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# About the Rosary

## Background

The word rosary comes from the Latin word *rosarius* which means crown of roses. It is a form of prayer to give love and praise to God while meditating on the lives of Jesus and Mary.

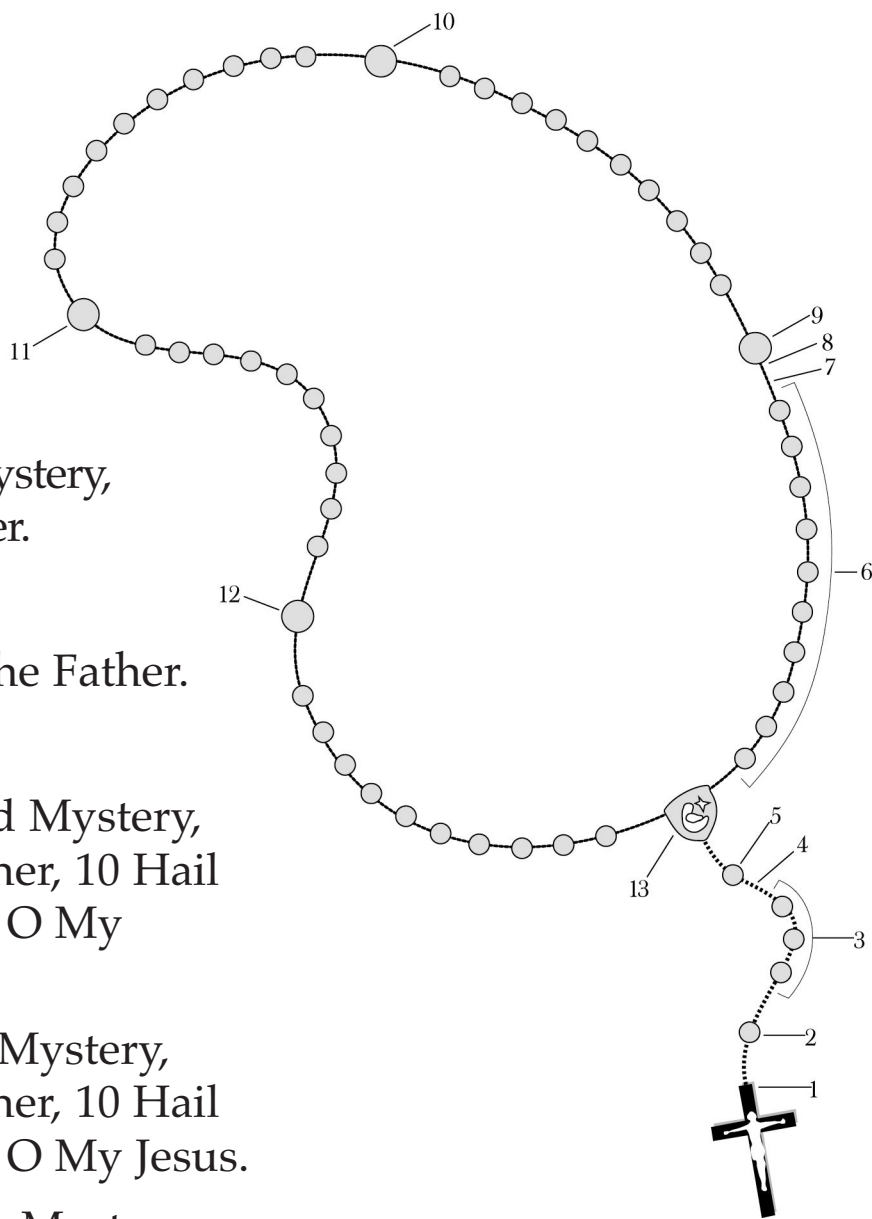
A complete rosary consists of a series of 150 beads divided into 15 groups or decades of ten beads each. Decades are usually separated by one larger bead connected on a string or chain. Extending from this string are five other beads, two large and three small, and a crucifix. Most rosaries consist of five decades. Some rosaries may consist of all fifteen decades.

Certain prayers are said at each bead of a rosary, an Our Father on each large bead, a Hail Mary on each small bead, and a Glory Be and O My Jesus prayer following each decade. The 15 decades are divided into three sets of five. Each set tells about the mysteries in the lives of Jesus and Mary. They are the Joyful Mysteries, the Sorrowful Mysteries, and the Glorious Mysteries. While praying the Hail Marys, we meditate on the particular mystery.

Enclosed in this book are meditations that are read during the rosary. Reading a meditation before each Hail Mary, helps us to concentrate and keep our minds focused. Occasionally there is a special meditation before the Glory Be or the Hail Holy Queen.

# How to Say the Rosary

1. Make the sign of the Cross and say the Apostles' Creed.
2. Say the Our Father.
3. Say 3 Hail Marys.
4. Say the Glory Be to the Father.
5. Announce the First Mystery, then say the Our Father.
6. Say 10 Hail Marys.
7. Say the Glory Be to the Father.
8. Say the O My Jesus.
9. Announce the Second Mystery, then say the Our Father, 10 Hail Marys, Glory Be and O My Jesus.
10. Announce the Third Mystery, then say the Our Father, 10 Hail Marys, Glory Be and O My Jesus.
11. Announce the Fourth Mystery, then say the Our Father, 10 Hail Marys, Glory Be and O My Jesus.
12. Announce the Fifth Mystery, then say the Our Father, 10 Hail Marys, Glory Be and O My Jesus.
13. Conclude by saying the Hail Holy Queen.
14. Make the Sign of the Cross.



# The Rosary Prayers

## *The Sign of the Cross*

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

## *The Apostles Creed*

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 arose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven; sits 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.

## *Our Father*

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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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.

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O My Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell and lead all souls to heaven, especially those who are in most need of Thy mercy.

## *Hail Holy Queen*

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 toward us.

And after this, our exile, show unto us the blessed Fruit of thy womb, Jesus, O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray. O God, whose only begotten Son, by His life, death, and resurrection has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life; grant, we beseech Thee, 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 Our Lord. Amen.

\*Note: When the rosary is said aloud by two or more persons, one person is the leader. He says the first part of the prayer (up to the asterisk \*). Everyone else answers by saying the remainder of the prayer. The O My Jesus and the Hail, Holy Queen are said by all together.

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## *The First Joyful Mystery:*

### *THE ANNUNCIATION*

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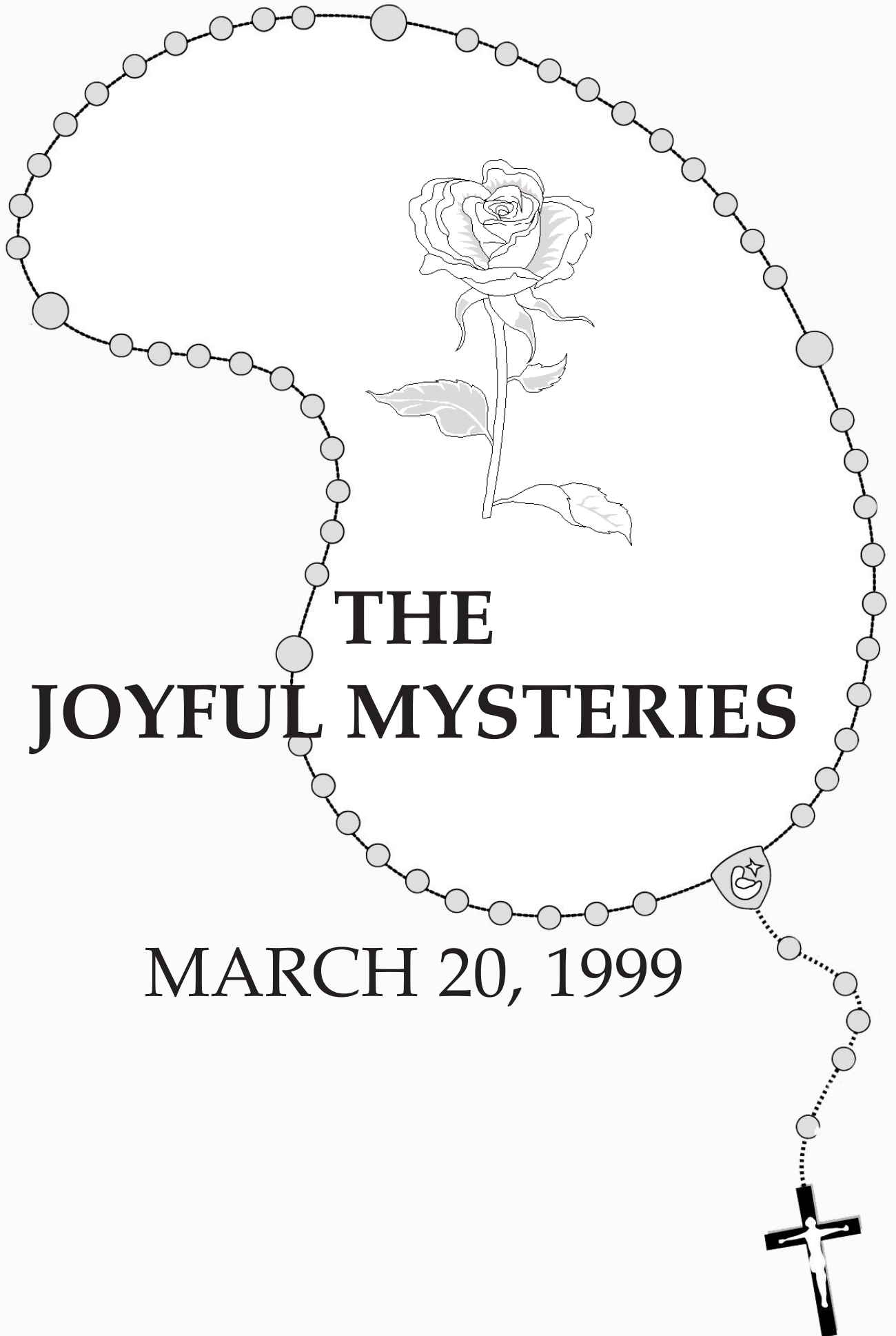
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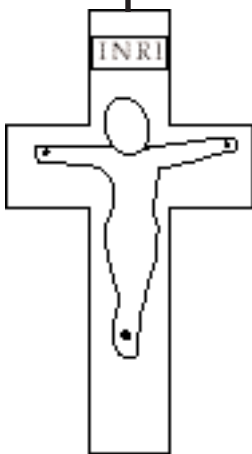
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# The Annunciation

1. Mary's children were created by God to go to heaven.
2. Eve sinned.
3. Adam and Eve were our first parents.
4. The angel comes to Mary, she is sinless.
5. Mary conceived Jesus through the power of the Holy Spirit.
6. Jesus is the Son of God, Son of Man.
7. Jesus comes to save man from his sins.
8. Mary obeyed God always.
9. Eve disobeyed God.
10. We must always try to obey God.





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# The Visitation

1. Mary visits her cousin, Elizabeth.
2. Elizabeth is with child.
3. John the Baptist prepared a way for Jesus.
4. When Mary met Elizabeth the child in Elizabeth's womb leapt for joy.
5. We must do what God wants us to do.
6. God gives us the Commandments to live by.
7. God gives us His word to live by.
8. Mary spoke to Elizabeth.
9. "And Mary said: My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord..." (Lk 1:46)
10. Nothing is impossible with God.



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# The Birth of Jesus

1. Shepherds saw Jesus in the stable.
2. We have nice cozy beds.
3. Where do you think Mary and Joseph laid their heads in the stable?
4. Mary suffered at the birth of Jesus, but she was filled with joy to see the Christ Child.
5. Christmas is all about Christ's birth.
6. Many people today do not speak of Jesus' birth during Christmas.
7. We must learn to live our lives for Jesus.
8. No one feels good after sinning.
9. Jesus is with us today.
10. Jesus remains with us in the Blessed Sacrament.





# The Presentation in the Temple

1. Mary and Joseph went to the temple with Jesus.
2. Simeon told Mary she would suffer.
3. We meditate on the Joyful, Sorrowful and Glorious Mysteries. There are 15 mysteries in the rosary, 5 Joyful, 5 Sorrowful and 5 Glorious Mysteries.
4. There are five sets of ten Hail Marys in each mystery, this is a decade.
5. The mysteries of the rosary are mysteries in the lives of Jesus and Mary.
6. Sing the *Rosary Song*.
7. Mary told us at Fatima we must pray the rosary.
8. Mary appeared to three little children at Fatima.
9. The main visionary, Lucia is still alive.
10. We meditate on the sorrows of Mary.

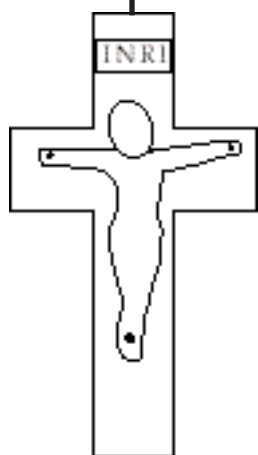






# The Finding in the Temple

1. Mary suffered so much when Jesus was lost.
2. Mary and Joseph began to look for Jesus.
3. After three days they found Jesus in the temple.
4. "...they found him in the Temple, sitting among the teachers, listening to them, and asking questions;" (Lk 2:46)
5. "and all those who heard him were astounded at his intelligence and his replies." (Lk 2:47)
6. We must search for Jesus our whole lives.
7. We want to know Him more.
8. Our Church has seven Sacraments.
9. Jesus gives us Himself in the Eucharist.
10. Jesus loves us so much.





# *Glory Be*

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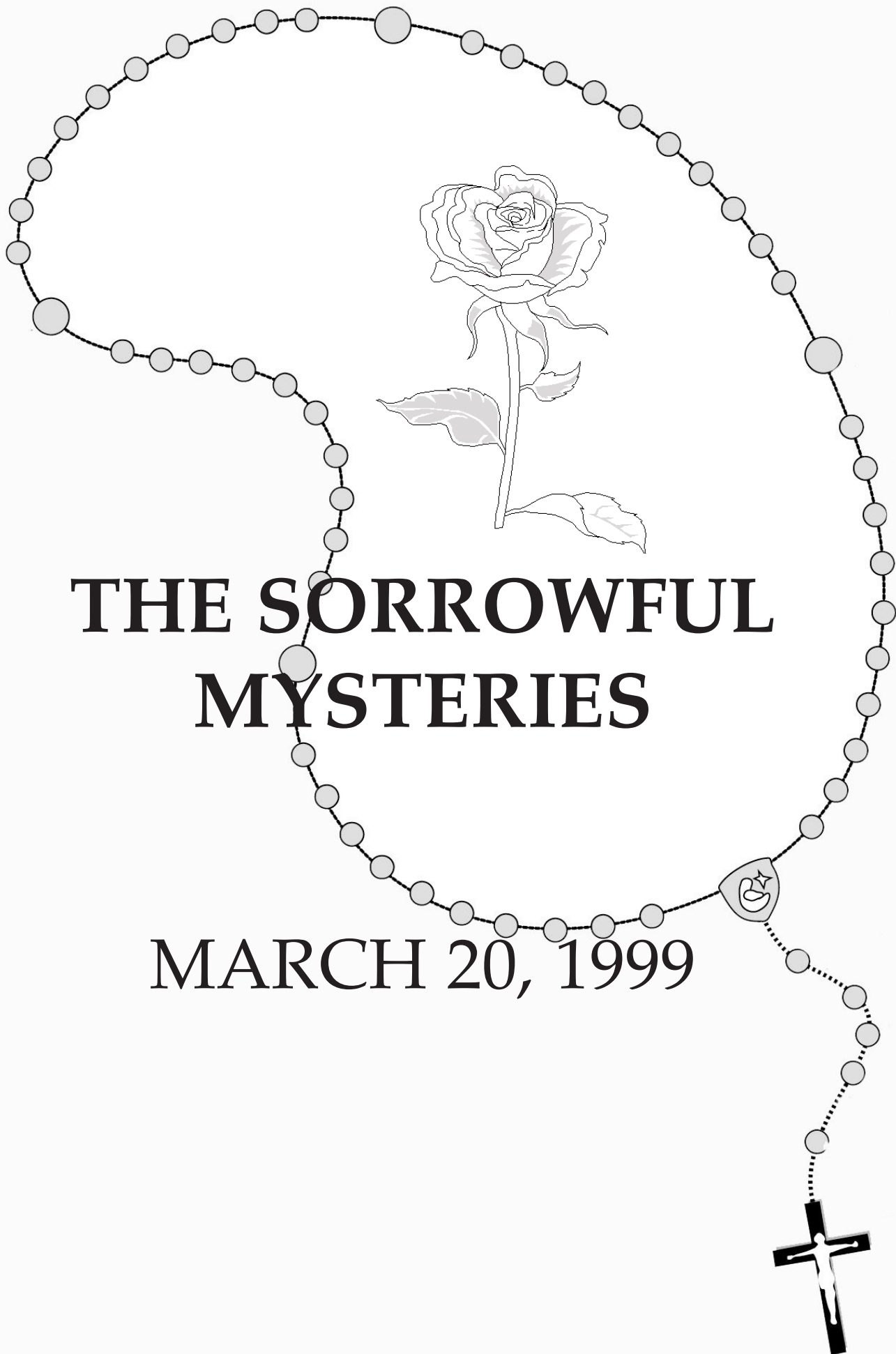
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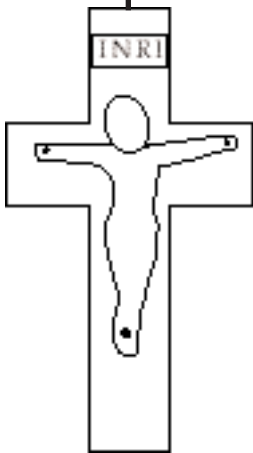
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# The Agony in the Garden

1. Jesus is God, He comes to save us.
2. Before Jesus rose from the dead, He had to suffer so much.
3. Jesus suffered for us. He loves us so much.
4. "Help us Jesus to realize Your love."
5. An angel appeared to Jesus to comfort Him.
6. Jesus knew He would die.
7. Jesus knows all things, He is God.
8. Jesus knew all He would suffer.
9. Jesus went willingly to His suffering and death on the cross.
10. Jesus asks us to accept our sufferings.



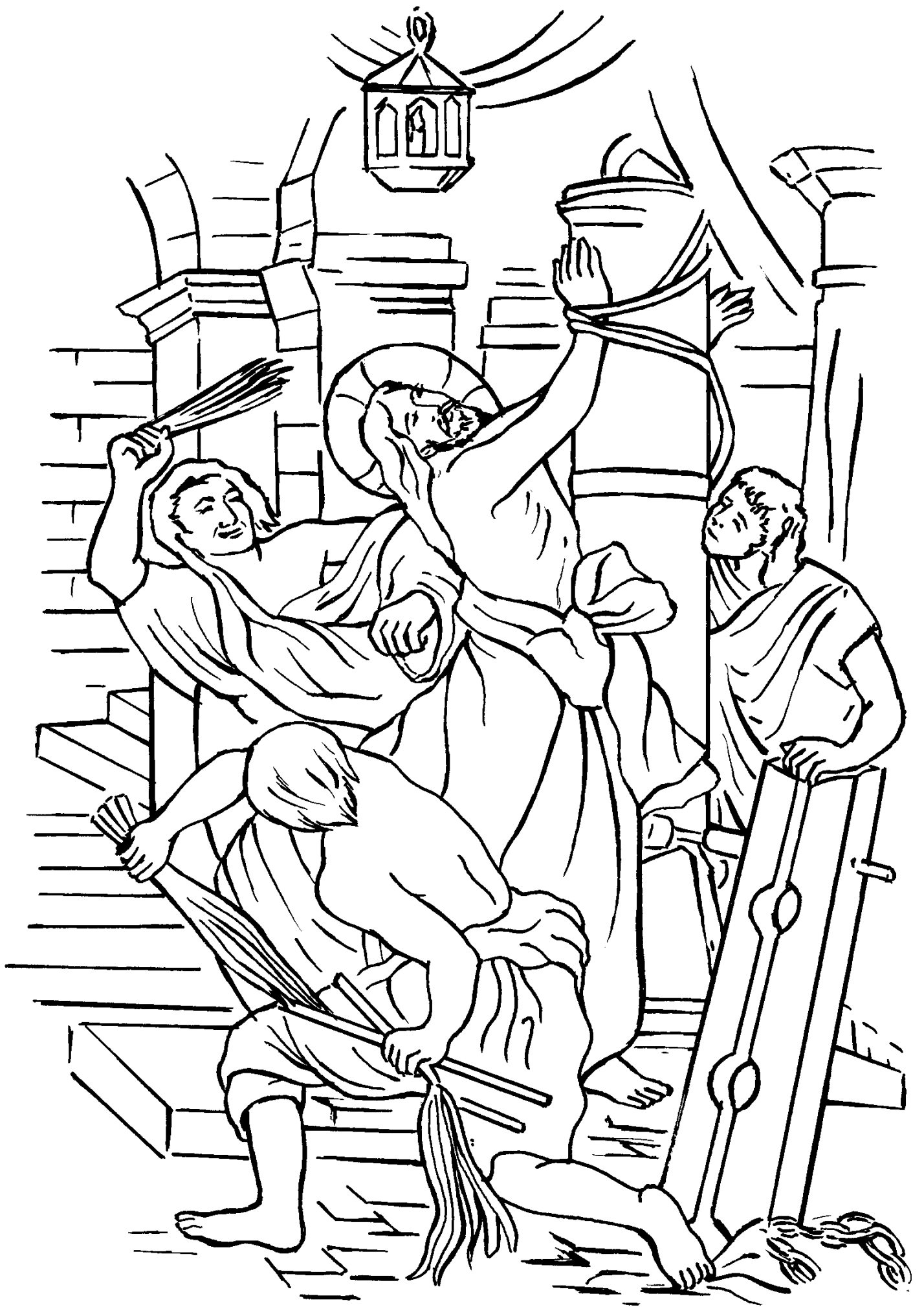


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## The Scourging at the Pillar

1. The men bound Jesus at the pillar.
2. Jesus could have broke the bonds.
3. It is silly to think they could tie God down.
4. God has all the power.
5. When we try to see Jesus being beaten at the pillar, we will know more about His love for us.
6. The men tore His flesh.
7. Think of someone you love being beaten.
8. It is awful to think of how they treated Jesus.
9. Many times people treat us mean.
10. It hurts us a lot when people are mean to us.

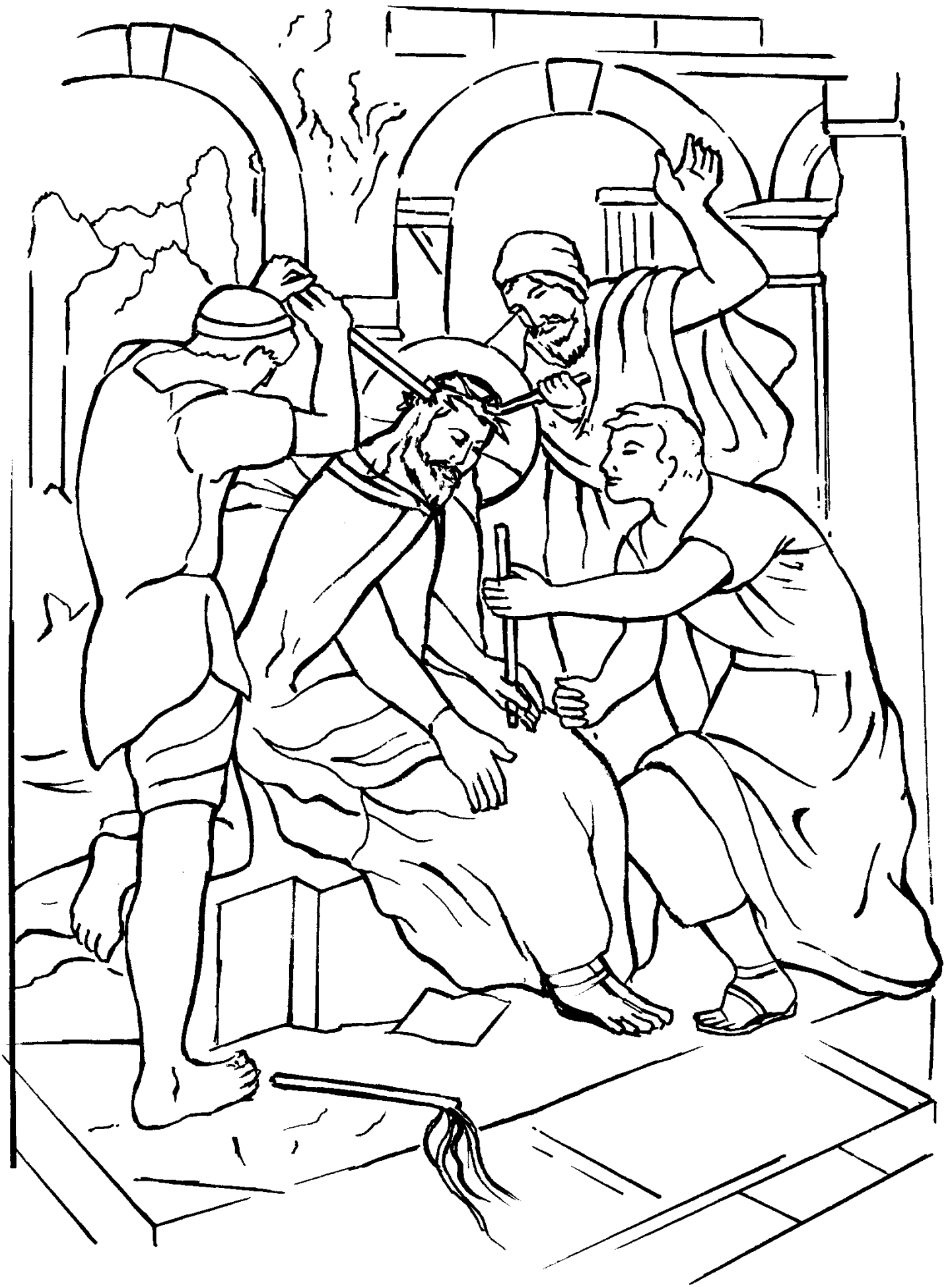




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# The Crowning with Thorns

1. The precious head of Jesus was crowned with thorns.
2. Kings wear crowns.
3. Jesus is the King of heaven and earth.
4. The men didn't believe Jesus was a King.
5. The men made fun of Jesus and crowned Him with thorns.
6. Many times our friends say things that make fun of us.
7. Sometimes others laugh when others are mean.
8. It is very hurtful when people laugh at us.
9. We do not like people to hurt us, we want to be loved.
10. We must not say mean things to others.



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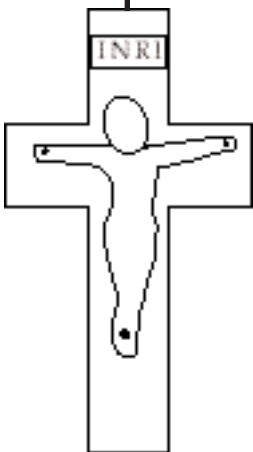
1. See Jesus carrying a big cross on His back.
2. The men gave Jesus the cross and made Him carry it.
3. The cross Jesus carried was heavy with the sins of the world.
4. Jesus gives us crosses to carry.
5. Many crosses we must carry are heavy.
6. We cannot have everything we want.
7. Many times we suffer as little children.
8. Sometimes people do not understand our feelings.
9. Sometimes we are sick and need something and they do not understand.
10. This is a cross, when we hurt in our heart and can't change it.





# The Crucifixion

1. The men hung Jesus on a cross.
2. "Above him there was an inscription: 'This is the King of the Jews'." (Lk 23:38)
3. Jesus willingly gave His life for us.
4. Jesus paid the price for our sins.
5. On the cross, Jesus forgave the men who hurt Him.
6. As Jesus hung on the cross, He gave us His Mother to be our Mother.
7. Mary stood beneath the cross with His Apostle, John.
8. Jesus loved John very much.
9. Jesus loves us so much, He died for us.
10. See Jesus hanging on the cross and thank Him for His love for us.





## *Glory Be*

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## *O My Jesus*

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## *The First Glorious Mystery:*

### *THE RESURRECTION*

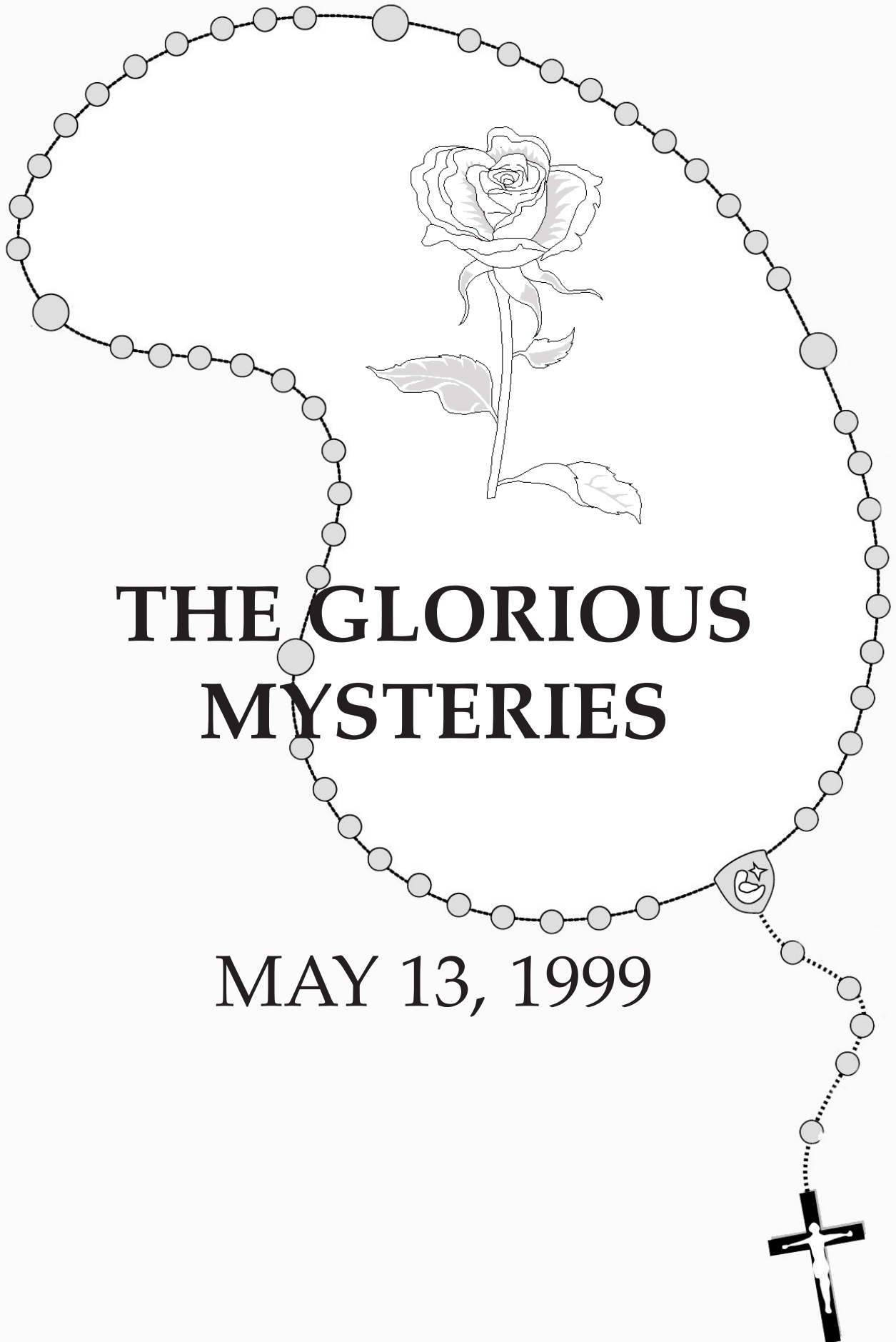
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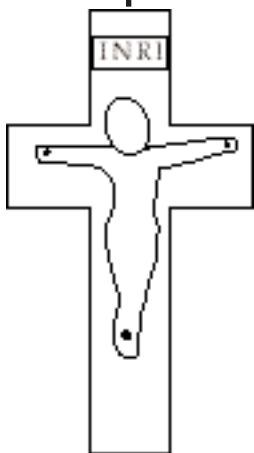
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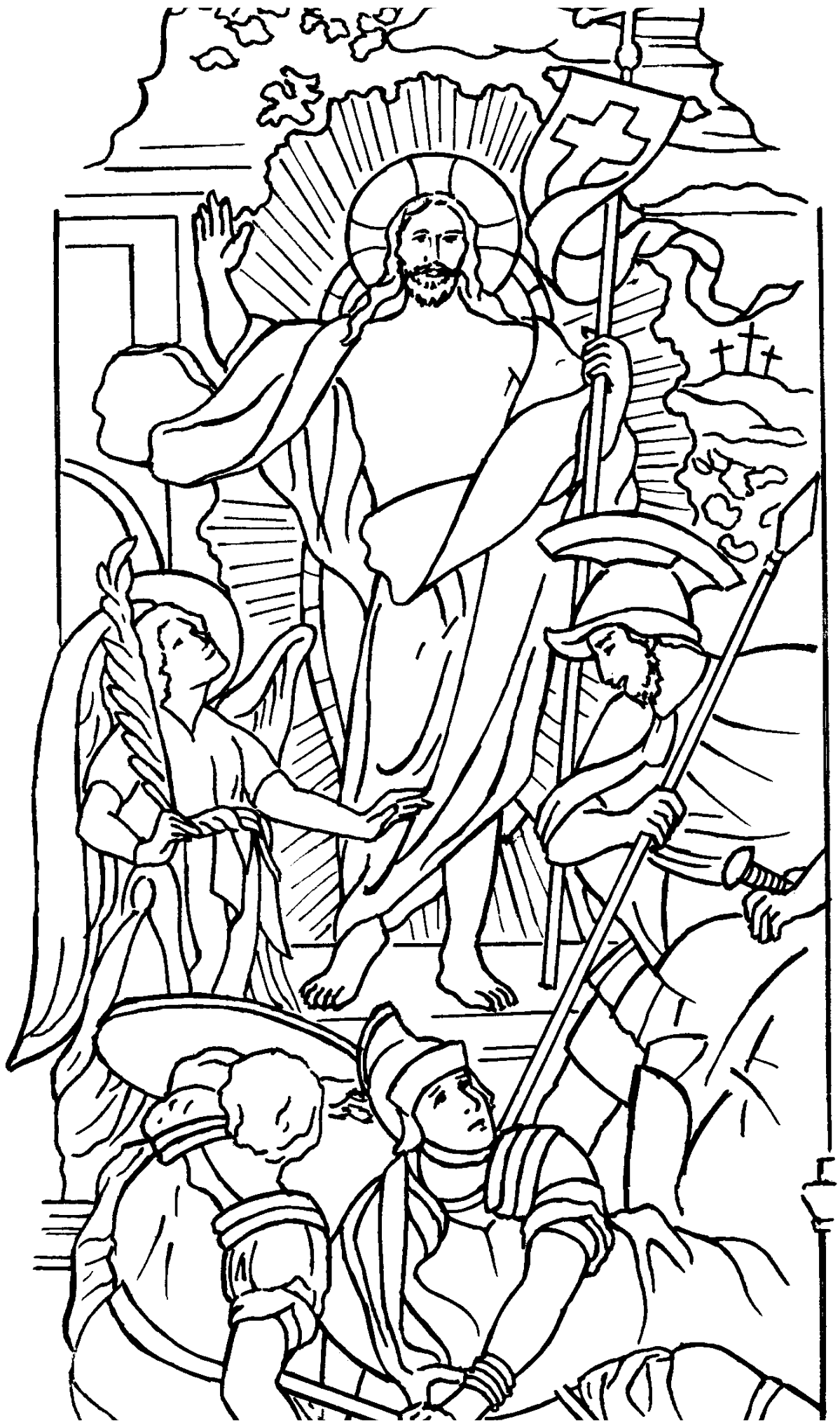
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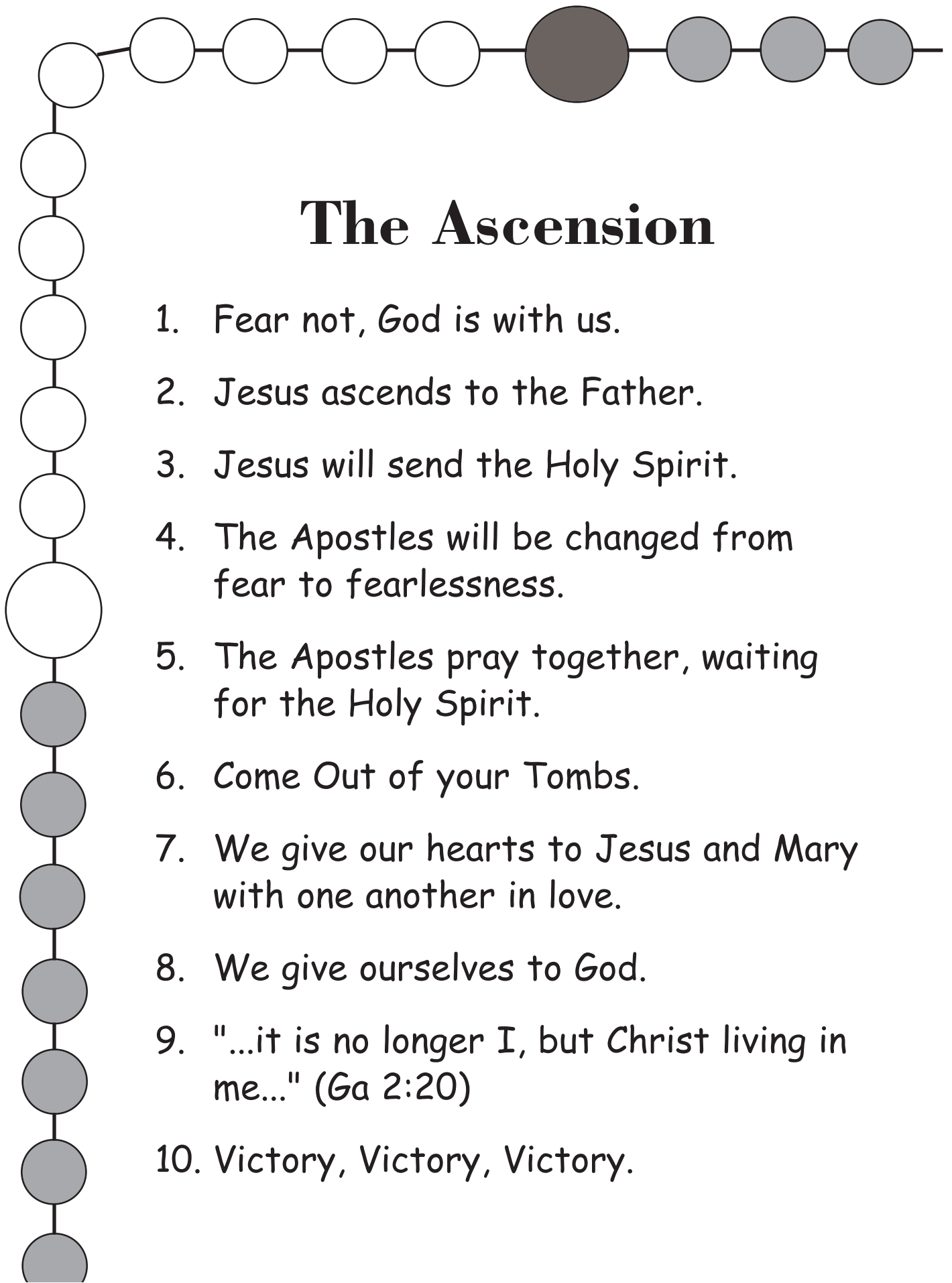


# The Resurrection

1. Christ HAS RISEN.
2. We are His witnesses.
3. SING ALLELUIA.
4. RAISE OUR VOICES IN GREAT JOY.
5. ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA.
6. Death has no power over Him.  
"...where is your sting?" (1 Co. 15:55)
7. God is Mighty.
8. Jesus is King.
9. Jesus is Victorious.
10. Jesus has Risen from the dead.







## The Ascension

1. Fear not, God is with us.
2. Jesus ascends to the Father.
3. Jesus will send the Holy Spirit.
4. The Apostles will be changed from fear to fearlessness.
5. The Apostles pray together, waiting for the Holy Spirit.
6. Come Out of your Tombs.
7. We give our hearts to Jesus and Mary with one another in love.
8. We give ourselves to God.
9. "...it is no longer I, but Christ living in me..." (Ga 2:20)
10. Victory, Victory, Victory.



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# The Descent of the Holy Spirit

1. We will be victors.
2. We will wear a white robe.
3. Our robes will be washed in Jesus' Blood.
4. The Holy Spirit will fill our hearts with the fire of God's love.
5. We must Pray - Come Holy Spirit, Come!
6. *SONG: A Song from Jesus - Sing.*
7. *SONG: Come Holy Ghost - Sing.*
8. *SONG: Immaculate Mary - Sing.*
9. *SONG: Holy God, We Praise Thy Name - Sing.*
10. Come Holy Spirit, Come. Alleluia.



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# The Assumption

1. SONG: *Glory, Glory, Glory Lord* - Sing.
2. SONG: *Hail Holy Queen* - Sing.
3. Mary is taken into heaven body and soul.
4. Jesus and Mary have Hearts of pure love.
5. We dwell in her Immaculate Heart.
6. We intercede through our Mother Mary.
7. Mary is Immaculate.
8. Mary is pure.
9. Mary has been conceived without sin.
10. Mary is Mother.





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# The Coronation

1. SONG: *On This Day* - Sing.
2. SONG: *Immaculate Mary* - Sing.
3. SONG: *Hail Holy Queen* - Sing.
4. Now a great sign appeared in heaven: a woman, robed with the sun, standing on the moon, and on her head a crown of twelve stars. (Rv 12:1)
5. She was pregnant, and in labour, crying aloud in the pangs of childbirth. (Rv 12:2)
6. The Sacred Heart of Jesus will Reign.
7. The Immaculate Heart of Mary will triumph.
8. Our sorrow will be turned to joy.
9. We must obey God's will.
10. We are the children of God the Father. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.



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## *The Memorare*

Remember, oh most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, oh Virgin of virgins, my Mother. To thee I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. Oh Mother of the Word incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy, hear and answer me. Amen.

# The Rosary Song

by Rita Ring

## REFRAIN

Musical notation for the Refrain, consisting of three staves of music in 2/4 time. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a 2/4 time signature, and a 7-measure rest. The melody is written on a single line. Chord symbols C, Dm, and G are placed above the notes. The lyrics are: "Oh the ro - sa - ry, — the ro - sa - ry — is the love of their two hearts, Oh the ro - sa - ry, — the ro - sa - ry — is the love of their two hearts." The second and third staves continue the melody with the same lyrics and chord symbols.

## VERSES 1-4

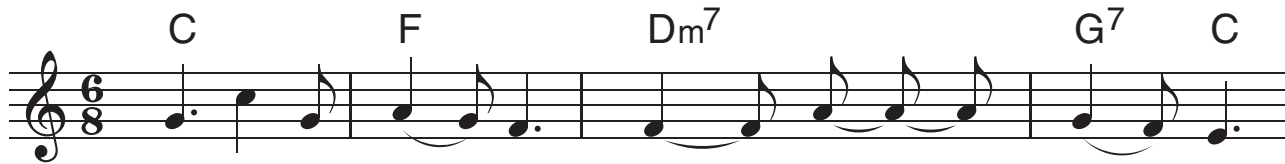
Musical notation for Verses 1-4, consisting of a single staff of music in 2/4 time. The melody is written on a single line. Chord symbols C, G, F, and D.S. are placed above the notes. The lyrics are: "1. A - ve Ma - ri - a, A - ve Ma - ri - a. Oh the 2. Je - sus we love You, Ma - ry we love — you. Oh the 3. This is her peace plan, Chil - dren must pray — it. Oh the 4. We turn to Ma - ry, She is the Queen of Peace. Oh the".

## VERSE 5

Musical notation for Verse 5, consisting of two staves of music in 2/4 time. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a 2/4 time signature, and a 7-measure rest. The melody is written on a single line. The second staff continues the melody. Chord symbols C, G, F, and D.S. are placed above the notes. The lyrics are: "5. Oh Sa - cred Heart di - vine, Oh heart of Ma - ry pure, A - ve Ma - ri - a, We love to pray it! Oh the".

# Jesus, I Want to Be With You

by Debora Ellen Kellner  
Keyboard Acc. by Michael Collins



1. Je-sus, I love\_\_You. Je - sus,\_\_ I care for You.  
 3. Ma - ry, Your Mo - ther. Shows me how to love o - thers.  
 5. Je-sus, my Bro - ther. Glad - ly serves o - thers.  
 6. Je-sus, I love\_\_You. Je - sus,\_\_ I care for You.



Je - sus, I love\_\_ You. I want to be with You.  
 Lead me to your on - ly Son. I want to be with Him.  
 Give me grace to do the same. I want to be with You.  
 Je - sus, I love\_\_ You. I want to be with You.



2. Help me see the way. Help\_\_ me\_\_ ev' - ry day.  
 4. Ho - ly Spir - it, Fill me with Your know - ledge.



Lead me to Your King - dom. I want to be with You.  
 Show me how to please\_\_ God. I want to be with You.

# A Song from Jesus

by Rita Ring

## REFRAIN

I come to you with great - est love, I  
am your lov - ing Sav - ior. I am your God, I  
died for you, I come to you this day.

## VERSES

1. You are My pre - cious lit - tle one, I  
2. Reach out to Me and do not fear, I  
love you oh so dear - ly. Come close to Me, My  
want to be so close to you. You are My child, My  
lit - tle one, I loved you to My death.  
pre - cious one, I love you ten - der - ly.

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# Glory, Glory, Glory Lord

by Rita Ring

VERSES 1,2,3



1. Glo - ry, Glo - ry, Glo - ry Lord! \_\_\_\_  
 2. Ho - ly Spir - it give \_\_\_\_ us fire! \_\_\_\_  
 3. We are chil - dren of \_\_\_\_ the Fa - ther.



You have ris - en from the tomb!  
 Fill us with \_\_\_\_ Your ra - diant love!  
 He \_\_\_\_ has \_\_\_\_ a plan for us.



Give us (life Lord,) Your precious life! You \_\_\_\_ have  
 Fill us with the fire of God's love! Mold \_\_\_\_ us  
 Come to Him as His lit - tle child. He who cre -



ris - en to give us new life! \_\_\_\_ (to verse 2)  
 in \_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_ im - age of Je - sus! (to refrain)  
 a - ted \_\_\_\_ us and loves us. \_\_\_\_ (to verse 4)

VERSE 4



4. Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Spir - it!

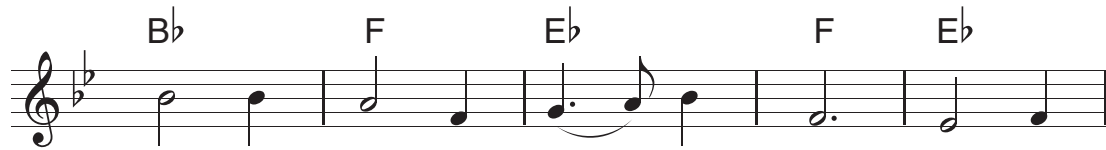


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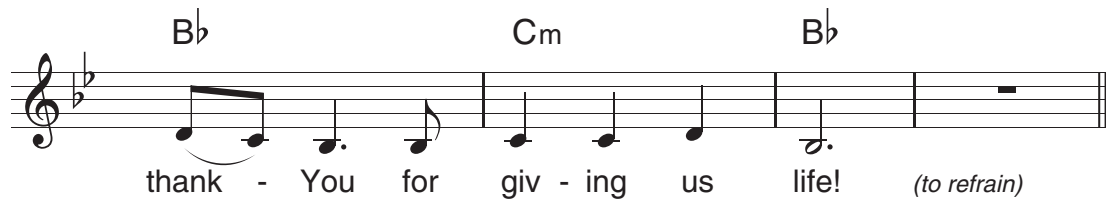
Dwell with - in \_\_\_\_\_ our fee - ble hearts!

B $\flat$  F E $\flat$  F E $\flat$



We praise You with all \_\_\_ our hearts! How we

B $\flat$  Cm B $\flat$



thank - You for giv - ing us life! (to refrain)

REFRAIN

B $\flat$  F E $\flat$  F



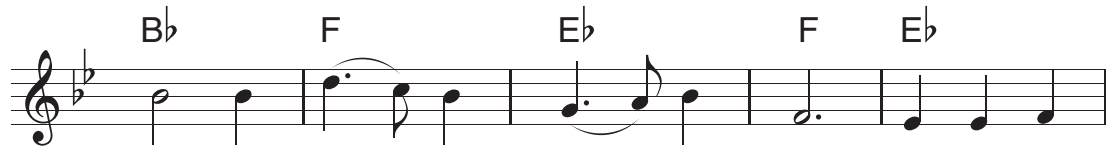
We are sin - ners, we need \_\_\_ Your grace!

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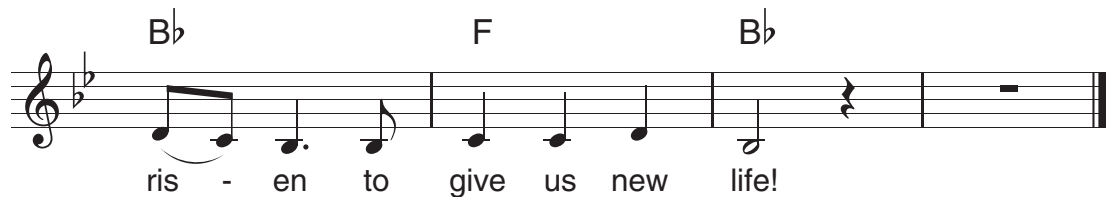
We are wait - ing Your pre - cious life!

B $\flat$  F E $\flat$  F E $\flat$



Al - le - lu - ia Praise \_\_\_ the Lord! Je - sus has

B $\flat$  F B $\flat$



ris - en to give us new life!





## Consecration to Mary



Dear Mary, my holy mother, I love you so much and I give you my heart. Help me to love God. Help me to love my neighbor as a child of God. Help me to love myself as a child of God.

Amen



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## Consecration to Jesus



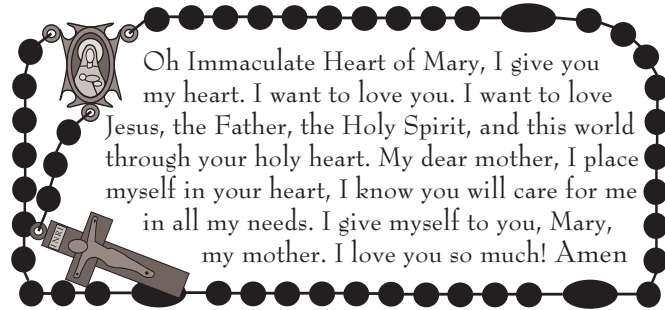
Dear Sacred Heart of Jesus, I love You so much and I give You my heart. Help me to love God. Help me to love my neighbor as a child of God. Help me to love myself as a child of God.

Amen



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## Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Oh dear Sacred Heart of Jesus, I give You my whole heart. I see Your Heart on fire for love of me. I want to be in this fiery furnace and know the love of God. Take me, Jesus. Use me as Your little servant to spread Your love to this world. I give myself entirely to You and I ask the Holy Spirit to make me more like You. I want to be a little child of the Father. I give You my heart, keep me in Your Heart and teach me Your way of love. Amen



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## Consecration to the Holy Spirit

Dear Holy Spirit, You are my friend. I give You myself. I ask You to dwell deeply inside of me and make me holy. I want to know the fire of God's love. I want to love God with all my heart. Amen.



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## Morning Offering

My dear Father, I offer you this day all my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings in union with Jesus in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world, in the Holy Spirit.

I unite with our Mother Mary, all the angels and saints, and all the souls in purgatory to pray to the Father for myself, for each member of my family, for my friends, for all people throughout the world, for all the souls in purgatory, and for all other intentions of the Sacred Heart.

I love You, Jesus, and I give You my heart. I love you, Mary, and I give you my heart.



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## Consecration of an Unborn Child to Jesus and Mary

Dear Blessed Mother, we gather here in your presence and in the presence of your Son, the Almighty God, here present in the tabernacle and in our hearts. We ask you, Blessed Mother, in union with your Spouse, the Holy Spirit, to be the safeguard of this little child at birth and throughout its life. We ask you, dear Lady, to keep your mantle over this little one as well as (name), the mother. We come to you to consecrate this child to your Immaculate Heart and to the Heart of your Son. Please give this child your special blessing now and for eternity, and guard it from all the evils of the world.

In Nomine Patris, et Filii, et Spiritus Sancti, Amen.

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# DAILY PRAYERS

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## *Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary*

Oh Immaculate Heart of Mary, I give you my heart. I want to love you. I want to love Jesus, the Father, the Holy Spirit, and this world through your holy heart. My dear mother, I place myself in your heart, I know you will care for me in all my needs. I give myself to you, Mary, my mother. I love you so much! Amen.<sup>2</sup>

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I love You, Jesus, and I give You my heart. I love you, Mary, and I give you my heart. Amen.<sup>4</sup>

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*I give my heart to Jesus and Mary with you in love!*

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