

FR. JORDAN'S BEATIFICATION: ENKINDLING OUR FIRE

Part III. Our Spirituality



A: Sign of the Cross. Only this I ask...

B: To know You the one true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent.

Call to Prayer

Oh Jesus, Oh Savior of the World,
look – look – here I am! Help me!
You know, Oh Lord; help me that all may be saved.
I am ready for everything. With your grace I will bear everything.

12 February, 1903 (SD II/47)

For Reflection

Prayer is where you should get fire and increase it on earth, where you should fortify yourself, where you should rest when you are apostolically involved in the activities of the world.

(Talks of Fr. Jordan, 5 January 1900)

Silence

Lived in the real world, our personal and communal spirituality is rooted in our experience of God the Father. Jesus Christ, who came to give life to all, is the Source and Center of our spirituality. With Mary, His mother, we bear to others the Savior we have come to know ourselves. The Holy Spirit guides and enlightens us along the way. (Charter of the Salvatorian Family, #10)

Silence

Consider as your eternal inheritance confidence in Divine Providence, which as a loving Mother, will always care for you. (Last Will and Testament of Fr. Jordan)

Silence

Our trust alone would already induce God to come
To our help and to save us, because our trust gives
Him glory and shows Him that we know His name. (SD I/162)

Silence

Therefore...love the cross. Seek it and your efforts will bear fruit. It is so beautiful to belong absolutely to Jesus the Crucified. And if you don't see any success because you are nailed completely to the cross of Christ, be assured that you will have the greatest successes. (Talks of Fr. Jordan, 8 February 1904)

Silence

Love one another in the Holy Spirit and let your love be evident to everyone...Know that I have loved you very much and I desire that you also love one another. (Last Will and Testament of Fr. Jordan)

Silence

Intercessions

A: Lord Jesus Christ, You are the center and source of strength for our life. You call us to union with You.

B: Give us a pure heart, that we may see you; a humble heart, that we may hear you; and a loving heart, that we may serve you.

A: Loving God, bless our endeavors, that under your eyes, in love and faith, simplicity and humility, we may faithfully meet you in silence.

B: Let yourself be known in and through us, the followers of Fr. Jordan and Blessed Mary of the Apostles.

Add your own intentions

Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, here I am, send me!

May Your will be done!

Speak your servant is listening!

*Do what you want with me,
whom you have tested exceedingly!*

Lord, let it be done as You will.

Speak, Lord; Oh Lord, speak!

(SD I/146)

Salvatorian Invocations

A: Jesus, Savior of the world,

B: Have mercy on us.

A: Holy Mary, Mother of the Savior,

B: Pray for us.

A: Saint Michael,

B: Pray for us.

A: Saint Joseph,

B: Pray for us.

A: All holy Apostles,

B: Pray for us.

A: Blessed Mary of the Apostles,

B: Pray for us.

A: All Saints of God,

B: Pray for us.

A: Through the intercession of Father Francis of the Cross,

B: Grant us the grace to glorify you always and everywhere and make you known,

O Holy Trinity, (+) Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

