

## PRAYER FOR THE CANONIZATION OF MOTHER MARY LANGE

Almighty and Eternal God,  
You granted Mother Mary Lange extraordinary trust  
in Your providence. You endowed her with humility,  
courage, holiness and an extraordinary sense of ser-  
vice to the poor and sick.

You enabled her to found the  
Oblate Sisters of Providence  
and provide educational, social and  
spiritual ministry especially to the  
African American community.

Mother Lange's love for all enabled her to see Christ  
in each person, and the pain of prejudice and racial  
hatred never blurred that vision. Deign to raise her to  
the highest honors of the altar in order that, through  
her intercession, more souls may come to a deeper  
understanding and a more fervent love of You.

Heavenly Father, glorify Your heart  
by granting also this favor  
*(here mention your request)*  
which we ask through the intercession of  
Your faithful servant, Mother Mary Lange.