

*Rosary
Novena
for our dearly
departed loved
one...*

Preparatory Prayers:

L: In the Name of the Father, and **†** of the Son, and
of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

De Profundis (Psalm 130)

Out of the depths I cry to You, O Lord;
Lord, hear my voice!
Let Your ears be attentive
to the voice of my supplication

If You. O Lord, mark iniquities.
Lord, who can stand?
But with You is forgiveness,
That You may be revered.

I trust in the Lord;
My soul trusts in His Word.
My soul waits for the Lord
More than sentinels wait for the dawn.

Let Israel wait for the Lord;
For with the Lord is kindness,
and with Him is plentiful redemption;
And He will redeem Israel
from all their iniquities.

DECADE OF THE PASSION *(On the beads of the rosary)*

Lord, open our lips and inflame our hearts and cleanse them of useless and evil thoughts. Enlighten our minds that we may seriously meditate on Your suffering and death, and the pains endured by Your Holy Mother. Hear and receive us before Your great majesty, for you who live and reign forever and ever. Amen.

➤ ***The Apostles' CREED***

One Our Father

Three Hail Mary's

One Glory Be

**** Let us meditate on the *Sorrowful Mysteries* of the Life of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ –**

The First Sorrowful Mystery

The Agony of Jesus in the Garden

- The thought of our sins and His coming suffering causes the Agonizing Savior Jesus Christ to sweat blood. *(Luke 22: 39 – 44).*

(On the Our Father bead, say the following)

**** Oh, Most Merciful Jesus, look down with eyes of pity on the faithful souls for whom You suffered and died on the Cross.**

(On the beads of the Hail Mary, say the following)

- 1. My Jesus, through your bloody sweat in the garden.**

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

2. **My Jesus, through the blow You received on Your Sacred Face.**

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

3. **My Jesus, through the cruel scourging You endured.**

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

4. **My Jesus, through the crown of thorns that pierced Your head.**

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

5. **My Jesus, through Your carrying of the Cross on the path of**

bitterness. R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

6. **My Jesus, through Your face covered with blood which you allowed to be imprinted on the veil of Veronica.**

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

7. **My Jesus, through your bloody garments that were cruelly removed from Your wounded Body.**

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

8. **My Jesus, through Your Holy Body nailed on the Cross.**

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

9. **My Jesus, through Your Hands and Feet pierced with cruel nails.**

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

10. **My Jesus, through Your Sacred side pierced with the lance and from which flowed blood and water.**

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

v. **Eternal rest grand unto her/him O Lord;**

R. And let perpetual light shine upon **them** / (her/him).

v. **May s/he rest in peace!**

R. Amen

The Second Sorrowful Mystery

The Scourging at the Pillar

- Jesus Christ is stripped and unmercifully scourged until His body is one mass of bloody wounds. (***Matthew 27: 26***).

****** Repeat the Prayers of the Passion of the Lord:***

The Third Sorrowful Mystery

The Crowning of Jesus with thorns

- Jesus Christ's claim to kingship is ridiculed by putting a crown of thorns on His head and a reed in His hand. (***Matthew 27: 28 – 31***).

****** Repeat the Prayers of the Passion of the Lord:***

The Fourth Sorrowful Mystery

The Carrying of the Cross

- Jesus Christ shoulders His own cross and carries it to the place of crucifixion while His Mother Mary follows Him sorrowing. (***Luke 23: 26 – 32***).

****** Repeat the Prayers of the Passion of the Lord:***

The Fifth Sorrowful Mystery

The Crucifixion of Jesus Christ

- Jesus Christ is nailed to the cross and dies after three hours of agony, witnessed by His Mother. (***Matthew 27: 33 – 50***).

****** Repeat the Prayers of the Passion of the Lord:***

➤ ***Hail Holy Queen***

OFFERING

Most sweet Jesus, who in Your desire to redeem the world, deigned to be born, to be mocked, to fall into the hands of Your enemies through the treacherous kiss of Judas, to be bound and brought to the place of sacrifice like the meek lamb, brought before Caiaphas, Pilate, and Herod, spat on, accused and condemned with false witnesses, to be slapped and have Your sacred body covered with wounds from the cruel scourging, to be crowned with thorns, Your face covered with a purple cloth in mockery, stripped of Your garments, nailed and elevated on the cross between two thieves as if You were one of them, offered gall and vinegar to drink, and to be pierced in Your side with a lance, deliver, O Lord, the souls in purgatory from their great sufferings through Your most bitter Passion; bring them to Your glory and deliver us from the pains of hell, through the merits of Your Holy Passion and Death on the Cross, so that we may enter that Kingdom where You brought the good thief who was crucified with You, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. **Amen.**

LITANY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Lord, have mercy on us

R. Lord, Have mercy on us.

Christ, have mercy on us

R. Christ, Have mercy on us.

Lord, have mercy on us

R. Lord, Have mercy on us.

Christ, hear us

R. Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father of Heaven

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

God the Son, Redeemer of the World

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

God the Holy Spirit

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

Holy Trinity, One God

R. Have mercy on the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

Holy Mary

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

Holy Mother of God

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

Holy Virgin of Virgins

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

St. Michael the Archangel

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

All you Angels & Archangels

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

St. John the Baptist

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

St. Joseph

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

All you holy Patriarchs and Prophets

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

St. Peter

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

St. Paul

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

St. John the Evangelist

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

All you holy Apostles & Evangelists

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

St. Stephen

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

St. Lawrence

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

All you holy martyrs

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of *N.*)

St. Gregory

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

St. Ambrose

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

St. Augustine

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

St. Jerome

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

All you holy bishops and confessors

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

All you holy monks & hermits

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

St. Mary Magdalene

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

St. Barbara

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

All holy virgins and widows

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

All you saints of God

R. Pray for the souls in Purgatory / (the soul of N.)

Be merciful

R. Spare *them* (her/him), O Lord

Be merciful

R. Graciously hear us, O Lord

From all evil

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

From Your wrath

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

From the rigor of Your justice

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

From the power of evil

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

From the gnawing worm of conscience

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

From enduring sorrow

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

From eternal flames

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

From intolerable cold

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

From everlasting darkness

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

From dreadful weeping & wailing

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

From your admirable conception

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your Holy Birth

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your most sweet Name

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your Baptism & Holy Fasting

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your most profound humiliation

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your prompt obedience

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your infinite love

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your bloody sweat.

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your sorrow & anguish

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your bonds

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your scourging

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your crowning with thorns

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your carrying of the Cross

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your most cruel death

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your most holy wounds

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your most bitter cross & passion

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your Holy Resurrection

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through Your admirable Ascension

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

Through the coming of the Holy Spirit

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

On the Day of Judgment

R. O Lord, deliver their souls / (her/his soul)

We sinners

R. We beseech You hear us

You who forgave Magdalene & answered the prayer of the thief

R. We beseech You hear us

You who freely saves Your elect

R. We beseech You hear us

You who have the keys of Heaven & hell

R. We beseech You hear us

**That you would be pleased to deliver the souls of our parents,
relations, friends & benefactors from the pains of hell**

R. We beseech You hear us

**That you would be pleased to have mercy on those of whom no
special remembrance is made on earth**

R. We beseech You hear us

**That you would be pleased to grant them all the pardon & remission
of all their sins**

R. We beseech You hear us

That you would be pleased to fulfill all their desires

R. We beseech You hear us

**That you would be pleased to receive them into the company of the
blessed**

R. We beseech You hear us

King of Majesty

R. We beseech You hear us

Son of God

R. We beseech You hear us

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world

R. Grant **them** / (her/him) rest

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world

R. Grant them / (her/him) rest

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world

R. Grant **them** / (her/him) rest everlasting

Christ, hear us

R. Christ, graciously hear us

Lord, Have mercy

R. Christ have mercy

From the gates of hell

R. Deliver their souls / (her/his soul), O Lord

O Lord, hear my prayer

R. And let my cry come to You.

LET US PRAY

O God, the Creator & Redeemer of all the faithful, grant to the souls of Your departed servants the remission of their sins; that by prayers, they may obtain that pardon which they have always desired. Grant this, O God, who lives and reigns forever & ever. Amen.

O Eternal God, who besides the general precept of charity, has commanded a particular respect to parents, kindred & benefactors; grant, we beseech You, that as they were the instruments by which Your Providence bestowed on us our birth, education and innumerable other blessings, so our prayers may be the means to obtain for them a speedy release from their sufferings, and free admittance to Your infinite joys, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

O God, whose nature is ever to have mercy and to spare, we humbly beseech You on behalf of Your servants, whom You have called out of this world. That You would not deliver them into the hands of the enemy nor forget them forever, but bid Your holy angels, lead them into paradise, their true country, that for as much as in You they put their hope and trust, they

may not endure the pains of hell, but may come to the possession of eternal joys. Through our Lord, Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever, Amen.

Be merciful, we implore You O Lord, to the souls of Your servants, for whom we offer to You this sacrifice of praise, humbly beseeching Your majesty that, by those holy and propitiatory offerings, they may be found worthy to win everlasting rest. Through Our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

Grant, we beseech You, Almighty God, that the souls of Your servants, which have departed from this world, may be cleansed by this sacrifice, and delivered from sins, and may receive forgiveness and everlasting rest. Through Our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

Absolve, O Lord, the souls of Your servants, from every stain of sin, so that by Your aid they may escape the judgment of wrath and come to the enjoyment of beatitude in eternal light.

v. **Eternal rest grand unto them / (her/him), O Lord;**

R. And let perpetual light shine upon **them** / (her/him).

v. **From the Gates of Hell.**

R. Deliver their souls, O Lord!

v. **May s/he rest in peace!**

R. Amen

v. **O Lord, hear my prayer;**

R. And let my cry come to Thee!

v. **The Lord be with You;**

R. And, with Thy Spirit.

LET US PRAY

O God, the Creator and Redeemer of all the faithful, grant **N.**, the remission of all her/his sins, that through our prayers s/he may obtain the pardon s/he has always desired, for You live and reign for ever and ever. Amen.

Prayer for SOULS in Purgatory

O holy Souls, as one truly devoted to thee I promise never to forget thee and continually to pray to the Most High for thy release. I beseech thee to respond to this offering which I make to thee, and to obtain for me from God, with Whom thou art so powerful on behalf of the living, that I may be freed from all dangers of soul and body.

I beg both for myself and for my relations and benefactors, friends, and enemies, pardon for our sins and the grace of perseverance in good, whereby we may save our souls. Obtain for us peace of heart; assist us in all our actions; succor us promptly in all our spiritual and temporal needs; console and defend us in our dangers.

Pray for the Supreme Pontiff, for the exaltation of Holy Church, for peace between nations, for Christian rulers, and for tranquility among peoples; and grant that we may one day all rejoice together in Paradise. AMEN.

Prayer for the Holy Souls in Purgatory by St. Gertrude the Great

Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in

purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, those in my own home and within my family. Amen.

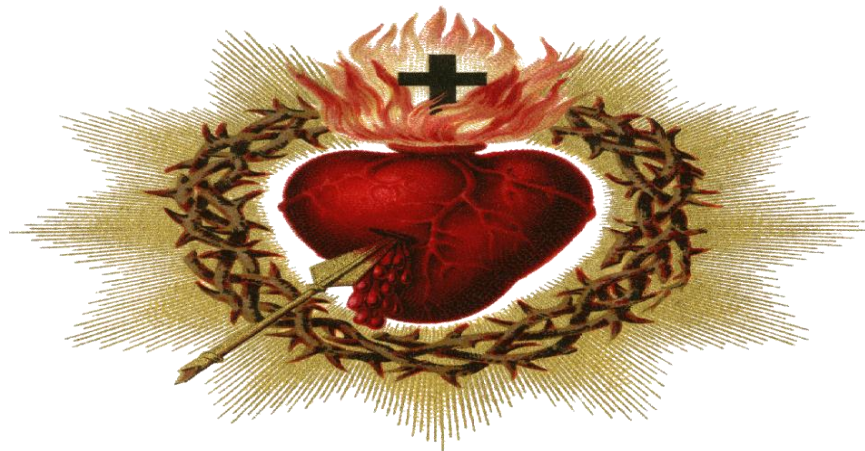
**** *Our Father, Hail Mary & Glory be...***

v. **Eternal rest grant unto them/ (her/him), O Lord;**

R. And let perpetual light shine upon **them/ (her/him).**

v. **May they / (s/he) rest in peace!**

R. Amen



THE NOVENA PRAYERS FOR THE DAY

FIRST DAY

Lord our God, receive our supplications, prayers and mortifications and sighs in suffrage for the holy souls for whom we make this novena; and we pray that by the motherly love bestowed on you by your most holy Mother, when she followed you on the way of sorrow up to Mount Calvary, you grant eternal life to _____ and all the dead. Grant what we ask of you in this novena for your greater honor and glory. AMEN.

SECOND DAY

Merciful God, we beseech you, by the pain which your Holy Mother saw you suffer and agonies on the cross, that the holy souls in purgatory be freed from those pains; especially for the soul of _____, for whom we are praying and offering in This novena. Bring those who are submerged in their sins to a true knowledge of their guilt and grant what we ask of you in this novena, for your greater honor and glory. AMEN

THIRD DAY

Almighty Father, to whom nobody asks without the hope of receiving, by the intercession of St. Joseph and the Blessed Virgin Mary, enable the suffering souls in purgatory to be able to leave that place, especially for the soul of _____. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. AMEN.

FOURTH DAY

Gracious God, through whose mercy the saints rest in glory, we beg you to set free those blessed souls in purgatory, especially for the soul of _____, for whom we are praying in this novena. May you radiate your compassion and love to them so they may enter into your Kingdom. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. AMEN.

FIFTH DAY

Sovereign Lord, in whom it is proper to be merciful, through the intercession of St. Michael, the archangel, and by the sorrow of your Blessed Mother who suffered when the soldier pierced your side with a lance, have mercy on the soul of _____ for whom we are offering this novena and bring him/her to your eternal rest in heaven, for the better glory and honor of your name. AMEN.

SIXTH DAY

Lord Jesus Christ, incline your ears to our petitions. Have mercy on the souls in purgatory, especially for the soul of _____ for whom we make this novena. We humbly ask you to set them free and bring them to the happiness in heaven, for the greater glory and honor of your name. AMEN.

SEVENTH DAY

Lord of mercy, hear our prayer. May our brother/sister _____, whom you called your son/daughter on earth, enter into the Kingdom of peace and light, where your saints live in glory. We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. AMEN.

EIGHTH DAY

Creator and Redeemer of all mankind, through the infinite merits of passion, death and resurrection, we beg you to shower the immense treasures of your clemency on those blessed souls, especially for the eternal repose of the soul of _____. Bring those who are in sin to a true knowledge and repentance and grant what we ask for in this novena, through Christ, our Lord. All: AMEN.

NINTH DAY

Lord God, you are the glory of the believers and the life of the just. Your Son redeemed us by dying and rising to life again. Our brother/sister _____, was faithful and believed in resurrection. Give to him/her the joys and the blessings of the life to come. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. AMEN.

The Memorare

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

CONCLUDING PRAYER

Merciful Father, hear our prayers and console us. As we renew our faith in your Son, whom you raised from the dead, strengthen our hope that our dear departed will share in Christ's resurrection, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. AMEN.

Leader: Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord.

Response: And let your perpetual light shine upon them.

Leader: May they rest in peace.

ALL: AMEN.

Leader: *In the Name of the Father, and ✠ of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.*

ALL: **AMEN.**



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