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## LITANY OF THE LOVE OF GOD

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Lord, have mercy on us. *Christ, have mercy on us.* Lord, have mercy on us.

Christ, hear us. *Christ, graciously hear us.* 

God, the Father of heaven, *Have mercy on us.* 

God, the Son, Redeemer of the world, God, the Holy Ghost, Holy Trinity, one God,

Thou Who art Infinite Love, *I love Thee, O my God.* 

Thou Who didst first love me,

Thou Who commandest me
to love Thee,
With all my heart,
With all my soul,
With all my mind,
With all my strength,
Above all possessions
and honors,
Above all pleasures
and enjoyments,

Have mercy on us love Thee, O my God More than myself, and everything belonging to me, More than all my relatives and friends. More than all men and angels, Above all created things in heaven or on earth. Only for Thyself, Because Thou art the sovereign Good, Because Thou art infinitely worthy of being loved Because Thou art infinitely perfect, Even hadst Thou not promised me heaven, Even hadst Thou not menaced me with hell, Even shouldst Thou try me by want and misfortune, In wealth and in poverty, In prosperity and in adversity,

In health and in sickness.

In life and in death,
In time and in eternity,
In union with that love
wherewith all the saints
and all the angels love
Thee in heaven,
In union with that love
wherewith the Blessed
Virgin Mary loveth Thee,
In union with that infinite
love wherewith Thou
lovest Thyself eternally,

## Prayer.

God, Who dost possess in incomprehensible abundance all that is perfect and worthy of love! Annihilate in me all guilty, sensual, and undue love for creatures, kindle in my heart the pure fire of Thy love, so that I may love nothing but Thee or in Thee, until, being entirely consumed by holy love of Thee, I may go to love Thee eternally with the elect in heaven, the country of pure love. Amen.

## LITANY OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

LORD, have mercy on us.

Christ, have mercy on us.

Lord, have mercy on us.

Christ, hear us. *Christ, graciously hear us.* 

God, the Father of heaven, *Have mercy on us.* 

God, the Son, Redeemer of the world, God, the Holy Ghost, Holy Trinity, one God,

Heart of Mary, *Pray for us*. Heart of Mary, according to the

Heart of Jesus,

Heart of Mary, united to the Heart of Jesus,

Heart of Mary, organ of the Holy Ghost,

Heart of Mary, sanctuary of the divinity,

Heart of Mary, tabernacle of a God incarnate,

Heart of Mary, always exempt from sin,

Heart of Mary, always full of grace,

Heart of Mary, illustrious throne of glory,

Heart of Mary, abyss and prodigy of humility,

Heart of Mary, glorious holocaust of divine love,

Heart of Mary, nailed to the cross of Jesus,

Heart of Mary, comfort of the afflicted,

Heart of Mary, refuge of sinners,
Heart of Mary, hope of the agonizing,
Heart of Mary, seat of mercy,

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world, *spare us*, *O Lord*.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world, *hear us, O Lord*.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world, *have mercy on us*.

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

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

Let us Pray,

Pray for us

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SWEET Jesus! Who tenderly lovest the most holy of virgins, and art reciprocally most tenderly loved by her; grant, we beseech Thee, through the intercession of Thy most holy Mother, and by the resemblance her most holy heart bore to Thine, that we may ever return due love and affection for her care and tenderness in our regard: Who, with the Father and the Holy Ghost, livest and reignest, world without end. Amen.

Pray for us.