

A Novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe

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

~ALL RESPOND~ AMEN

Blessed be great Mother of God, Mary most holy.

~ALL RESPOND~ BLESSED BE THE NAME OF MARY, VIRGIN AND MOTHER.

HYMN

~ALL~

Mother of Christ, our hope, our patroness, Star of the sea, our beacon in distress, Guide to the shores of everlasting day God's holy people on their pilgrim way.

Virgin, in you God made his dwelling place; Mother of all the living, full of grace, Blessed are you: God's word you did believe; "Yes" on your lips undid the "No" of Eve.

Daughter of God, who bore his holy One, Dearest of all to Christ, your loving Son, Show us his face, O Mother, as on earth, Loving us all, you gave our Savior birth.

A MARIAN ANTHEM

IUDITH 13:18-20; 15:9

ANTIPHON

~ALL~

ALL GENERATIONS WILL CALL ME BLESSED

The Most High God has blessed you more than any woman on earth.

How worthy of praise is the Lord God who created heaven and earth!

He guided you as you cut off the head of our deadliest enemy.

~ALL RESPOND~

ALL GENERATIONS WILL CALL ME BLESSED.

Your trust in God will never be forgotten by those who tell of God's power. May God give you everlasting honor for what you have done.

~ALL RESPOND~

ALL GENERATIONS WILL CALL ME BLESSED.

May God reward you with blessings, because you remained faithful to him and did not hesitate to risk your own life to relieve the oppression of your people.

~ALL RESPOND~

ALL GENERATIONS WILL CALL ME BLESSED.

You are Jerusalem's crowning glory, the heroine of Israel, the pride and joy of our people.

~ALL RESPOND~

ALL GENERATIONS WILL CALL ME BLESSED.

Glory to the Holy and Undivided Trinity: Now and always and for ever and ever. Amen.

~ALL RESPOND~

ALL GENERATIONS WILL CALL ME BLESSED.

PRAYER

Let us pray (pause for quiet prayer):

Great Mother of God, Mary most holy, you risked everything in becoming the Virgin-Mother of the Messiah.

May we never forget your faith and trust in the grace and power of God and rely on your prayers for us now and for ever.

~ALL RESPOND~ AMEN

READING

MARY OF NAZARETH

LUKE 1:26-28, 31-32

The angel Gabriel was sent by God to a town in Galilee called Nazareth, to a virgin engaged to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. The virgin's name was Mary. And he came

to her and said, "Greetings, favored one! The Lord

is with you. You will conceive in your womb and

bear a son, and you will name him Jesus. He will be

great, and will be called the Son of the Most High."

SILENCE

RESPONSE

Blessed are you among women,

~ALL RESPOND~

AND BLESSED IS THE FRUIT OF YOUR WOMB, IESUS.

CANTICLE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

LUKE 1:46-55

ANTIPHON

Radiant Mother of God, cause of our joy,

~ALL RESPOND~

AND COMFORTER OF THE AFFLICTED, COME TO OUR ASSISTANCE, ALLELUIA!

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, for you, Lord, have looked with favor on your lowly servant.

From this day all generations will call me blessed:

you, the Almighty, have done great things for me

and holy is your name.

You have mercy on those who fear you, from generation to generation.

You have shown strength with your arm and scattered the proud in their conceit, casting down the mighty from their thrones and lifting up the lowly.

You have filled the hungry with good things and sent the rich away empty.

You have come to the aid of your servant Israel, to remember the promise of mercy, the promise made to our forebears, to Abraham and his children for ever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

ANTIPHON

~ALL~
RADIANT MOTHER OF GOD, CAUSE OF
OUR JOY, AND COMFORTER OF THE
AFFLICTED,
COME TO OUR ASSISTANCE, ALLELUIA!

LITANY OF LORETO

Lord, have mercy.

~ALL~ LORD, HAVE MERCY.

Christ, have mercy.

~ALL~ CHRIST, HAVE MERCY.

Lord, have mercy.

~ALL~ LORD, HAVE MERCY.

God our Father in heaven,

~ALL~ HAVE MERCY ON US.

God the son, Redeemer of the world,

~ALL~ HAVE MERCY ON US.

God, the Holy Spirit,

~ALL~ HAVE MERCY ON US.

Holy Trinity, one God,

~ALL~
HAVE MERCY ON US.

Holy Mary,

~ALL~

PRAY FOR US.

Holy Mother of God,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Most honored of virgins,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Mother of Christ,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Mother of the church,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Mother of divine grace,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Mother most pure,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Mother of Chaste love,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Mother and virgin,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Sinless Mother,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Dearest of mothers,	~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.
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PRAY FOR US.	Faithful virgin,
Model of motherhood,	~ALL~
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~ALL~	
PRAY FOR US.	Mirror of justice,
Mother of good counsel,	~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.
~ALL~	TAIT TOR OS.
PRAY FOR US.	Throne of wisdom,
Mother of our Creator,	~ALL~
~ALL~	PRAY FOR US.
PRAY FOR US.	Cause of our joy,
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Mother of our Savior,	~ALL~
	PRAY FOR US.
~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.	Shrine of the spirit,
TRAITORUS.	Sin me of the spirit,
Virgin most wise,	~ALL~
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~ALL~	
PRAY FOR US.	Glory of Israel,
Virgin rightly praised,	~ALL~
virgining praised,	PRAY FOR US.
~ALL~	
PRAY FOR US.	Vessel of selfless devotion,
Virgin rightly renowned,	~ALL~
virgin rightly renowned,	PRAY FOR US.
~ALL~	
PRAY FOR US.	Mystical rose,
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Virgin most powerful,	~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.
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PRAY FOR US.	Tower of David,
Virgin gentle in mercy,	~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.
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Tower of ivory,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

House of gold,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Ark of the Covenant,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Gate of heaven,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Morning star,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Health of the sick,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Refuge of sinners,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Comfort of the troubled,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Help of Christians,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Queen of angels,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Queen of patriarchs and prophets,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Queen of apostles and martyrs,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Queen of confessors and virgins,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Queen of all saints,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Queen conceived in grace,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Queen raised up to glory,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Queen of the rosary,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

Queen of peace,

~ALL~ PRAY FOR US.

(Pause for spontaneous prayer.)

Lamb of God, you take away

the sins of the world.

~ALL~ HAVE MERCY ON US.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,

~ALL~ HAVE MERCY ON US.

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~ALL~ HAVE MERCY ON US.

Pray for us, holy Mother of God,

~ALL~ THAT WE MAY BECOME WORTHY OF THE PROMISES OF CHRIST.

Let us pray:
Eternal God,
let your people enjoy constant health in mind
and body.
Through the intercession of the Virgin Mary
free us from the sorrows of this life
and lead us to happiness in the life to come.
Grant this through Christ our Lord.

~ALL RESPOND~ AMEN.

NOVENA PRAYER

Remember, most loving Virgin Mary,
never was it heard
that anyone who turned to you for help
was left unaided.
Inspired by this confidence,
though burdened by my sins,
I run to you for protection
for you are my mother.
(Here we state our needs.)

Mother of the Word of God, do not despise my words of pleading but be merciful and hear my prayer.

PRAYER

God of power and mercy, you blessed the Americas at Tepeyac with the presence of the Virgin Mary of Guadalupe.

May her prayers help all men and women to accept each other as brothers and sisters. Through your justice present in out hearts may social justice and peace reign in the world. Please grant this through Christ our Lord.

~ALL RESPOND~

AMEN.

May the Virgin Mary of Guadalupe be the joy and consolation of her people.

~ALL RESPOND~

AMEN.