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# THE LITANY OF SAINT JOSEPH

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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 Spirit,  
Holy Trinity, One God,

Holy Mary, *Pray for us.*  
Saint Joseph,  
Illustrious son  
of David,  
Light of the  
patriarchs,

*Have mercy on us.*

*Pray for us.*

Spouse of the Mother  
of God,  
Chaste guardian  
of the Virgin,  
Foster-father of the  
Son of God,  
Watchful defender  
of Christ,  
Head of the Holy  
Family,  
Joseph most just,  
Joseph most chaste,  
Joseph most prudent,  
Joseph most valiant,  
Joseph most obedient,  
Joseph most faithful,  
Mirror of patience,  
Lover of poverty,  
Model of workmen,  
Glory of domestic  
life,

*Pray for us.*

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Guardian of virgins,  
Pillar of families,  
Solace of the afflicted,  
Hope of the sick,  
Patron of the dying,  
Terror of demons,  
Protector of Holy  
Church,

*Pray for us. Pray for us.*

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,  
*Graciously hear us,  
O Lord.*

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



☩ He made  
him the lord  
of His  
household,  
℟ And prince  
over all His  
possessions.

Let Us Pray.

O God, Who in Thine  
ineffable providence  
didst choose Blessed  
Joseph to be the spouse of  
Thy most Holy Mother,  
grant that as we venerate  
him as our protector on  
earth, we may deserve to  
have him as our  
intercessor in Heaven,  
Thou Who livest and  
reignest forever and ever.  
℟ Amen.

## PRAYER TO SAINT JOSEPH

O Guardian of virgins  
and father, Saint Joseph,  
to whose faithful custody  
Innocence itself, Christ  
Jesus, and Mary, Virgin  
of virgins, was  
committed; I pray and  
beseech thee by each of  
these dear pledges, Jesus  
and Mary, that, being  
preserved from all  
uncleanness, I may with  
spotless mind, pure  
heart, and a chaste body,  
ever serve Jesus and  
Mary most chastely all  
the days of my life.  
Amen.