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LITANY OF JESUS IN THE GARDEN OF OLIVES



Lord have mercy.
Christ have mercy.
Lord have mercy.

Christ hear us.
Christ graciously hear us.

God the Father of Heaven,
Have mercy on us.

God the Son, Redeemer of the
world, *Have mercy on us.*

God the Holy Ghost,
Have mercy on us.

Holy Trinity one God,
Have mercy on us.

Jesus, Who didst go to a
solitary place and pray,
before delivering Thyself up
to Thine enemies,
Have mercy on the dying.

Jesus, Whose Heart was
oppressed by mortal
sadness in the Garden of
Gethsemane,
Have mercy on the dying.

Jesus, filled with fear at the
thought of the torments of
Thy Passion, and at our sins,
Have mercy on the dying.

Jesus, overwhelmed with
sadness by foreseeing the
fruitlessness of Thy
sufferings for souls which
refuse to profit by them,

Have mercy on the dying.

Jesus, strengthened in Thine
Agony by an Angel from
Heaven,

Have mercy on the dying.

Jesus, accepting the chalice of
Thy Passion for love of us,
Have mercy on the dying.

Jesus, Who didst say in the
midst of Thine anguish,
"Father, not My will, but
Thine be done,"

Have mercy on the dying.

Jesus, exhausted by Thy
Sweat of Blood,

Have mercy on the dying.

Jesus, persevering in prayer,
notwithstanding the
weakness of nature,

Have mercy on the dying.

Jesus, Who didst come to
Thine Apostles and find
them sleeping,

Have mercy on the dying.

Jesus, Who didst say to them,
"Could you not watch with
Me one hour?"

Have mercy on the dying.

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 upon us, O Lord.

V. Heart of Jesus, once in
Agony,

R. *Pity the dying.*

Let us pray.

O my Divine Saviour,
call to mind the sadness
of Heart, and the fear which
oppressed Thee, when, being
in an Agony, Thou didst pray
the longer, and didst water the
earth with a Sweat of Blood.
I offer it to Thee with tender
love, and I beseech Thee,
by every drop of that Precious
Blood, to have mercy on the
dying, and to put away all
their sins. Amen.

PRAYER FOR THE DYING

O most merciful Jesus,
Lover of Souls, I pray Thee, by
the Agony of Thy most Sacred
Heart, and by the sorrows
of Thy Immaculate Mother,
cleanse in Thine own Blood
the sinners of the whole world
who are now in their agony,
and are to die this day. Amen.

*Heart of Jesus, once in Agony,
pity the dying.*

PRAYER OF FATHER FRANCO

O most gracious Jesus, Who
at the sight of the multitude and
of the enormity of our crimes,
and of the fearful sufferings by
which Thou wert about to
expiate them, wast
overwhelmed in the Garden of
Olives by so great an Agony,
that Thou didst pour forth a
Sweat of Blood, by the cruel
torments of Thine Heart, have
mercy on Thy servant who is
now in his last agony.

By the weariness and sadness
which Thou didst bear, soften
the terrors of death for him;
by the confidence which Thou
hadst in Thy Heavenly Father,
give him a firm hope in the
Divine Mercy; by the Precious
Blood which Thou didst shed
from every part of Thy adorable
Body, purify him from all his
sins; and by the divine
resignation with which Thou
didst submit to Thy Father,
make him accept of death with
a perfect conformity to Thy
Holy Will.