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NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF HOPE



*I am the mother
of fair love,
and of fear,
and of knowledge,
and of holy hope.*

*In me is all grace
of the way
and of the truth;
in me is all hope
of life
and of virtue.*

*Come to me
all that desire me
and be filled
with my fruits.*

(Sirach 24:24-26).

Begin Novena

(Say for nine consecutive days)

O Blessed Virgin Mary,
Mother of Grace,
Hope of the world.

*Hear us, your children,
who cry to you.*

Let Us Pray:

O God, Who by the
marvelous protection of
the Blessed Virgin Mary
has strengthened us
firmly in hope,
grant we beseech You, that
by persevering in prayer
at her admonition,
we may obtain the favors
we devoutly implore.
Through Christ Our Lord.
Amen

Prayer to Our Lady of Hope

O Mary, my Mother,
I kneel before you
with heavy heart.
The burden of my sins
oppresses me.
The knowledge
of my weakness
discourages me.
I am beset by fears and
temptations of every sort.
Yet I am so attached to the
things of this world that
instead of longing
for Heaven
I am filled with dread
at the thought of death.
O Mother of Mercy,
have pity on me
in my distress.
You are all-powerful
with your Divine Son.

He can refuse no request
of your Immaculate
Heart.
Show yourself a true Mother
to me by being my advocate
before His throne.
O Refuge of Sinners and
Hope of the Hopeless,
to whom shall I turn
if not you?
Obtain for me, then,
O Mother of Hope,
the grace of true sorrow
for my sins,
the gift of perfect
resignation
to God's Holy Will,
and the courage
to take up my cross
and follow Jesus.
Beg of His Sacred Heart
the special favor that I ask
in this novena.

(Make your request.)

But above all I pray,
O dearest Mother,
that through your most
powerful intercession
my heart may be filled
with Holy Hope,
so that in life's darkest hour
I may never fail to trust
in God my Savior,
but by walking in the way
of His commandments
I may merit to be
united with Him,
and with you
in the eternal joys
of Heaven. Amen.

Mary, our Hope,
Have pity on us.
Hope of the Hopeless,
Pray for us.

Pray three (3) Hail Marys