

LITANY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

By Pope Sixtus IV

Lord have mercy, *Lord, have mercy.*

Christ have mercy, *Lord, have mercy.*

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God the Father, Source of all Sanctity, <i>have mercy on us</i>	Olive of the fields, Immaculate,
God the Son, Uncreated Sanctity,	Model of all perfections, Immaculate,
God the Holy Ghost, Spirit of Sanctity,	Cause of our hope, Immaculate,
Most Sacred Trinity, One God,	Pillar of our faith, Immaculate,
Holy Mary, Immaculate, <i>pray for us</i>	Source of Divine Love, Immaculate,
Holy Virgin of Virgins, Immaculate	Sure sign of our salvation, Immaculate,
Virgin of virgins, Immaculate,	Rule of perfect obedience, Immaculate,
Holy Virgin, by predestination Immaculate,	Pattern of holy poverty, Immaculate,
Holy Virgin, in Thy conception, Immaculate,	School of devotion, Immaculate,
Holy Virgin, after Thy conception, Immaculate,	Abode of chaste modesty, Immaculate,
Daughter of the Father, Immaculate,	Anchor of our salvation, Immaculate,
Mother of the Son, Immaculate,	Light of Angels, Immaculate,
Spouse of the Holy Ghost, Immaculate,	Crown of Patriarchs, Immaculate,
Image of the Wisdom of God, Immaculate,	Glory of Prophets, Immaculate,
Dawn of the Sun of Justice, Immaculate,	Lady and Mistress of Apostles, Immaculate,
Living Ark of the Body of Christ, Immaculate,	Support of Martyrs, Immaculate,
Daughter of David, Immaculate,	Strength of Confessors, Immaculate,
Guide to Jesus, Immaculate,	Diadem of Virgins, Immaculate,
Virgin, triumphing over original sin, Immaculate,	Splendour of all Saints, Immaculate,
Virgin, crushing the head of the serpent, Immaculate,	Sanctity of all Christians, Immaculate,
Queen of Heaven and earth, Immaculate,	Companion of devout souls, Immaculate,
Gate of the Heavenly Jerusalem, Immaculate,	Joy of those who hope in Thee, Immaculate,
Dispenser of graces, Immaculate,	Health of the sick, Immaculate,
Spouse of St. Joseph, Immaculate,	Advocate of sinners, Immaculate,
Star of the world, Immaculate,	Terror of heretics, Immaculate,
Impregnable tower of the Church Militant, Immaculate,	Protectress of all mankind, Immaculate,
Rose amid thorns, Immaculate,	Patroness of those who honour Thee, Immaculate,

Lamb of God, Who takes away the sins of the world, *Spare us, O Lord.*

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

Lamb of God, Who takes away the sins of the world, *Have mercy on us, O Lord.*

In thy Conception, O Virgin Mary, thou wast Immaculate

Pray for us to the Father, Whose Son Jesus, conceived of the Holy Ghost, thou didst bring forth.

Let us pray

O Almighty and Eternal God, Who didst prepare for Thy Son a worthy habitation, by the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary; we beseech Thee, that, as Thou didst preserve her from every stain of sin, through the merits of the pre-ordained atonement of Jesus Christ, so Thou wouldst grant, that we also may come without spot to Thee. Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.