

## THE JOYFUL MYSTERIES

*Prayer before the recitation of the Joyful Mysteries:*

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

*Say one Hail Mary*

*Prayer for the 27 days of petition:*

Hail, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, my Mother Mary, hail! At your feet I humbly kneel to offer you a crown of roses - snow-white buds to remind you of your joys - each bud recalling a holy mystery; each ten bound together with my petition for a particular grace.

O Holy Queen, dispenser of God's graces and Mother of all who invoke you! You cannot look upon my gift and fail to see its binding. As you receive my gift, so will you receive my petition; from your bounty you will give me the favor I so earnestly and trustingly seek.

I despair of nothing that I ask of you. Show yourself my Mother!

*Prayer for the 27 days of thanksgiving:*

Hail, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, my Mother Mary, hail! At your feet I humbly kneel to offer you a crown of roses - snow-white buds to remind you of your joys - each bud recalling a holy mystery; each ten bound together with my petition for a particular grace.

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I despaired not of what I asked of you. And you have truly shown yourself my Mother!

*Say the Apostles Creed, one Our Father, three Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

### **The First Joyful Mystery - The Annunciation**

Sweet Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Annunciation, when the angel Gabriel appeared to you with the tidings that you were to become the Mother of God, greeting you with that sublime salutation, "Hail, full of grace! The Lord is with you!" and you humbly submitted yourself to the will of the Father, responding, "Behold the handmaid of the Lord. Be it done unto me according to your word," I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these snow-white buds with a petition for the virtue of humility and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Second Joyful Mystery - The Visitation**

Sweet Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Visitation, when upon your visit to your holy cousin Elizabeth she greeted you with the prophetic utterance, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb!" and you answered with that canticle of canticles, the Magnificat, I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these snow-white buds with a petition for the virtue of charity and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Third Joyful Mystery - The Nativity**

Sweet Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Nativity of Our Lord, when your time being completed you brought forth the Redeemer of the World in a stable at Bethlehem, whereupon choirs of angels filled the heavens with their exultant song of praise, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to men of good will," I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these snow-white buds with a petition for the virtue of detachment from the world and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Fourth Joyful Mystery - The Presentation In The Temple**

Sweet Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Presentation of Our Lord, when in obedience to the Law of Moses you presented your son in the Temple, where the holy prophet Simeon, taking the child in his arms, offered thanks to God for allowing him to look upon his Savior and foretold your suffering by the words, "Your soul also a sword shall pierce," I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these snow-white buds with a petition for the virtue of purity and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Fifth Joyful Mystery - The Finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple**

Sweet Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple, when after sorrowfully seeking your lost son for three days you discovered him in the Temple speaking with the teachers and upon your request he obediently returned home with you and Joseph, I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these snow-white buds with a petition for the virtue of obedience to the will of God and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

*Prayer after the recitation of the Joyful Mysteries:*

### **Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, really present in the most holy Sacrament of the Eucharist, since I cannot now receive you in the form of bread and wine, I ask with a heart full of love and longing that you come spiritually into my soul through the intercession of your most holy Mother. Abide with me forever: you in me, and I in you, in time and in eternity, in Mary.

*Prayer during 27 days of petition:*

Sweet Mother Mary, I offer you this Spiritual Communion to bind my bouquets in a wreath to place upon your brow. O my Mother! Look with favor upon my gift, and in your love obtain for me (specific request) - "an outcome of the November election which is pleasing to Almighty God, and which provides most effectively for the implementation of His Holy Will in the lives of all."

*Say one Hail Mary.*

*Prayer during 27 days of thanksgiving:*

Sweet Mother Mary, I offer you this Spiritual Communion to bind my bouquets in a wreath to place upon your brow in thanksgiving for (specify request) - "an outcome of the November election which is pleasing to Almighty God, and which provides most effectively for the implementation of His Holy Will In the lives of all." - which you in your love have obtained for me, even if I do not yet fully comprehend your wisdom.

*Say one Hail Mary.*

O God, whose only-begotten Son, by his life, death and resurrection has purchased for us the reward of eternal life, grant we beseech you, that meditating upon these mysteries of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise, through the same Christ, or Lord. Amen

May the divine assistance remain always with us. Amen.

And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Holy Virgin Mary, with your loving Child, your blessings give to us this day (night).

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

## **THE MYSTERIES OF LIGHT**

*Prayer before the recitation of the Mysteries of Light:*

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

*Say one Hail Mary*

*Prayer for the 27 days of petition:*

Hail, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, my Mother Mary, hail! At your feet I humbly kneel to offer you a crown of roses - bright yellow roses to remind you of the public ministry of your son - each rose recalling a holy mystery; each ten bound together with my petition for a particular grace.

O Holy Queen, dispenser of God's graces and Mother of all who invoke you! You cannot look upon my gift and fail to see its binding. As you receive my gift, so will you receive my petition; from your bounty you will give me the favor I so earnestly and trustingly seek.

I despair of nothing that I ask of you. Show yourself my Mother!

*Prayer for the 27 days of thanksgiving:*

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I despaired not of what I asked of you. And you have truly shown yourself my Mother!

*Say the Apostles Creed, one Our Father, three Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

**The First Mystery of Light - The Baptism of Jesus In the Jordan River**

O courageous Mother Mary, meditation on the Mystery of the Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River, when you son, as an example to all, insisted on being baptized by his cousin John and the sky opened and the Holy Spirit came down to him like a dove and a voice from heaven said, "You are my own dear Son in whom I am well pleased," I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these bright yellow roses with a petition for the virtue of giving good example and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Second Mystery of Light - The First Miracle of Jesus**

O courageous Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the First Miracle of Jesus at the Wedding Feast at Cana, when at your urging your son performed the first of his many miracles by helping a couple celebrate their marriage by changing water into wine of such quality that the chief steward upbraided the host by saying, "Usually people serve the best wine first and save the cheaper wine for last, but you have saved the choice wine for last," I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father*

I bind these bright yellow roses with a petition for the virtue of responding to the needs of others and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Third Mystery of Light - The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God**

O courageous Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Proclamation of the Kingdom of God, when you son revealed that the reign of God has already begun "within us" and that we are called to conversion and forgiveness, praying "your Kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven," I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father*

I bind these bright yellow roses with a petition for the virtue of working for social justice and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Fourth Mystery of Light - The Transfiguration**

O courageous Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Transfiguration, when your son revealed his glory to his three disciples, appearing on a mountain with Moses and Elijah, his face shining like the sun and a voice from heaven proclaiming, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him," I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father*

I bind these bright yellow roses with a petition for the virtue of listening to the word of God and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Fifty Mystery of Light - The Institution of the Eucharist**

O courageous Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Institution of the Sacrament of the Eucharist, when on the day before he died your son celebrated the Passover with his disciples and took bread and gave it to them saying, "Take and eat; this is my body," and when dinner was finished he took a cup of wine and shared it with them saying, "Take and drink' this is my blood, which will be given up for you; do this in memory of me," I

humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father*

I bind these bright yellow roses with a petition for the virtue of helping to build the faith community and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

*Prayer after the recitation of the Joyful Mysteries:*

### **Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, really present in the most holy Sacrament of the Eucharist, since I cannot now receive you in the form of bread and wine, I ask with a heart full of love and longing that you come spiritually into my soul through the intercession of your most holy Mother. Abide with me forever: you in me, and I in you, in time and in eternity, in Mary.

*Prayer during 27 days of petition:*

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*Say one Hail Mary.*

*Prayer during 27 days of thanksgiving:*

Sweet Mother Mary, I offer you this Spiritual Communion to bind my bouquets in a wreath to place upon your brow in thanksgiving for (specify request) - “an outcome of the November election which is pleasing to Almighty God, and which provides most effectively for the implementation of His Holy Will In the lives of all.” - which you in your love have obtained for me, even if I do not yet fully comprehend your wisdom.

*Say one Hail Mary.*

O God, whose only-begotten Son, by his life, death and resurrection has purchased for us the reward of eternal life, grant we beseech you, that meditating upon these mysteries of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise, through the same Christ, or Lord. Amen

May the divine assistance remain always with us. Amen.

And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Holy Virgin Mary, with your loving Child, your blessings give to us this day (night).

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

## **THE SORROWFUL MYSTERIES**

*Prayer before the recitation of the Sorrowful Mysteries:*

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

*Say one Hail Mary*

*Prayer for the 27 days of petition:*

Hail, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, my Mother Mary, hail! At your feet I humbly kneel to offer you a crown of roses - blood-red roses to remind you of the passion of your son, with whom you did so fully partake of it bitterness - each rose recalling a holy mystery; each ten bound together with my petition for a particular grace.

O Holy Queen, dispenser of God's graces and Mother of all who invoke you! You cannot look upon my gift and fail to see its binding. As you receive my gift, so will you receive my petition; from your bounty you will give me the favor I so earnestly and trustingly seek.

I despair of nothing that I ask of you. Show yourself my Mother!

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I despaired not of what I asked of you. And you have truly shown yourself my Mother!

*Say the Apostles Creed, one Our Father, three Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

### **The First Sorrowful Mystery - The Agony In the Garden**

O most sorrowful Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Agony of Our Lord in the Garden, when in the Garden of Olives your son saw the sins of the world unfolded before him, and his precious blood flowed from every pore at the vision of the torture and death he was to undergo, and he cried in anguish, "Abba! Father! If it be possible, let this chalice pass from me," but immediately resigning himself to his Father's will, he said, "Not as I will, but as you will," I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these blood-red roses with a petition for the virtue of resignation to the will of God and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Second Sorrowful Mystery - The Scourging At the Pillar**

O most sorrowful Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Scourging of Our Lord, when at Pilate's command your son was stripped of his garments and bound to a pillar, his body lacerated from head to foot with cruel whips, and his flesh torn away until his mortified body could bear no more, I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these blood-red roses with a petition for the virtue of self-denial and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Third Sorrowful Mystery - The Crowning With Thorns**

O most sorrowful Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Crowning of Our Lord with Thorns, when

the soldiers bound about your son's head a crown of sharp thorns, showered blows upon him to drive the thorns deeply into his head, and in mock adoration knelt before him crying, "Hail, King of the Jews!" I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these blood-red roses with a petition for the virtue of forgiveness and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

#### **The Fourth Sorrowful Mystery - The Carrying of the Cross**

O most sorrowful Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Carrying of the Cross, when with the heavy wood of the cross upon his shoulders your son was dragged, weak and suffering yet patient, through the streets of Jerusalem to the hill of Calvary, falling often but urged along by the cruel blows of his executioners and the revilement of the crowd, I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these blood-red roses with a petition for the virtue of patience in adversity and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

#### **The Fifth Sorrowful Mystery - The Crucifixion**

O most sorrowful Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Crucifixion, when your son was stripped of his garments, nailed to the cross, and died after three hours of indescribable agony, during which he asked, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do," I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these blood-red roses with a petition for the virtue of love of my enemies and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

*Prayer after the recitation of the Sorrowful Mysteries:*

#### **Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, really present in the most holy Sacrament of the Eucharist, since I cannot now receive you in the form of bread and wine, I ask with a heart full of love and longing that you come spiritually into my soul through the intercession of your most holy Mother. Abide with me forever: you in me, and I in you, in time and in eternity, in Mary.

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May the divine assistance remain always with us. Amen.

And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Holy Virgin Mary, with your loving Child, your blessings give to us this day (night).

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

## **THE GLORIOUS MYSTERIES**

*Prayer before the recitation of the Glorious Mysteries:*

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

*Say one Hail Mary*

*Prayer for the 27 days of petition:*

Hail, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, my Mother Mary, hail! At your feet I humbly kneel to offer you a crown of roses - full-blown white roses, tinged with the yellow of light and the red of the passion, to remind you of your glories - each rose recalling a holy mystery; each ten bound together with my petition for a particular grace.

O Holy Queen, dispenser of God's graces and Mother of all who invoke you! You cannot look upon my gift and fail to see its binding. As you receive my gift, so will you receive my petition; from your bounty you will give me the favor I so earnestly and trustingly seek.

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I despaired not of what I asked of you. And you have truly shown yourself my Mother!

*Say the Apostles Creed, one Our Father, three Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

### **The First Glorious Mystery - The Resurrection**

O glorious Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Resurrection of Our Lord, when on the morning of the third day after his death and burial your son arose from the dead as he had promised and later appeared to you and his disciples, filling all your hearts with unspeakable joy, I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these full-blown white roses with a petition for the virtue of faith and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Second Glorious Mystery - The Ascension**

O glorious Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Ascension of Our Lord, when after spending forty days on earth after his Resurrection “showing them in many ways that he was still alive and speaking to them about the Kingdom of God,” your son went with his disciples to a mountaintop where he promised to be with them always and then ascended before their eyes into heaven, I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these full-blown white roses with a petition for the virtue of hope and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Third Glorious Mystery - The Descent of the Holy Spirit**

O glorious Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of the Descent of the Holy Spirit on Pentecost, when the disciples, including you, dear Mother, were assembled in an upper room in Jerusalem and the Holy Spirit descended upon all of you in the form of fiery tongues, inflaming your hearts with the fire of divine love, teaching you all truths, and giving you the gifts of wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety and fear of the Lord, I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these full-blown white roses with a petition for the virtue of charity and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Fourth Glorious Mystery - The Assumption of Our Blessed Mother Into Heaven**

O glorious Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of your Assumption into Heaven, when consumed with the desire to be united with your son in heaven your soul departed your body and united itself to him, who out of the love he bore the woman who was his first tabernacle caused your body to be assumed into heaven and miraculously reunited with your soul amidst the acclaim of the angel and saints, I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

I bind these full-blown white roses with a petition for the virtue of union with Christ and humbly lay this bouquet at your feet.

### **The Fifth Glorious Mystery - The Crowning of Our Blessed Mother As Queen of Heaven and Earth**

O glorious Mother Mary, meditating on the Mystery of your Coronation, when upon being taken up to heaven after your death you were triply crowned as the august Queen of Heaven and Earth by God the Father as his beloved daughter, by God the Son as his dearest mother, and by God the Holy Spirit as his chosen spouse and you became the most perfect adorer of the Blessed Trinity, pleading our cause as our most powerful and merciful Blessed Mother, I humbly pray:

*Say one Our Father, ten Hail Marys, one Glory Be to the Father.*

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*Prayer after the recitation of the Glorious Mysteries:*

### **Spiritual Communion**

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