

PRAYER FOR A HAPPY DEATH

O Lord, my creator and Redeemer, in a spirit of adoration I wholeheartedly accept the sentence of my death, according to your will.

I intend to die a devoted child of the Church and to pass to eternity with the best dispositions of faith, hope, charity and repentance for my sins, renewing my baptismal promises and my religious commitment.

I offer you, Lord, all the circumstances, even if painful, which will accompany my passage to eternity, in reparation for my sins and to better merit heaven.

I invoke the great models of a happy death; Jesus crucified, with whom I intend to repeat, 'Father, into your hands. I commend my spirit; the Virgin Mary, so that she may pray for me now and at the hour of my death; St. Joseph, that he may obtain for me a holy life so as to deserve a death like his.

Jesus in agony, my suffering mother, St. Joseph, I ask you for these graces.

To live a good life, observing faithfully the commandments and all the duties of my state of life, which will assure me of a good death.

To be able to receive, in case of grave illness, the sacraments of confession, viaticum and the anointing of the sick, and also the plenary indulgence.

To be faithful to my vocation, according to the graces bestowed on me, so that my life may be most fruitful for God's glory and my eternal well being.

The grace to say my daily prayers and to do everything for my salvation; in particular the frequent reception of the sacraments of confession and communion, following the liturgy.

Jesus Master, I believe in you.

Jesus Master, I hope in you

Jesus Master, I love you.

Jesus Master, I beg for your mercy.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, assist me in my last agony.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, may I breathe out my soul in peace with you.