: LET US PRAY

All: O God, who did instruct the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant us in the same spirit to be truly wise and ever rejoice in His consolation, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

Leader: ACT OF CONTRITION

All: O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended Thee and I detest all my sins, because I dread the loss of Heaven and the pains of hell, but most of all because I have offended Thee, my God, who art all good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of Thy grace, to confess my sins, to do penance, and to amend my life. Amen.

THE TWENTY MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY (Use Regular Rosary)

The Joyful Mysteries (including meditation)

The Sign of the Cross

All: In the name of the Father, and of the son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

The Apostles Creed

All: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified; died, and was buried. He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

The Our Father

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Three Hail Marys

All: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

Glory Be

All: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Fatima Praver

All: "O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of Hell; lead all souls to Heaven, especially those most in need of Thy mercy."

1st Joyful Mystery – The Annunciation

Meditation

All: The Angel Gabriel said to Mary, "You shall conceive and bear a Son and give Him the name of Jesus. And He will be called Son of the Most High." (Lk 1:31-32)

All: Our Father

All: Hail Marys (10 times)

All: Glory Be

All: O my Jesus...

2nd Joyful Mystery – The Visitation

Meditation

All: Elizabeth greets her cousin Mary: "Blessed are you among women and blessed is the fruit of your womb... Blessed is she who trusted that the Lord's words to her would be fulfilled." (Lk 1:41-42)

All: Our Father...

3rd Joyful Mystery – The Nativity of Jesus

Meditation

All: While Mary and Joseph were in Bethlehem, she gave birth to her first-born son and wrapped Him in swaddling clothes and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the place where travelers lodged. (Lk 2:7)

All: Our Father...

4th Joyful Mystery – Presentation of the Child Jesus

Meditation

All: When the day came to purify them according to the law of Moses, Mary and Joseph brought Jesus up to Jerusalem so that He could be presented to the Lord, for it is written in the law of the Lord, "Every first-born male shall be consecrated to the Lord." (Lk 2:22-23)

All: Our Father...

5th Joyful Mystery – Finding Jesus in the Temple

Meditation

All: After searching for three days our Blessed Mother finds Jesus in the temple, "Sitting in the midst of the teachers, listening to them and asking questions. All who heard Him were amazed." (Lk 2:46-47)

The Luminous Mysteries (including meditation)

The Our Father

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

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Fatima Prayer

All: "O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of Hell; lead all souls to Heaven, especially those most in need of Thy mercy."

1st Luminous Mystery – the Baptism in River Jordan

Meditation

All: And a voice came from the heavens, saying: "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." (Matthew 3:17)

All: Our Father...

2nd Luminous Mystery – The Wedding at Cana, Christ Manifested

Meditation

All: Jesus did this as the beginning of his signs in Cana in Galilee and so revealed his glory, and his disciples began to believe in him. (John 2:11)

All: Our Father...

3rd Luminous Mystery – The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God

Meditation

All: Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel." (Mark 1:15)

4th Luminous Mystery – The Transfiguration of Jesus

Meditation

All: And he was transfigured before them; his face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light. (Matthew 17:2)

All: Our Father...

5th Luminous Mystery – The Last Supper, The Holy Eucharist

Meditation

All: While they were eating, Jesus took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and giving it to his disciples said, "Take and eat; this is my body." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you, for this is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed on behalf of many for the forgiveness of sins. (Matthew 26:26)

All: Our Father...

The Sorrowful Mysteries (including meditation)

The Our Father

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

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1st Sorrowful Mystery – The Agony in the Garden

Meditation

All: Jesus went with them to the garden of Gethsemane. He prayed with great intensity, contemplating the sins of the world. Rising from prayer he found his disciples exhausted and asleep.

2nd Sorrowful Mystery – The Scourging at the Pillar

Meditation

All: At Pilate's command, Jesus is cruelly scourged until His modified body could bear no more.

All: Our Father...

3rd Sorrowful Mystery – The Crowning with Thorns

Meditation

All: They stripped off His clothes and wrapped Him in a scarlet military cloak. Weaving a crown out of thorns, they fixed it on His head, and stuck a reed in His right hand...and began to mock Him, "All hail! King of the Jews!" (Mt 27:28-29)

All: Our Father...

4th Sorrowful Mystery – Carrying of the Cross

Meditation

All: Jesus was led away, and carrying the Cross by Himself, went out to what is called the Place of the Skull (in Hebrew, Golgotha). There they crucified Him. (Jn 19:16-18)

All: Our Father...

5th Sorrowful Mystery – The Crucifixion

Meditation

All: Jesus is nailed to the cross, He suffered three hours of agony before He died. The curtain in the sanctuary was torn in two, Jesus uttered a loud cry and said, "Father, into your hands I commend my spirit." After this, He expired. (Lk 23:45-46)

All: Our Father...

The Glorious Mysteries (including meditation)

The Our Father

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

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1st Glorious Mystery – The Resurrection of Our Lord

Meditation

All: Three days after His death, Jesus rises glorious and immortal. The angel spoke, "Do not be frightened. I know you are looking for Jesus the crucified, but He is not here. He has been raised, exactly as He promised." (Mt 28:5-6)

All: Our Father...

2nd Glorious Mystery – The Ascension into Heaven

Meditation

All: Jesus ascends into Heaven forty days after His Resurrection. "After speaking to them, the Lord Jesus was taken up into Heaven and took His seat at God's right hand." (Mk16:19)

All: Our Father...

3rd Glorious Mystery – The Descent of the Holy Spirit

Meditation

All: The Holy Spirit descends upon Mary and the Apostles on the day of Pentecost. "Tongues as of fire appeared which parted and came to rest on each of them. All were filled with the Holy Spirit. They began to express themselves in foreign tongues and make bold proclamation as the Spirit prompted them." (Acts 2:3-4)

All: Our Father...

4th Glorious Mystery - The Assumption of Mary

Meditation

All: Our Blessed Mother is united with her Divine Son in Heaven. "A great sign appeared in the sky, a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars." (Rev 12:1)

5th Glorious Mystery – The Coronation of Mary

Meditation

All: Mary is crowned Queen of Heaven and Earth. "You are the glory of Jerusalem... You are the splendid boast of our people...God is pleased with what you have wrought. May you be blessed by the Lord Almighty forever and ever." (Judith 15:9-10)

All: Our Father...

Leader: THE HAIL, HOLY QUEEN

All: Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy! our life, our sweetness, and our hope! To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve; to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy towards us; and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

Leader: PRAY FOR US, O HOLY MOTHER OF GOD.

All: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Leader: LET US PRAY

All: O God, whose only-begotten Son, by His life, death and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life; grant us, we beseech Thee, that we who meditate upon these mysteries of the most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, may we imitate what they contain, and obtain what they promise; through the same Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

Leader: LITANY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

All: Lord, have mercy on us, Christ, have mercy on us, Christ, have mercy on us, Lord, have mercy on us, Lord, have mercy on us.

Christ, hear us, *Eord, have mercy on us.*Christ, graciously hear us.

God our Father in Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Spirit,
have mercy on us.
have mercy on us.
have mercy on us.

Holy Trinity, one God, have mercy on us. Holy Mary, pray for us. Holy Mother of God, pray for us.

Holy Virgin of Virgins,

Mother of Christ,

Mother of Divine Grace,

Mother Most Pure,

Mother Most Chaste,

Mother Inviolate,

Mother Undefiled,

pray for us.

Mother Most Lovable, pray for us. Mother Most Admirable. pray for us. Mother of Good Counsel. prav for us. Mother of our Creator, pray for us. Mother of our Savior, pray for us. Virgin Most Prudent, pray for us. Virgin Most Venerable. pray for us. Virgin Most Renowned, pray for us. Virgin Most Powerful, pray for us. Virgin Most Merciful, pray for us. Virgin Most Faithful, pray for us. Mirror of Justice. pray for us. Seat of Wisdom. pray for us. Cause of our Joy, pray for us. Spiritual Vessel. pray for us. Vessel of Honor, pray for us Singular Vessel of Devotion, pray for us. Mystical Rose, pray for us. Tower of David. pray for us. Tower of Ivory. pray for us. House of Gold. pray for us. pray for us. Ark of the Covenant, Gate of Heaven. pray for us. Morning Star, pray for us. Health of the Sick. pray for us. Refuge of Sinners, pray for us. Comfort of the Afflicted, pray for us. Help of Christians, pray for us. Queen of Angels, pray for us. Queen of Patriarchs. pray for us. Queen of Prophets, pray for us. Queen of Apostles, pray for us. Queen of Martyrs, pray for us. Queen of Confessors, pray for us. Queen of Virgins, pray for us. Queen of all Saints, pray for us. Queen conceived without original sin, pray for us. Queen assumed into Heaven, pray for us. Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, pray for us. Queen of Peace. pray for us.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, *spare us, O Lord.*Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, *graciously hear us, O Lord.*Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, *have mercy on us, O Lord.*

Leader: CONSECRATION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

All: Jesus, we know that You are merciful and that You have offered Your heart for us. It is crowned with thorns and with our sins. We know that You implore us constantly so that we do not go astray. Jesus, remember us, when we are in sin. By means of Your Heart make all men love one another. Make hate disappear from amongst men. Show us Your Love. We all love You and want You to protect us with Your Shepherd's Heart and free us from every sin. Jesus, enter into every heart! Knock, knock at the door of our heart. Be patient and never desist. We are still closed because we have not understood Your love. Knock continuously. O Good Jesus, make us open our hearts to You at least in the moment we remember Your Passion suffered for us. Amen.

Leader: CONSECRATION TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

All: O Immaculate Heart of Mary, ardent with goodness, show your love towards us. May the flame of Your Heart, O Mary, descend on all mankind. We love You so. Impress true love in our hearts so that we have a continuous desire for You. O Mary, humble and meek of heart, remember us when we are in sin. You know that all men sin. Give us, by means of Your Immaculate Heart, spiritual health. Let us always see the goodness of Your Maternal Heart and may we be converted by means of the flame of Your Heart. Amen.

Intermission ...

(Note: The Leader invites all to stand and announces the petition number. All recite the petition in unison and when recitation is over, everybody sits down and the leader begins the Hail Mary. All recite Holy Mary).

LEADER: OUR FATHER

All: Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses; as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Recite Petition Number 1 Followed by 100 Hail Marys.

All: Mother Mary, please teach us to pray more devoutly and often as our Lord taught us to pray. We pray for the Light to see and comprehend God's will in our lives. Through intense prayer we may renew ourselves and be enriched with the virtues of your Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, as we unite ourselves with your infinite wisdom. Help us to understand the deeper meaning of the word that sanctifies us. Teach us to cultivate the habit of prayer, giving us the grace to pray every day, uplifting every task that we perform. We pray to be enlightened with the guidance of the Holy Spirit, that we may pray for all humanity, instead of merely for ourselves. Inspire us to pray constantly, so that waking we may watch with Christ, our Savior, and sleeping we may have peace of mind.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 2 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for peace and justice on earth. Let peace begin within us, that we, in turn, may promote peace among all nations. Teach us to live truly the life of love towards God and all humankind. Inspire us to pray for the cleansing of our hearts and minds of hate, envy, anger and selfishness. Teach us to love and forgive. Inspire us to be generous and to give without counting the cost. Help us to become worthy of the precious gifts of the Holy Spirit. Mother Mary, we pray for the leaders of all nations. May your grace be their counsel to enlighten their minds and strengthen their will to do good and avoid evil. May the gifts of the Holy Spirit be in their hearts, to guide them in the performance of their duties and obligations to God and all humankind. Mother Mary, we pray for all countries, especially those suffering from oppression and terrorism. Protect and help them to attain peace with justice. May our love and prayers bring us lasting peace on earth.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 3 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, give us guidance and encouragement in the practice of the daily reading of the Holy Scriptures wherein we find the Light of Eternal Life and our spiritual nourishment. May the Holy Spirit continue to enlighten our hearts and minds that we may always have the grace and courage to live the Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 4 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for the prevention of abortion. May this horrible crime cease. Please help the innocent victims. We pray for all expectant mothers. Please guide and teach all parents to do what is right in the sight of God that God is life and all His creation is Holy. Mother Mary, we pray for the youth, the abandoned, the orphans, the abused and the missing children. Bless them and help them. May your love continue to be their guidance and protection.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 5 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for those who are at risk of being lost, or who are already lost through any form of addiction. Those who are addicted to alcohol, drugs, the flesh or any kind of vice; may your grace enlighten their minds and strengthen their will to do good and avoid evil. Please teach and help them to grow in love and truth, that they may find deliverance from the power of evil. Dear Mother of our Savior, heal and reunite families broken by these evils.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 6 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray that we may understand and appreciate the importance and value of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass in our daily life. May we realize that the Holy Mass is the highest form of prayer, wherein our Lord, Jesus Christ, is there present with us to re-live His sacrifice for our spiritual salvation. Mother Mary, help us to participate in the Holy Mass more frequently and devoutly, that we may never stray from the way of everlasting salvation. Help us to achieve the grace of the redemption won for us by your Son, Jesus Christ, Our Savior, which is celebrated in the Eucharist.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 7 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for an increase of vocations. Inspire parents to encourage their children with guidance into greater awareness of this blessed state of life. Please assist and guide all Seminarians and Religious, who are struggling with studies to prepare themselves for the Priesthood and other Religious Vows. Mother Mary, strengthen their perseverance to overcome all obstacles. Grant them the fortitude to continue following your Son, Jesus Christ, who is the Way, the Truth and the Light.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 8 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for the conversion of hearts and minds. Please touch and inspire the hearts and minds of those who dwell in darkness, that they may see the Light of Salvation and receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Mother Mary, we pray for all humanity to turn to the one True God, for the cleansing of hearts and minds, for the strengthening of faith, that we may live in Truth. Inspire us with the desire to achieve the state of sanctifying grace.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 9 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for the blessing and understanding to receive more frequently and reverently, the Holy Sacraments, given to us through the grace and love of the Triune Godhead. May these Holy Sacraments, especially Penance and the Holy Eucharist, be cherished more devoutly. We pray that these Sacraments will renew us spiritually and strengthen our crusade to do the will of God.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 10 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for an increase of prayer groups and cenacles. Please protect them from discord and disunity. May the gifts of the Holy Spirit be always in their hearts, to guide them into harmony with the Divine Will. Mother Mary, grant us the grace to live your messages in our hearts and in our daily lives that we may inspire others, and remind ourselves that God has chosen each one of us in His Great Plan for the Salvation of Mankind.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 11 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for the will to accept our own cross, to follow faithfully your Son, Jesus Christ, Our Savior. May we always remember to meditate on His word, "If you want to be with Me, then take up your cross, and follow Me." Whatever our burdens, we offer to Him without fear because He is with us: We put our faith and trust in Him. Mother Mary, grant us greater strength to bear our cross willingly, for there is no way to heaven other than the way of the cross.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 12 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for our deliverance from the temptation and bondage of sin. Help and support us in the time of temptation to overcome any weakness. Strengthen our faith and give us understanding and courage to know and live the will of God. Guide and keep us in the path of eternal salvation.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 13 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, please help us to appreciate more the value of fasting as an offering and penance in atonement for our sins. Help us to fast more often and to detach ourselves from the materialism and vanities of daily life which turn us away from the teaching of your Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ. May we cherish the riches of your grace and desire to live a holy life.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 14 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for all families, especially our own. Please bless our homes and families. May your Holy Angels stay with us to keep us from evil and harm. Cover us with your mantle of protection from any natural calamities and catastrophes that may come. Give us strength to meet the difficulties of daily living. We seek to forgive everyone, especially living or dead members of our own family tree, who have directly offended us or whose sins have resulted in our present sufferings or disorders. May the family of the Holy Trinity pervade our family with its tender, warm, loving presence, so that our family may recognize and manifest that love in all our relationships. Help us to grow closer to God in faith and love through prayer. Mother Mary, help us to enrich our understanding of Truth to ensure our spiritual progress. Guide all families to resist evil and to strive for holiness. Assist us in building a strong foundation for the love of our families.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 15 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for the unemployed, the poor, the hungry, the homeless and the refugees. Bless them in their needs and give them protection and the means of support. Grant them peace and the strength to meet the difficulties of daily living. Mother Mary, we pray for those who are in prison. May the grace of your Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, enlighten their hearts and minds and give them hope in their sufferings. Please bless those who are imprisoned unjustly. Strengthen their hearts to bear their ordeal. May your love and grace continue to support and comfort them.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 16 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for the poor souls in Purgatory, that more souls may be released. Comfort and console them in their suffering. Please accept our prayers we offer to you, and to your Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ. Mother Mary, we pray especially for those who have stayed there the longest and have no one to pray for them. We wish to apply the merits of this petition to our deceased parents, sisters, brothers, relatives, friends, benefactors and others. Have mercy on them. We remember the departed, especially (*Pause for one minute: to name persons silently*).

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 17 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for the Church, especially for the Pope, Bishops, Priests, Deacons, and all Religious and Missionaries who have consecrated their lives to serve God and Mankind. May they always be renewed in Spirit. Please strengthen their faith to help them to be faithful in serving their ministries. Protect them from sickness, harm and evil, so that they may serve in love with more diligence. We also pray for all persecuted people of the earth. Please help and protect them. Mother Mary, we pray for all souls to be consecrated to your Immaculate Heart.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 18 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for those who are on pilgrimage and retreat, seeking our Savior, Jesus Christ. Inspire our hearts to seek and find Him as you searched for the Child Jesus for three days and found Him in the Temple. May all who seek Him find Him, and You. Mother Mary, we pray for all travelers upon missions of good will, that you may watch over them.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 19 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, We pray for the healing of those who suffer from any illness or -traumatic injury. Please give them strength, courage and the understanding to endure their trials and offer their suffering to your Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ. May they be strong in faith, in hope and in love. Mother Mary, we also pray for the dying. May your grace be with them in their last hour, to give them hope for the salvation of their souls. We pray especially for those who suffer an untimely death. May they receive the blessing and mercy of your Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ. Mother Mary, we also ask for your love and mercy for the elderly, the infirm, the bedridden, and the handicapped. Please give them courage and protection. May your grace become their strength and sustenance.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Note: Pause a moment for personal intentions then proceed to next petition.

Recite Petition Number 20 Followed by 100 Hail Marys

All: Mother Mary, we pray for all the petitions we present upon this altar .We humbly consecrate ourselves to you with all our hearts and minds in this devotion. Please, hear our prayers and grant our petitions (Pause one minute: mention them silently). Mother Mary, please grant us these favors and the understanding to accept whatever is given to us in accordance with the will of God. We thank you Mother Mary, and your Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ for the many blessings granted to us.

All: Recite 100 Hail Marys.

Leader: Glory be

All: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Leader: The Memorare

All: Remember, O most compassionate Virgin Mary, that never was it known that any one who fled to your protection, implored your assistance, or sought your intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, we fly unto you, O Virgin of Virgins, our Mother; to you we come; before you we kneel, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions, but in your clemency, hear and answer them Amen.

Leader: The Miracle Prayer

All: Lord Jesus, I come before You just as I am. I am sorry for my sins, I repent of my sins. Please forgive me, I renounce Satan, the evil spirits and all their works. I give You my entire self, Lord Jesus, now and forever. I invite You into my life, Jesus. I accept You as my Lord, God, and Savior. Heal me, change me, strengthen me in body, soul and spirit. Come Lord Jesus, wash me with Your precious blood and fill me with Your Holy Spirit. I love You Lord Jesus, I praise You Jesus, I thank You Jesus, I shall follow You everyday of my life. Amen.

Mary my Mother, Queen of Peace, all the Angels and Saints, please help me. Amen

Leader: Prayer to St. Michael

All: St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in the day of battle; be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the Power of God, cast into Hell, Satan and all the other evil spirits, who prowl throughout the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Leader: Prayer to Our Guardian Angel

All: Angel of God, my guardian dear, To whom His love, commits me here; Ever this day, be at my side To light and guard, To rule and guide. Amen.

Leader: Cleansing Prayer

All: Oh Loving Father, as intercessors, we have taken upon us the burdens and grief of Your people, but we know that You do not want these burdens and grief to remain in us. We therefore bring all these to Your throne of grace, where You will dispose of them according to Your wonderful and divine plan. Wash us clean of all these burdens with the blood of the Lamb. Lighten our hearts and fill us with Your peace, love and joy.

Almighty Father, we ask now for You to soak us with the Holy Blood of Jesus to cleanse us from any burden and any unclean spirit that might have clung to us as intercessors. In Jesus' name, we bind them all at the foot of the Cross until You, O Lord Jesus tells it where to go. Amen.

All: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

(End of the 2000 Hail Marys. Everybody is advised to attend to personal necessities/matters while preparation for the mass is being undertaken. Thank You.)

THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON

(NOTE: Please kneel; those who cannot kneel may sit)

All: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Leader: THE HOUR OF GREAT MERCY

All: You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.

O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fount of mercy for us. I trust in You! (3 times)

Leader: THE CHAPLET OF THE DIVINE MERCY

All: OUR FATHER, Who art in heaven hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. Amen.

All: HAIL MARY, Full of grace; the Lord is with thee; blessed are thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

All: I BELIEVE IN GOD, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit; born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell: the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven; sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the Communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

ON THE LARGE BEAD BEFORE EACH DECADE:

All: ETERNAL FATHER, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

ON THE TEN (10) SMALL BEADS OF EACH DECADE:

All: For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

AFTER THE 5TH DECADE SAY: (3 TIMES)

All: Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, Have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Note: Continue to next page for closing prayer.

CLOSING PRAYER:

All: ETERNAL GOD, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy for us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself. Amen.

All: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

THE ANGELUS

(Six O'clock in the afternoon)

All: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Leader: The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary;

All: And she conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Leader: Hail Mary full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou amongst women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus.

All: Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

Leader: Behold the Handmaid of the Lord:

All: Be it done unto me according to thy word.

Leader: Hail Mary ...

All: Holy Mary ...

Leader: And the Word was made flesh;

All: And dwelt among us.

Leader: Hail Mary ...

All: Holy Mary ...

Leader: Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God;

All: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Leader: Let us pray...

All: Pour forth, we beseech Thee. O Lord, Thy grace unto our hearts, that we to whom the incarnation of Christ, Thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by His passion and cross be brought to the glory of His resurrection, through the same Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

Leader: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

All: As it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

MARIAN SONGS

Mother of Christ

Mother of Christ, Mother of Christ, What shall I ask of thee..? I do not sigh for the wealth of the earth For the joys that fade and flee. But, Mother of Christ, Mother of Christ, This do I long to see, The bliss untold which your arms enfold The treasure upon your knee.

Mother of Christ, Mother of Christ, I toss on a stormy sea,
Oh, lift your Child as a beacon light
To the port where I fain would be.
And, Mother of Christ, Mother of Christ.
This do I ask of thee.
When the voyage is o'er:
O, stand on the shore.
And show Him at last to me.

Our Lady of Fatima

Dear Lady of Fatima
We come on bended knees
To beg your intercession
For peace and unity
Dear lady, won't you show us
The right and shining way
We pledge our love and offer you
A rosary each day.

You promised at Fatima
Each time that you appeared
To help us if we pray to you
To banish war and fear
Dear Lady on first Saturdays
We ask your guiding hand
F or grace and guidance here on earth
And protection for our land.

Hail, Holy Queen

Hail, Holy Queen enthroned above, O Maria! Hail, Queen of mercy and of love, O Maria!

Refrain:

Triumph, all ye Cherubim, Sing with us, ye Seraphim, Heav'n and Earth resound the hymn: Salve, Salve, Salve Regina!

Our Life, our sweetness here below, O Maria! Our hope in sorrow and in woe, O Maria!

Refrain:

The Hail Mary (Novena Hymn)

(Note: May be sung or recited)

Hail Mary, full of grace
The Lord is with you
Blessed are you among women,
And blest is the fruit of your womb,
Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
Pray for us sinners,
Now and at the hour of our death.
Amen.

Mother Dear, O Pray for Me

Mother dear, O pray for me.
Whilst far from heav'n and thee.
I wander in a fragile bark
O'er life's tempestuous sea.
O Virgin Mother, from thy throne
So bright in bliss above
Protect thy child and cheer my path
With thy sweet smile of love

Mother dear, remember me and never cease thy care Till in heaven eternally Thy love and bliss I share.

On This Day, O Beautiful Mother

Refrain:

On this day, O Beautiful Mother, On this day, we give Thee our love, Near Thee, Madonna, fondly we hover Trusting Thy gentle care to prove.

On this day, we ask to share, Dearest Mother, Thy sweet care, Aid us ere our feet astray, Wander from Thy guiding way.

Refrain:

Queen of angels, bending near, Lisping children's humble prayer, Young hearts gain, Oh Virgin Pure, Sweetly to Thyself, allure.

Refrain:

Immaculate Mary (Lourdes Hymn)

Immaculate Mary, thy praises we sing, Who reignest in splendor with Jesus, our King! Ave, Ave, Ave Maria! Ave, Ave, Maria!

Thy name is our power, thy virtues our light, Thy love is our comfort, thy pleading our might.

Ave, Ave, Ave Maria! Ave, Ave, Maria!

Immaculate Mother

Immaculate Mother
To you do we plead
T o ask God our Father
For help in our need

Ave, Ave, Ave Maria Ave, Ave, Ave Maria

We pray for our country The land of our birth We pray for all nations That peace be on earth

Ave, Ave, Ave Maria Ave, Ave, Ave Maria

Mary Immaculate, Star of the Morning

Mary Immaculate, star of the morning, Chosen before the creation began, Destined to bring, through the light of your dawning

Conquest of Satan and rescue to man.

Refrain:

Bend from your throne at the voice of our crying,

Look to this earth where your footsteps have trod

Stretch out your arms to us, living and dying,

Mary Immaculate, mother of God.

Refrain:

We sinners honour your sinless perfection:

Fallen and weak, for God's mercy we plead.

Grant us the shield of your mighty protection.

Measure your aid by the depth of our need.

Refrain:

Mother Dearest, Mother Fairest

Mother dearest, Mother fairest, Help of all who call on thee; Virgin purest, brightest, rarest Help us, help, we cry to thee.

Refrain:

Mary help us, help, we pray, Mary help us, help, we pray; Help us in all care and sorrow, Mary help us, help, we pray.

Lady, help in pain and sorrow, Soothe those racked on beds of pain; May the golden light of 'morrow, Bring them health and joy again.

Salve, Regina

Salve, Regina, mater misericordiae vita, dulcedo et spes nostra, salve. Ad te clamamus, exules filii Evae. Ad te suspiramus, gementes et flentes

in hac lacrimarum valle.

Eia ergo, advocata nostra,

illos tuos misericordes oculos

ad nos converte.

Et lesum, benedictum fructum ventris tui, nobis post hoc exilium ostende.
O Clemens, o pia, o dulcis Virgo Maria.

PRAISE/SPIRIT SONGS

Come Holy Spirit

Come Holy Spirit, we need you Come Holy Spirit, we pray Come with your strength and your power Come in your special way.

- ...peace and joy
- ...healing and mercy
- ...truth and wisdom

Holy Spirit Come

Holy Spirit come
Make my ears to hear
Make my eyes to see
Make my mouth to speak
Make my heart to seek
And my hands to reach out
And touch the world with your love.

(repeat)

Spirit Of The Living God

Spirit of the Living God Fall afresh on us, Spirit of the Living God Fall afresh on us Melt us, mold us, Fill us, use us, Spirit of the Living God Fall afresh on us.

- ...on them
- ...on all
- ...on me

Holy Spirit Thou Art Welcome

Holy Spirit, Thou art welcome in this place
Omnipotent Father of mercy and grace
Thou art welcome in this place.

- ...in this group
- ...in this heart
- ...in our lives.

The Spirit Of The Lord

The spirit of the Lord is now upon me
To heal the broken hearts
And set the captive free
To open prison doors
And make the blind to see
The spirit of the Lord is now on me

- ...upon us
- ...upon all

Open Our Eyes Lord

Open our eyes Lord We want to see Jesus To reach out and touch Him And say that we love Him

Open our ears Lord And help us to listen Open our hearts Lord We want to feel Jesus

Come Holy Spirit

Come Holy Spirit, we need You Come Holy Spirit, we pray Come with *Your strength and Your power*

Come in Your own special way.

- Your peace and Your joy
- ... Your healing and mercy
- ... Your truth and Your wisdom
- Your love and Your light

Come like a spring in the desert Come to the withered of soul Oh, let Thy sweet healing power Touch us and make us whole.

Lord, I want your Holy Spirit

Lord, I want your Holy Spirit Breathe into this heart of mine And possess my inmost being Give me Lord, a heart like thine.

(Repeat)

The Spirit Of The Living God (We Affirm)

SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD
WE AFFIRM YOUR PRESENCE HERE
SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD
WE AFFIRM YOUR POWER HERE
TO HEAL US AND TO DELIVER US
TO FILL US AND TO CHANGE US D
SPIRIT OF GOD.

SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD
WE AFFIRM YOUR PRESENCE HERE
SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD
WE AFFIRM YOUR POWER HERE
TO REST ON US AND TO EMPOWER US
TO WORK THROUGH US
AND TO REVEAL IN US
JESUS THE KING.

I Cast All My Cares

I cast all my cares upon You
I lay all my burdens down at your feet
And anytime I don't know just what to do
I will cast all my cares upon you.

(Repeat)

He Will Carry You

THERE IS NO PROBLEM TOO BIG
GOD CANNOT SOLVE IT
THERE IS NO MOUNTAIN TOO TALL
HE CANNOT MOVE IT
THERE IS NO STORM TOO DARK
GOD CANNOT CALM IT
THERE IS NO SORROW TOO DEEP
HE CANNOT SOOTHE IT.

(REFRAIN)

IF HE CARRIED THE WEIGHT OF THE
WORLD
UPON HIS SHOULDERS
I KNOW MY BROTHER THAT HE WILL CARRY
YOU.
IF HE CARRIED THE WEIGHT OF THE
WORLD
UPON HIS SHOULDERS
I KNOW MY SISTER THAT HE WILL CARRY

(BRIDGE)

YOU.

HE SAID: "COME UNTO ME ALL WHO ARE WEARY AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST."

(REPEAT FROM START TO REFRAIN, then FADE)

Heal Me, O Lord

Thank You Lord

HEAL ME, O LORD
AND I WILL BE HEALED
SAVE ME AND I WILL BE SAVED.

HEAL ME, O LORD
AND I WILL BE HEALED
FOR YOU ARE THE ONE I PRAISED
YOU ARE THE ONE I PRAISED

(Repeat)

I am the God That Healeth Thee

I AM THE GOD THAT HEALETH THEE I AM THE LORD, YOUR HEALER I SENT MY WORD, AND HEALED YOUR DISEASE I AM THE LORD, YOUR HEALER.

YOU ARE MY GOD THAT HEALETH THEE
YOU ARE THE LORD, MY HEALER
YOU SENT YOUR WORD,
AND HEALED MY DISEASE
YOU ARE THE LORD, MY HEALER.

(REPEAT)

THANK YOU LORD
FOR THE TRIALS THAT COME MY WAY
IN THIS WAY I CAN GROW EACH DAY
AS I LET YOU LEAD.

THANK YOU LORD FOR THE PATIENCE EACH TRIAL BRINGS IN THE PROCESS OF GROWING I CAN LEARN TO CARE.

(REFRAIN)

BUT IT GOES AGAINST THE WAY I AM TO PUT MY HUMAN NATURE DOWN PLEASE LET YOUR SPIRIT TAKE CONTROL OF ALL I DO.

CAUSE WHEN THESE TRIALS COME
MY HUMAN NATURE SHOUTS THE THINGS
TO DO
AND GOD=S SOFT PROMPTING
CAN BE EASILY IGNORED.

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THANK YOU LORD FOR THE VICTORY THESE TRIALS BRING IN SURRENDER OF EVERYTHING LIFE IS ALL WORTHWHILE.

(REPEAT REFRAIN - THEN III & IV)

IV

THANK YOU LORD
THAT WHEN EVERYTHING=S PUT IN PLACE
OUT IN FRONT I CAN SEE YOUR FACE
AND IT=S THERE I BELONG.