

# The Truth About Mary

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## **Introduction:** The Truth Will Set You Free

This book is dedicated to the Women who has changed my life. She has brought me peace, joy, strength, and deeper into the heart of Her Son, Jesus in such profound intimacy. Blessed Mother, has changed my life and when Jesus led me to her, I told him I would tell the whole world about her! Growing up as a protestant I was ripped away from a two-parent home that Jesus always intended for us to have and a very real Heavenly family with brothers, sisters, and spiritual mothers and fathers who could and want to help us with this sojourn on earth until we are united with them in in heaven!

Blessed Mother has been more than just a sweet friend to me these past years, but a confidant and truly my Mother! In my evangelical non-denomination upbringing and Mary was never mentioned besides being an ordinary girl who just happened to give birth to the Savior of the world. There was nothing about her to be revered, honored, or loved and definitely not to be prayed too. I didn't see my need for Mary, I had Jesus what more do you need right?

Upon fully surrendering my life to the Lord on Jan 1st, 2015 which happens to be her feast day unbeknownst to me at the time, Jesus lead me to Heartdwellers ministry and a channel called Still Small Voice. I was hungering and thirsting for so much more than I was receiving at Church. I wanted to know Jesus intimately and deeply. When I heard Mother Clare having the most amazing casual conversations with Jesus daily I thought to myself, can you talk to God like that? I longed for that more than anything in all the world and I was willing to let go of everything to have it.

**Matthew 13: 45-46**

**“Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant seeking beautiful pearls, 46 who, when he had found one pearl of great price, went and sold all that he had and bought it.**

Intimacy with God is the pearl of great price and I found it! Over the span of time Jesus taught us great understanding about his ways, humility, lowliness, and brotherly love which is the greatest gift of all.

**1 Corinthians 13:13**

**And now these three remain faith, hope, and love. But the greatest of these is love.**

I fell in love with Mother Mary immediately! If Jesus was raised by her, loved by her, and she intercedes for others to Him in scripture John 2:1-11 then I too wanted to be raised by her, loved by her, and have her intercede for me as well. I pray that after reading this book, you won't be the same. That your heart will at least be open to challenging denominational beliefs that have been taught by men and opening your Mary.

I understand how important is to have scriptural basis for our faith and doctrines in the body. So I have compiled powerful scriptural truths and answers to the many arguments concerning the intercession of Mary. As I lay out in scripture who Mary is to the Church, to Christians and why she is the only soul set apart uniquely by the Father to be the Mother of God. I also discuss the power of the rosary.

I do not consider myself Catholic or Fundamental Protestant, I follow the teachings of the Early Church and Jesus made it clear that we are one body, not divided. Men have divided us and if we're willing to let go of denominational beliefs and doctrines taught by men, allowing the Holy Spirit to lead and guide us into truth, it's amazing what Holy Spirit will reveal to you when you allow Him to remove those religious barriers, that many of us have. In my ignorance and pride, I demonized the Catholic Church and I demonized praying the Rosary. My zeal was misplaced as it says in scripture Romans 10:1-3 and I had a strong religious spirit of bigotry unbeknownst to me.

*Bigotry: obstinate or unreasonable attachment to a belief, opinion, or faction; in particular, prejudice against a person or people on the basis of their membership of a particular group.*

I would always defend or criticize any belief that wasn't like mine or that I didn't understand, and was condescending to other denominations that I felt had error in their doctrines. As a former critic just like Saul I crucified Her and the Church. It's only by God's mercy, that He has been so gracious towards me to introduce me after all I did, to His Mother.

Jesus has not only led me to his Mother, but given me so much understanding and revelation of the mystery of her in Scripture. That she has been there all along but hidden as she always desires to be, but now revealing herself to the little ones.

### **Matthew 11:25**

**At that time Jesus said, "I praise you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and learned, and revealed them too little children.**

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Since then, I have been given the grace to receive several messages from Mary, Jesus and all of Heaven in the book “Behold Your Mother” which contained compiled messages from Mother Clare and myself. You can receive the book for free by emailing [Heartdwellersghana@gmail.com](mailto:Heartdwellersghana@gmail.com).

When I met Blessed Mother and began to pray with Her in the rosary the trajectory of my life changed. My union with Jesus has not been the same, it's only gotten better! I have been blown away by Mary's humility and kindness to then avail herself to me in such an intimate way, to see her, to hear her and to experience her profound love That is the factual truth, and the Lord and the Blessed Mother have commissioned me to share this truth with everyone who would have ears to hear and a heart open to change.

*Father, I pray for the person reading this book, that every wall of bigotry, religion, legalism, fear, deception, and obstinacy would come down and that they would be given the grace to clearly understand and know the absolute scriptural truth of your beloved daughter, Mary and receive her as their Mother, in Jesus mighty name I pray! Amen.*

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## **Chapter One**

### **Is This Wrong?**

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#### **My Children, My Children Why Are You Persecuting Me?**

Jesus' message to Mother Clare about the Blessed Virgin not being Catholic really moved me. It made so much sense. If we don't associate Jesus with a particular denomination, why do we do that with Blessed Mother? Just as Jesus is God of All, Blessed Mother is the Mother of all Christians.

With this inflamed in my heart, I decided to make a post on my Facebook page about it, to stir the hearts and minds of Christians and especially my many Protestants friends to think for a bit about the argument that they have been taught by doctrines of men.

My post said,

"Jesus is NOT Protestant, Orthodox Evangelical, Pentecostal, or Catholic... He is the GOD of ALL mankind—for all those who would believe and receive salvation. So why do we put his Mother in a box? Mary, the

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Blessed Virgin, is NOT Catholic, rather She is the Mother of ALL Christians. For those who walk in intimacy with Jesus will come to know Her intimately and Her amazing role in the Church, and in Scripture. Man created denominations because of our differences and pride. That was never God's intention. He wanted ONE Body in Christ, [Ephesians 4:4-5](#). [Those in Heaven and on Earth...that time is coming and is here now for the veil of Heaven to be rent for those who avail themselves](#) – Food for thought for those who still struggle with Mary the Blessed Virgin and think it's a Catholic thing to pray the Rosary and to believe in Her intercession. No, it's actually a very Christian thing to do [John 2:1-12, The Wedding of Cana](#). Think about it....."

Of course, I knew this would cause a hailstorm of comments and rebuttals and I received two inbox messages and two emails from Protestant friends who couldn't understand why I would pray with Mary. One was a father of a young lady who joined my over-the-phone Bible Study group. She really grew in the knowledge of God, and he couldn't understand why I would now have anything to do with Mary. I sent him a document that I had been working on called "The Truth About Mary" which the Lord had me write up for a member here in the community who also struggled with Mary's role in the Church. It is 19 pages of the scriptural foundation of Mary's role and how biblical it is to pray the Rosary. I will be putting that in a booklet soon and giving it away for free to help others share scripturally the role of Mary to Protestants.

When he was open to reading the document, I was so excited in hopes that he would receive the grace of enlightenment and would really come to understand who She was to him and the Church. However, he responded by denouncing the fact that it was idolatry and worship. My heart sank because I realized he never read the document but just retorted the same argument. I was so disappointed. Then another young lady wanted me to provide scriptural bases for my belief, which I did. But she too kept saying the Bible is all about Jesus, as I agreed with her 100%. But it was as though there was an obstinate spirit on both of them. No matter how much scriptural proof I provided they had an empty argument and both said I

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was deceived. My heart was hurting for them. Hurting for Jesus and hurting for our Mama.

I kept looking at the Lord, in the Eucharist, whom I always have before me, and I saw the scene of Saul flash before my eyes as he was being converted to Paul when Jesus blinded him and said, "Saul, Saul why are you persecuting Me?"

### Acts 9:4

As he neared Damascus on his journey, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice say to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?" "Who are you, Lord?" Saul asked. "I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting," he replied.

I then heard Jesus say, "My Children, My Children, why are you persecuting Me?"

Jesus began,

*"Our hearts are one and the same, My beloved. When you grieve, I grieve as well."*

I then saw Jesus holding my heart that was beating but wounded and bleeding. He hugged it tightly to His chest then my heart entered into His chest. He then placed His hands on His heart and streams of tears came from His eyes.

Jesus continued,

*"I know it hasn't been easy, My beloved little one. The times ahead will only get harder in different ways, but I have called you to be brave, fearless and an overcomer. In the face of the greatest persecution and opposition, you will not be moved because I live within you, beloved, and all your strength comes from Me, your rock who cannot be moved, beloved, So do not be discouraged."*

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*“My Children, My children, you call Me your own, but why do you persecute Me? Why do you revile Me? Why do you throw stones at Me and pierce My heart with your words, with your prideful gestures of scorn and derision? Yet you call yourself a believer, a Christian. You tear at Me, and you cast lots for My garment, as you curse Me, leaving Me naked on the cross. As you accuse those who follow Me of blasphemy.*

*“You are now asking yourself, ‘How have I don’t this? When did I do this, Lord?’ When you do this to My Mother you have done it to Me. Did I not say what you have done to the least of these you have done to Me? (Matt. 25: 41-45). That goes the same for the scorn you have shown towards Her, Her role in My Church, and of Her love for you. You have come in the company of calling what is good evil and evil good.”*

### Isaiah 5: 20-21

Woe to those who call evil good and good evil, who turn darkness to light and light to darkness, who replace bitter with sweet and sweet with bitter? Woe to those who are wise in their own eye and clever in their own sight.

*“You have been swayed by the doctrines of man and continue on in your obstinance and pride, yet call yourselves My shepherds, My disciples, men and women of God. Yet, YOU have hurt Me the most.*

*“My beloved children, you have given in to the enemy’s lies and now have become tools of Satan to persecute My Church. Do you not know when you speak against one another you are tearing at My Body? When you speak against My Mother you are tearing at My very heart for, they are one and the same. Satan has been clever to blind so many in the Church to the truth of Her power and of Her honor in Heaven. Does that surprise you to say that She is called to honor and glory? Did I not say that those who share in My sufferings share in My glory?”*

1 Peter 4:13, But rejoice inasmuch as you participate in the sufferings of Christ, so that you may be overjoyed when his glory is revealed.

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*“She has more glory than all creatures created. And I made her loved when I was upon the Earth and taught the disciples unceasingly to seek Her out for wisdom, counsel, and prayer. My Mother sustained the Early Church with Her love and intercession. That is what She was created for. And now, 2,000 years later, many of you have lived independent of that truth. and feel as though you have no need of Her, despise Her even, and dishonor those who have faith in Her. And you think that is pleasing to Me?”*

*“It is not, My children, it is not. Just like Saul, you are persecuting Me all over again. Throwing stones of self-righteousness, judgment, and criticism at My Church whom I love, and at My disciples whom I have led to Her. Martyring them with your slander, reproach, and accusations, tearing the nets of the very little and simple ones who are open to purity and truth and would receive Her. But you have become a stumbling block. The greatest of all faults exposed in Heaven.”*

*“I tell you now so that you may reform your ways, search the Scriptures and there you will find Me. Search the Scriptures with all purity and there you will find My Mother, hidden under the guise of so many souls, so many events and so many scriptures. Do not persist in your obstinance any longer. This is Her time. And just as many will come to mourn the One they have pierced*

### Zechariah 12:10

And I will pour out on the house of David and the inhabitants of Jerusalem a spirit of grace and supplication. They will look on me, the one they have pierced, and they will mourn for him as one mourns for an only child and grieve bitterly for him as one grieves for a firstborn son.

*many will come to mourn in contrition and repent for the way they have acted when She appears in the sky for all the world to see.”*

### Revelation 12:1

A great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet and a crown of twelve stars on her head.

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*"I love you My children, but how you have caused Me pain by rejecting the woman who gave Me life and gives life to all by My Spirit and through Me, for all who would come and call Her Mother. Just as I told John at the foot of the cross."*

### *John 19:26-27*

*When Jesus saw His mother and the disciple whom He loved standing nearby, He said to His mother, "Woman, here is your son." Then He said to the disciple, "Here is your mother." So from that hour, this disciple took her into his home.*

*"Don't reject Her any longer. But humble yourself under My hand, under My guidance, and under My love, knowing that I would not lead you astray but lead you to living waters you have thirsted for, from the spring of life that is My Mother. To honor Her is to honor Me. To love Her is to love Me."*

Then I saw Blessed Mother appear coming from behind Jesus and She grabbed His hand as They both were standing before me. Hand in hand with both hearts, sacred hearts glowing with iridescent light.

Our Mother of Mercy began,

*"Beloved daughter, do not fret because of the words of men or the reproach and scorn you face when sharing Me with others. There will be many, and they will come. You have our heart, beloved one, and you have been given the authority and anointing to carry this mission out."*

As an aside, She is talking about the mission to prepare the way not only for Jesus but also for Her. By teaching the truth in Scripture about who She is, and bringing many Evangelical and Protestants into the truth of Her role in the Church and into a relationship with Mary, Blessed Mother.

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Our Mother of Mercy continued,

*"I will bless you and those who do the same, with signs and wonders to*

*accompany you and this mission. That they might know God is with you and God is in Me. Begin with the inspirations given; the booklet and teachings. The Lord will bless this work, and many will come to receive my love and see the errors of their ways. For the gates of Hell will not prevail over God's Church or over Me. For My Immaculate Heart will triumph in the end. Be encouraged and go forth with much bravery, for Heaven is cheering you on."*

## **Chapter Two**

### **There Are Layers and Double Meaning in Scripture**

Unfortunately, many Protestant believers have become fundamentalist which leaves no room for the Holy Spirit to give you a deeper revelation of Scripture and can easily turn into a Religious and Legalistic spirit. That causes you to read the word of God and only get one way of understanding. The word of God is living and active... (Heb. 4:12). It is something that is ALIVE. Does that mean it is and has stayed only one way of meaning? NO:)! It is the *living word*. That is why some people can read a Scripture, then days later, or a few months or even the following year read the same passage and get a different meaning—because the word of God is alive. God doesn't change, but by His Spirit, He provides a fresh understanding, meaning, or revelation to His word if you give Him freedom, e will show you hidden meanings, mysteries, and revelation of his word.

Before we dive into the role of Mary I think is important to understand that God is very intentional about every single word he speaks. Every parable and story he gave us has a meaning. He never wastes one word. Matthew 5:18, here are a few popular foreshadowing of Christ.

### **The Old Testament is Christ Concealed and The New Testament is Christ Revealed**

- Moses misses the promised land for striking the rock, why? <i>Numbers 20:7-10</i>	- Jesus was the rock. <i>Matthew 21:42</i>
- Israelites complain about the Manna and die, why? <i>Exodus 16:1</i>	- Jesus was the Manna that came from heaven. <i>John 6:51</i>
- Isaiah 53 prophecy.	- Jesus the Messiah, Crucified for us. <i>John 18-19</i>



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Corinthians 15:21-22, For since death came through a man, the resurrection of the dead comes also through a man. For as in Adam all die, so in Christ all will be made alive.

- Jesus is referenced as *the second Adam*. Adam who was cursed and brought the death of sin to mankind. (1 Cor. 15:45-49)

Genesis 3:17. To Adam he said, "Because you listened to your wife and ate fruit from the tree about which I commanded you, 'You must not eat from it,' Cursed is the ground because of you; through painful toil you will eat food from it all the days of your life."

**In the Bible God use many people to foreshadow the Messiah, they were a "type" of Christ.**

Adam (First born)	Foreshadowed Jesus - a type of Christ.
Moses (As a type of High Priest who stands in the gap for his people).	Foreshadowed Jesus - a type of Christ.
David (King of Israel and Prophet).	Foreshadowed Jesus - a type of Christ.
Joseph (Savior for his people).	Foreshadowed Jesus - a type of Christ.

**Read carefully how God refers to Mary as a "woman" many times throughout the Bible. The Old Testament is Mary Concealed and the New Testament is Mary Revealed too!!**

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<p>Satan would be crushed by a <u>woman</u> and her offspring. <i>Genesis 3:15</i></p>	<p>Mary was is the <u>woman</u> whose offspring, Jesus crushed Satan. <i>Luke 2:1-20, 2:35</i></p>
<p><i>Proverbs 8: 22-31</i>, Wisdom is always referenced as a “she”, why? Mary was set apart before the foundation of the earth for this work as a co-redeemer with Jesus.</p>	<p>Mary is wisdom. Even the angel greeted her as full of grace, which means to be full of wisdom. <i>Luke 1:28</i></p>
<p><i>Isaiah 66:7</i>, Before <u>she</u> goes into labor, she gives birth; before the pains come upon her, <u>she</u> delivers a son.</p>	<p>This scripture is not only about Israel but about Mary!</p>
<p><i>John 2:4</i>, Jesus calls his mother “<u>woman</u>”.</p>	<p>This wasn't to dishonor her but to reference her again that she is the “woman” God has spoken about in Genesis all the way to revelation.</p>
<p><i>John 19:26</i>, "When Jesus saw his mother there, and the disciple whom he loved standing nearby, he said to her, '<u>Woman</u>, here is your son.'"</p>	<p>Once again Jesus refers to her as “woman” rather than saying, 'Mother, behold your son.' To let all of heaven and hell know she is that “<u>woman</u>” that has crushed Satan.</p>
<p><i>Revelations 12:1</i>, "A great sign appeared in heaven: a <u>woman</u> clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet and a crown of twelve stars on her head."</p>	<p>Now here it is clear she is the “<u>woman</u>” who will again overtake the dragon and appear before the whole world in the end times. Its Mary!</p>

**- Mary is *the Second Eve*, where Eve was cursed, she was freed from the curse of sin and painful labor. Through her, she brought life, Jesus, to the whole world! (Isa. 66:7)**

**In the Bible, God use many people to foreshadow Mary, they were a “type” of Co-redeemer.**

- To be a co-redeemer is to have the ministry of reconciliation given to us by Jesus Christ.

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### 2 Cor. 5:18-20.

All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting people's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation. We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God.

- Paul references the universal Christian responsibility is to be "co-workers" with God. 1 Corinthians 3:9, For we are co-workers in God's service; you are God's field, God's building.

Eve (Was the Mother of all the living).	Foreshadowed Mary - Who is now Mother of all, and didn't sin.
Esther (A powerful intercessor who saved a nation).	Foreshadowed Mary - "The intercessor who lives to stand in the gap for all mankind.
Ruth (Because of her obedience through her kinsmen redeemer, Boaz, restored her bloodline for all generations, and through her bloodline came the Messiah).	Foreshadowed Mary - Through her obedience and her Kinsmen Redeemer, Holy Spirit gave birth to the Messiah Jesus, who redeemed all of mankind.
Deborah (Was a prophet and judge of Israel).	Foreshadowed Mary - Who prophecies and pronounced judgment on Israel in her Magnificat. <i>Luke 1:46-55</i>

Now that you may see some deeper understanding in scripture, we want to lay the foundation first concerning how heaven is relevant to us who are here on earth. By giving a scriptural understanding of the communion of Saints before you can really understand Mary's role and why praying the Rosary is significant.

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### Communion of the Saints, The Cloud of Witnesses

#### **Is the Body Divided From Those in Heaven and Those in Earth? No.**

- *Ephesians 4:4-6*. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

We have to assume that God did not divide His body, He never did, that wasn't his intention, men have done that. Men have caused division, and His desire is one body under one head, Jesus Christ. Believers who are all fully functional, completely dedicated to saving souls, and all working together for the body of Christ. That's what God intended, that's still what He's doing now.

- Jesus is the head, and His Body is the Church, and we are ALL the members of his body, both those on Earth and those in Heaven.  
(Col. 1:18)

- Jesus himself mentioned that we are to be ONE in the "Our Father" prayer in Matthew 6:9-13.

In 1 Corinthians 12:12-27, it speaks of unity and diversity in the body. That body of Christ is made up of different members, but ONE body, and just as verse 21 says, "The eye cannot say to the hand, 'I don't need you!'" So we too cannot say, "I am a member on earth so I have no need for the members of Christ in Heaven, I don't need them!" Think about it. He is calling all members of his body to come in agreement with what he is doing, and actually work, co-labor with those who are in heaven, to do the work of God on this earth. So the scriptures are clear there is no separations from

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believers who are on earth from the believers who are in heaven, we are ONE in Christ. Here Paul when praying for the Ephesians yet referenced the family of God as being those in Heaven and on Earth!

### A Prayer for the Ephesians

14 For this reason I kneel before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth derives its name.

- CLOUD OF WITNESSES. They cheer us on in heaven!

Hebrew 12:1. Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us.

Here the scripture makes it plain we are surrounded. Who is “we”? That is, all those on Earth are surrounded, which means we are adjoined, we are encompassed by those in Heaven who cheer us on to finish the race well.

### **Are Those In Heaven Able to Hear Our Prayer? Yes.**

The angels and saints alike can hear our prayers and actually take our prayers up before the throne of God!

- Revelations 8:4, When we enlist angles to intercede for us they hear us and take our prayers before God.

- Revelations 5:8, Here we see the 24 elders take the prayers of those on earth and present them before God at his throne.

### **Can We Ask for Those in Heaven to Pray for Us? Yes.**

John 5:14-16. Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working.

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We must remember they too are STILL MEMBERS of the body and elders of God's Church. So when we enlist a saint to pray for us we can be healed and their prayers are powerful!! As the scripture says the prayers of the righteous. The souls in heaven are perfected in righteousness because they stand before God's throne and their prayers avail much. So, what you are simply doing is asking Mary, a member of the body of Christ, to pray on your behalf, to intercede for you. She is perfected, made righteous through Christ, and takes your prayers before the throne.

### **Is Speaking and Praying with the Saints, The Cloud of Witnesses Necromancy (communicating with the dead)?**

NO! Because Jesus himself said, He is not the God of the dead, but of the living, (Mark 12:27, Luke 20: 38). Those in Christ are not dead, they are alive! That is the whole point of Jesus' death and resurrection. That is the good news of the gospel, that we have eternal life in Jesus Christ!

- Even in scripture Paul admonishes the Corinthians about those who doubted the Resurrection of the Dead and called their faith worthless... Ouch.

#### 1 Corinthians 15:12-18

But if it is preached that Christ has been raised from the dead, how can some of you say that there is no resurrection of the dead? If there is no resurrection of the dead, then not even Christ has been raised. And if Christ has not been raised, our preaching is worthless, and so is your faith. In that case, we are also exposed as false witnesses about God. For we have testified about God that He raised Christ from the dead, but He did not raise Him if in fact the dead are not raised. For if the dead are not raised, then not even Christ has been raised. And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins. Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ have perished. If our hope in Christ is for this life alone, we are to be pitied more than all men.

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- Jesus went further to ask Mary the same question when Lazarus died if she believed in his resurrection power, not in the last days, but right now.

John 11:25-26, Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Do you believe this?"

- So, I now ask you the same thing Jesus asked Mary; do you believe this or has your faith become worthless?... Think about it.

### **The Question Was Asked: How Can You Discern a Spirit That Comes from God VS a Familiar Spirit That Comes from the Devil?**

First, the saints venerated in the Catholic and Orthodox Church went through a process to ensure that their soul was with the Lord and many have performed miracles in the name of Jesus to be a witness that they are with Jesus in heaven.

Concerning loved ones, friends, or souls who have passed on, but are not honored as saints by the Church, you simply test the spirit as it says in 1 John 4:1-3. And how do you test the spirit? Verse 3: "By this, you know the Spirit of God: every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is from God, and every spirit that does not confess Jesus is not from God." Also Matthew 7:16 talks about testing the fruit. A good tree bears good fruit, that goes the same as for those in the spirit. You will know if the spirit comes from God by the fruit. The Lord's presence and that of his saints leave you with a feeling of profound peace and draw you closer to Jesus, nor will any counsel or instruction from them contradict God's word.

1. Test the spirit by asking it to confess Jesus Christ is Lord.
2. Test the spirit by the fruit.

**Jesus Communed with the Saints, The Cloud of Witnesses -  
Transfiguration**

Matthew 17:1–8, DURING PRAYER (that is important) Jesus had a visitation from Moses and Elijah. This was symbolic, giving revelation even to the disciples, and to future followers of Christ, the reality of the Cloud of Witness, and how they are very much alive to bring us encouragement and to pray for us and with us. If Jesus, although being God, availed himself to receive encouragement from the saints, (while he was praying), then how much more do we?

- This scripture confirms that all believers can have access to heaven when we pray and commune with the saints!



## **Chapter Four**

### The Mystery of Mary revealed

Now that we have laid quite a bit of foundation as to where Mary was hidden in scripture, that she is a part of the Body of Christ, she can hear our prayers and pray for us to Jesus. I would like to share with you in this chapter and in chapters five and six an online article from Catholic Answers.com written by apologist Tim Staples who explains Mary's role in salvation in hopes you will come to see why her prayers are so powerful. Remember a mystery is by definition: something that is difficult or impossible to understand or explain. However, Jesus made it clear that he would reveal the hidden mysteries to us. (Matt. 11:25)

#### **Her Dispensation from Sin - Mary Conceived without Sin**

"Romans 3:23 says, "All have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God." First John 1:8 adds, "If any man says he has no sin he is a liar and the truth is not in him." These texts could not be clearer for millions of Protestants: "How could anyone believe Mary was free from all sin in light of these Scripture passages? What's more, Mary herself said, 'My soul rejoices in God my savior' in Luke 1:47. She clearly understood herself to be a sinner if she admits to needing a savior."

Protestants are surprised to discover that it is actually agreed that Mary was "saved." Indeed, Mary needed a savior! However, Mary was "saved" from sin in a most sublime manner. She was given the grace to be "saved" completely from sin so that she never committed even the slightest transgression.

#### **So Mary In Fact Needed A Savior.**

Protestants tend to emphasize God's "salvation" almost exclusively to the forgiveness of sins actually committed. However, Sacred Scripture indicates that salvation can also refer to man being protected from

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sinning before the fact:

Jude 24-25 Now to him who is able to keep you from falling and to present you without blemish before the presence of his glory with rejoicing, to the only God, our Savior through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and for ever.

Just as explained that falling into sin could be likened to a man approaching unaware a deep ditch. If he falls into the ditch, he needs someone to lower a rope and save him. But if someone were to warn him of the danger ahead, preventing the man from falling into the ditch at all, he would be saved from falling in the first place. Likewise, Mary was saved from sin by receiving the grace to be preserved from it. But she was still saved.

### **All Have Sinned, Except . . .**

But what about “all have sinned” (Rom. 3:23) and “if any man says he has no sin he is a liar and the truth is not in him” (1 John 1:8)? Wouldn’t “all” and “any man” include Mary? On the surface, this sounds reasonable. But this way of thinking carried to its logical conclusion would list Jesus Christ in the company of sinners as well. No faithful Christian would dare say that. Yet, no Christian can deny the plain texts of Scripture declaring Christ’s full humanity either. Thus, to take 1 John 1:8 in a strict, literal sense would apply “any man” to Jesus as well.

The truth is Jesus Christ was an exception to Romans 3:23, and 1 John 1:8. And the Bible tells us he was in Hebrews 4:15: “Christ was tempted in all points even as we are and yet he was without sin.”

The question now is: Are there any other exceptions to this rule? Yes—millions of them.

Both Romans 3:23, and 1 John 1:9, deal with personal rather than original sin. (Romans 5, deals with original sin.) And there are two exceptions to

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that general biblical norm as well. But for now, we will simply deal with Romans 3:23 and 1 John 1:8. First, John 1:8 obviously refers to personal sin because, in the very next verse, John tells us, "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins . . ." We do not confess original sin; we confess personal sins.

The context of Romans 3:23 makes clear that it too refers to personal sin: None is righteous, no, not one; no one understands, no one seeks for God. All have turned aside, together they have gone wrong; no one does good, not even one. Their throat is an open grave. They use their tongues to deceive. The venom of asps is under their lips. Their mouth is full of curses and bitterness. (Rom. 3:10-14)

Original sin is not something we do; it is something we've inherited. Romans chapter three deals with personal sin because it speaks of sins committed by the sinner. With this in mind, consider this: Has a baby in the womb, or a child of two, ever committed a personal sin? No. To sin, a person has to know the act he is about to perform is sinful while freely engaging his will in carrying it out. Without the proper faculties to enable them to sin, children before the age of accountability and anyone who does not have the use of his intellect will not sin. So, there are and have been millions of exceptions to Romans 3:23 and 1 John 1:8.

Still, how do we know Mary is an exception to the norm of "all have sinned?" And more specifically, is there biblical support for this claim? Yes, there is much biblical support. (Tim Stapels, Catholic Answers)

### **Exceptions to the Rule**

I would like to first touch on another example in scripture where God made exceptions for certain souls. Hebrew 9: 27, "And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment." If it is appointed for all men to die once, why did God make the exception to take Enoch and Elijah so they didn't taste death? (Heb. 11:5, 2 Kings 2:11)

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So, you see here, God made an exception that both men were taken to heaven, not only before they died, but before Christ came to give man salvation through the cross. Why? Because these men were given special graces and played a very special role in God's kingdom. Especially for the end times as some have believed they are the two witnesses in Revelation 11. So, you see, the Lord can create souls with a special dispensation of grace and exceptions that have not been given to all men in order to fulfill His purpose." (Tim Staples, Catholic Answers.com, September 1, 2007)

## **Chapter Five**

### Mary Full of Grace

Tim Staples continues,

"And [the angel Gabriel] came to [Mary] and said, "Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with you!" But she was greatly troubled at the saying and considered in her mind what sort of greeting this might be. And the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God." (Luke 1:28-30)

Many Protestants will insist this text to be little more than a common greeting of the Archangel Gabriel to Mary. "What does this have to do with Mary being without sin?" Yet, the truth is, according to Mary herself, this was no common greeting. The text reveals Mary to have been "greatly troubled at the saying and considered in her mind what sort of greeting this might be." (Luke 1:29, emphasis added). What was it about this greeting that was so uncommon for Mary to react this way? We can consider at least two key aspects.

The angel actually communicated a new name or title to her. "Hail, full of grace." Generally speaking, when one greeted another with a name or title would be found in the immediate context. "Hail, king of the Jews" in John 19:3, and "Claudius Lysias, to his Excellency the governor Felix," greeting (Acts 23:26) are two biblical examples of this. The fact that the angel replaces Mary's name in the greeting with "full of grace" was anything but common. In Hebrew culture, names and name changes tell us something permanent about the character and *calling* of the one named.

Just recall the name changes of Abram to Abraham (from "father" to "father of the multitudes") in Genesis 17:5. Saray to Sarah ("my princess" to "princess"), in Genesis 17:15, and Jacob to Israel ("supplanter" to "he who prevails with God") in Genesis 32:28.

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In each case, the names reveal something permanent about the one named. Abraham and Sarah transition from being a “father” and “princess” of one family to being “father” and “princess” or “mother” of the entire people of God (Rom. 4:1-18; Is. 51:1-2). They become patriarchs and matriarchs of God’s people forever. Jacob/Israel becomes the patriarch whose name, “he who prevails with God,” continues forever in the Church, which is called “the Israel of God” (Gal. 6:16). The People of God will forever “prevail with God” in the image of the patriarch Jacob.

What is in a name? According to Scripture, quite a lot.

Luke uses this name for Mary. This word literally means, “she who has been graced” in a complete sense. “Full of Grace” is Mary’s name. So what does it tell us about Mary? Well, the average Christian is not completed in grace and in a permanent sense (Phil. 3:8-12). But according to the angel, Mary is. You and I sin, not because of grace, but because of a lack of grace, or a lack of our cooperation with grace in our lives. This greeting of the angel is one clue into the unique character and calling of the Mother of God. Only Mary is given the name “Full of Grace” and in the perfect tense, indicating that this permanent state of Mary was completed.

### **Mary Is The Ark of the (New) Covenant**

The Old Testament Ark of the Covenant was a true icon of the sacred. Because it contained the presence of God symbolized by three types of the coming Messiah—the manna, the Ten Commandments, and Aaron’s rod—it had to be pure and untouched by sinful man. (2 Sam. 6:1-9 and Ex. 25:10, Num. 4:15)

In the New Testament, the new Ark is not an inanimate object, but a person: the Blessed Mother. How much more pure would the new Ark be when we consider the old ark was a mere “shadow” in relation to it (Heb. 10:1)? This image of Mary as the Ark of the Covenant is an indicator that Mary would fittingly be free from all contagion of sin to be a worthy vessel to bear God in her womb. And most importantly, just as the Old Covenant

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Ark was pristine from the moment it was constructed with explicit divine instructions in Exodus 25, so would Mary be pure from the moment of her conception. God, in a sense, prepared His own dwelling place in both the Old and New Testaments." (Tim Staples, Catholic Answers.com, September 1, 2007)

<p>The Ark of the Covenant contained three "types" of Jesus inside; <i>manna, Aaron's rod, and the Ten Commandments.</i></p>	<p>Compare: Mary carried the fulfillment of all these types in her body. Jesus is the "<i>true [manna] from heaven</i>" (John 6:32), <i>the true "High Priest"</i> (Heb. 3:1), and "<i>the word made flesh</i>" (John 1:14)</p>
<p>The glory cloud was representative of the Holy Spirit, and it "overshadowed" the Ark when Moses consecrated it in Ex. 40:32-33.</p>	<p>Compare: "<i>The Holy Spirit</i> will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore the child to be born will be called holy, the Son of God" (Luke 1:35)</p>
<p>David "<i>leaped and danced</i>" before the Ark when it was being carried into Jerusalem in procession in 2 Sam. 6:14-16.</p>	<p>Compare: As soon as Elizabeth heard the sound of Mary's salutation, John the Baptist "<i>leaped for joy</i>" in her womb. (Luke 1:41-44)</p>
<p>After a manifestation of the power of God working through the Ark, David exclaims, "How can the Ark of the Lord come unto me?"</p>	<p>Compare: After the revelation to Elizabeth about the true calling of Mary, who was carrying God in her womb, Elizabeth exclaims, "Why is this granted me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?" (Luke 1:43)</p>
<p>The Ark of the Lord "remained in the house of Obededom . . . three months" in 2 Sam. 6:11</p>	<p>Compare: "Mary remained with [Elizabeth] for about three months" (Luke 1:56)</p>

## **Chapter Six**

### Mary is The New Eve

I hope these articles are allowing you to go more in-depth! Tim Staples continues,

"It's important for us to recall that the New Covenant fulfillments are always more glorious and more perfect than their Old Testament types, which are "but a shadow of the good things to come" in the New Covenant (Heb. 10:1). With this in mind, let us consider the revelation of Mary as the "New Eve."

After the fall of Adam and Eve in Genesis 3, God promised the advent of another "woman" in Genesis 3:15 or a "New Eve" who would oppose Lucifer, and whose "seed" would crush his head. This "woman" and "her seed" would reverse the curse, so to speak, that the original "man" and "woman" had brought upon humanity through their disobedience.

It is most significant here to note "Adam" and "Eve" are revealed simply as "the man" and "the woman" before the woman's name was changed to "Eve" (Hebrew, "mother of the living") after the fall. (Gen. 2:21)

When we then look at the New Covenant, Jesus is explicitly referred to as the "last Adam," or the "New Adam" in 1 Corinthians 15:45. And Jesus himself indicates that Mary is the prophetic "woman" or "New Eve" of Genesis 3:15 when he refers to his mother as "woman" in John 2:4 and 19:26. Moreover, John refers to Mary as "woman" eight times in Revelation 12. As the first Eve brought death to all of her children through disobedience and heeding the words of the ancient serpent, the devil, the "New Eve" of Revelation 12 brings life and salvation to all of her children through her obedience. The same "serpent", who deceived the original woman of Genesis, is revealed in Revelation 12 to fail in his attempt to overcome this new woman. The New Eve overcomes the serpent and as a result, "the serpent is angry with the woman and went off to make war on the rest of her offspring, on those who keep the commandments of God, and bear testimony to Jesus" (Rev. 12:17).



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Since Mary is the New Eve and New Testament fulfillments are always more glorious than their Old Testament antecedents, it would be unthinkable for Mary to be conceived in sin. If she were, she would be inferior to Eve who was created in a perfect state, free from all sin.

### **Was Mary A Virgin Through Out Her Marriage with Jospheh and Didn't Jesus Have Siblings?**

Here we want to address some scriptures that have been a source of contention in the Protestant church concerning Mary's Perpetual Virginity. Through the teachings and testimony of many saints and Church Fathers, we have come to know that Mary was dedicated to the temple to devote herself entirely to God at a young age. Those who devoted themselves to the temple were given to Chasity their whole life. For example, Samuel was dedicated to the temple by his Mother. (1 Sam. 1:11)

- You may ask then, why did Mary have to get married?

Ceremonial cleanliness required that Mary have a male protector who would respect her vow of virginity. Joseph was "chosen by lot to take into his keeping the Virgin of the Lord." His duty to guard Mary was taken so seriously that when Mary conceived, Joseph had to answer to the temple authorities. Hence why she took Jesus to the temple during Purim. Also, God did this to have a representation on earth of the perfect Family. The need for a Father and a Mother.

- You may ask if Mary was a virgin throughout her marriage, why did scriptures indicate for him not to know until after the birth of Jesus? (Matt. 1:25)

Two things going deeper in scripture. First, if Mary ever intended to have children in her marriage she wouldn't be surprised at the angel's announcement: she had chosen to be a virgin. When the angel Gabriel

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tells Mary that she will bear a son, Mary asks, "How shall this be, since I have no husband?" (Lk. 1:34). At this point, Mary was engaged to Joseph.

Why would she then be so surprised at being told she would conceive? If she were planning on having children with Joseph in the usual way, it wouldn't make sense for her to ask how she would be able to have a child. This question makes sense only if Mary was already planning to remain a virgin.

Secondly, the word "until" here just says what happened up to the time of Christ's birth. It doesn't imply anything about what happened after that, although our modern use of the word "until" seems to imply that. For an example of this, look at 2 Samuel 6:23, which says, "Michal the daughter of Saul had no children until the day of her death." We're obviously not supposed to assume that she had children after she died.

### **- Jesus "siblings"**

In these scriptures, it indicates Jesus had brothers; (Matt. 12:46, Matt. 13:55, and John 7:3-4). However, the brothers of Jesus were actually relatives, such as cousins. Aramaic, the language spoken by Jesus and his apostles, had no word for "cousin," so cousins and other close relatives were often referred to as brothers. For example in scripture, Abraham's nephew Lot was called his brother (Gen. 14:14), King James Translation." (Tim Stapels, Catholic Answers.com, September 1, 2007)

## **Chapter Seven**

### Mary YOUR Intercessor

Now that we have laid quite a bit of foundation scripturally as to the purity of Mary. I want to address why you should have her as an intercessor and the power of the Rosary.

**First, we don't pray to Mary, we pray WITH her.**

**- Wedding of Cana. (John 2:11)**

Mary intercedes for the couple. She becomes a mediator for the couple to Jesus!

Why was it so important to mention His mother in this story? As mentioned before, God's words are never idle, everything has a meaning. Jesus told her that his time has not yet come and in scripture, he makes it clear he does nothing unless he sees the Father do it. (John 5:19)

So you see here, that means Mary's intercession moves the Heart of the Father. Whether in season or out of season (when it may not be your time yet), if you are in need of something, her prayers on your behalf will move the heart of her Son, Jesus, to respond to your request.

**One Mediator To The Father, But Many Mediators to Jesus**

One of the rebuttals I hear most is that we have one mediator, which is Christ, true as the scripture says 1 Timothy 2:5. For there is one God and one mediator between God and mankind, the man Christ Jesus.

However, have you ever thought, how many mediators do we have to

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Jesus??? So many in the body of Christ!! Why do you ask people to pray for you if we have only one mediator? You see, Jesus is the mediator to the Father, and there is no denying that no one can take His place nor is Mary trying to, but we have been given so many mediators to Jesus. Those who stand in the gap, interceding for you to Jesus.

Every believer can probably count at least 5 people or more: you have your pastor, your Christian friends, family members, any prayer lines you are a part of. So many times, as believers, we continuously ask our fellow brothers and sisters in Christ to pray for us, and with us. They are mediating between you and Jesus, bring your request before Him. Just as you have friends on earth who pray with you and for you, so you can enlist your friends and members in heaven to pray with you and for you. Guess what, Mary does the exact same thing.

### **The prayers of the righteous are powerful. James 5:13-15**

This scripture is actually about intercession. If you, or anyone, is sick, pray to the leaders, the heads of the church so that you may be healed because their prayers avail much, simply they get answered.

Mary is perfected already in Heaven and is definitely more than an elder of God's Earthly Church. So, why not have her as an intercessor? We call friends, pastors, prayer lines to get prayer when we are sick and we have people lay hands on us to get well. Then why not have an intercessor who is in Heaven, who is blessed among a woman, full of grace, to intercede on your behalf, because her prayers avail much. She is not only full of grace but full of faith as well. For she firmly believed all the angel foretold. (Luke 1:45)

So her prayers for you have much faith behind them as she intercedes on your behalf and in the details of your life, it moves the heart of the Father to touch His Son to move on your behalf. So that's why her intercession is so powerful.

*Mary YOUR Intercessor*

**She is THE mediator and intercessor between you and Jesus.**

Between mankind, the world, sinners, and the Church, bringing all our petitions to Jesus. And because she is perfected, her prayers avail much!!

## **Chapter Eight**

### Mary YOUR Mother

**John 19:26-27. When Jesus saw his mother there, and the disciple whom he loved standing nearby, he said to her, "Woman, here is your son," and to the disciple, "Here is your mother." From that time on, this disciple took her into his home.**

- Mary is the mother of all disciples of Jesus Christ.
- Those who share in Christ's suffering will always meet Mary, who is there to comfort, encourage and console at the foot of their cross as she did Jesus.
- At the foot of the cross, John became the representation of all Jesus's disciples who should take Mary into their homes (their hearts) as their Mother.

#### **She led the disciples at Pentecost. (Acts 1: 12-14)**

We must remember she was already filled with the Holy Spirit when the Holy Spirit overshadowed her in Luke 1:35. So, why did she accompany the disciples to the upper room? As a Mother to the disciples, as their intercessor, and as the temple of the Holy Spirit she had to be there. As she prayed with the disciples, the Holy Spirit that was already within her was imparted and rushed upon the disciples!

- As your Mother, by her intercession, the Holy Spirit will rush upon you as well!

#### **She is Your Mother Of Mercy**

Luke 15: 6-9

Then he told this parable: "A man had a fig tree growing in his vineyard,

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and he went to look for fruit on it but did not find any. So he said to the man who took care of the vineyard, 'For three years now I've been coming to look for fruit on this fig tree and haven't found any. Cut it down! Why should it use up the soil?'

"Sir,' the man replied, 'leave it alone for one more year, and I'll dig around it and fertilize it. If it bears fruit next year, fine! If not, then cut it down."

- Here again, is a deeper meaning in Scripture. We have come to know the "man" is symbolic to Father God, and the man who took care of the vineyard is Jesus who stands in the gap for us to obtain mercy when God's justice wants to fall on us when we don't bear fruit of repentance.

However, this is also about Blessed Mother who is the keeper of the vineyard and who stands in the gap as our Mother of Mercy. When we squander God's grace and don't bear fruit she comes in to tell her son, "Wait, give this soul to me. Allow me to prune them, and form them to bear fruit for You."

## **Chapter Nine**

### Mary the First Fruits of Many

First to be raptured.	In the Bible many times it shares the end of a person's life by saying they fell asleep. Although in scripture it wasn't made known when Mary died but through historical eye witness, the disciples, and many Early Church Fathers' readings it has been made known Mary was assumed into heaven. Her body, soul, and spirit was taken up to heaven after she died!
First Intercessor to plead to Jesus on the behalf of another.	At the wedding of Cana, she was the first-ever to come to Jesus as God and as for a prayer request on behalf of someone else.
First soul to be filled with the Holy Spirit.	She was the first to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit when all others had to wait until Jesus ascension before the advocate could come on us.
First to be saved through Grace.	Scripture says we are saved by grace, Ephesians 2:8 the free gift and she received that dispensation at her birth and the freedom from the curse of sin Isaiah 66:7.
First Marytr.	She laid down her whole life in white martyrdom, a complete life of self-denial for the Kingdom of God. John 15:13
First Apostle & Disciple of Christ.	She was the first to believe at Jesus' conception that he was the messiah and made it even more clear when she recited the Magnificat. Luke 1:46-55



## **Chapter Ten**

### Mary the Most Faithful

She was faithful with all the graces, faithful to confirm herself to God's will, and faithful until the end. However, many Protestants bring this scripture up to show that even Jesus didn't honor his Mother, which is not at all true.

Luke 11:27-28

As Jesus was saying these things, a woman in the crowd called out, "Blessed is the mother who gave you birth and nursed you." He replied, "Blessed rather are those who hear the word of God and obey it."

- **What was the meaning behind this scripture?**

Jesus was not dishonoring his Mother but here He intended to tell us that what most distinguished Mary was not her dignity as the Mother of God, but her constant fidelity to all that was asked of her from the Father. Here He was actually making Mary an example and calling us higher to imitate her.

- He was also calling us higher. All through scripture when Jesus was teaching and a statement was made from the law, He always called the people to a higher understanding and perspective. We can see that with these scriptures from the Sermon on the Mount. (Matt. 5:13-21)

- They say, do not murder. Jesus says if you are angry at your brother, you have murdered.

- They say, you shall not commit adultery. Jesus says, if you have lusted after a woman, you have already committed adultery.

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- They say, you can divorce your wife as long as you give her a certificate. Jesus says, if you divorce your wife, except for sexual immorality, you have caused her to commit adultery.

- They say, an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth. Jesus says, don't resist evil done to you, if you get slapped give them your other cheek.

- They say, hate your enemies. Jesus says, love our enemies and do good to them.

I can go on and on. So you see, here is a great example to explain the scripture above.

- The woman said, blessed is your mother. Jesus says you are more blessed when you listen and obey the word of God. He is calling us all to a higher standard.

- Lastly, it has been known through the Early Church Fathers and many saints who Blessed Mother has appeared and spoken to concerning this scripture, the revelation of what happened.

In her great humility, she always wanted to stay hidden and took any attention off of herself unto Jesus. Her whole life's focus was to bring Jesus glory and honor, and that hasn't changed.

So, what happened that day when the woman shouted praise to Blessed Mother to bring her honor, in her heart she told Jesus, "Son, please take the attention off of me," and that is when Jesus quoted the scripture to call men to a higher standard of following him. It is amazing, isn't it!! You can find this reference in Blessed Anne Catherine Emmerich's book of Complete Visions of Jesus' Early Life.

### **The Rosary Prayer Is All Scripture (Luke 1:28)**

It consists of four mysteries with the FOCUS on Jesus' life. Why is it a

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mystery? The Mystery has now been revealed to us of Marys' role in the gospel of Jesus Christ. Matthew 13: 11, Jesus answered them, "To you it has been granted to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them, it has not been granted."

When you pray the Rosary you are simply praying the gospels daily and you accompany Mary meditating on the Life of Jesus. Many times we misinterpret the word "Hail" as if it was a form of worship, but "Hail" by definition in Hebrew is: "blessing, greeting, beatitude, a salutation".

### 1. Joyful Mysteries (Monday & Saturdays)

- Annunciation, Luke 1: 26-38
- The Visitation, Luke 1:39-53
- The Nativity, Luke 2:6-19
- The Presentation, Luke 2:32-39
- Finding Jesus At the Temple, Luke 2:42- 52

### 2. Sorrowful Mysteries (Tuesday & Fridays)

- Agony in the Garden, Matt. 26-37
- The Scourging at the Pillar, Mark 15:1-2
- The Crowning of thorns Mark, 15:16, Matt. 27:28
- The Carrying of the cross, Luke 9:23, John 19:17
- The Crucifixion, Luke 23:33

### 3. Glorious Mysteries (Wednesday & Sundays)

- The Resurrection, John 16:20 - John 11:25
- The Ascension, Luke 24:50, Matt 28:18-20, Mark 16:16-19
- The Descent of the Holy Spirit, Acts 2:1-41
- The Assumption, Judith 13:23-31, Psalm 44:11-14, Revelation 12:1
- The Coronation, as Queen of Heaven. (The mystery of wisdom is referred to as a "she" in the Bible because it was a foreshadowing of Mary. She is wisdom) Proverbs 8:1-36, Proverbs 1:20-21, 32-33, Proverbs 4:6

### 4. Luminous Mysteries (prayed on Thursday)

- Baptism of our Lord, Matt. 3:1-17

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- The Wedding at Cana, John 2:1-11
- Preaching of the Kingdom, Mark 1:14-15
- Transfiguration, Matt. 17:1-7
- Institution of the Eucharist, Matt. 26:26, John 6:35-56

### The Rosary Is A Powerful Tool Of Spiritual Warfare

2 Corinthians 10:4-6 tells us, "For the WEAPONS of our warfare are not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ, and being ready to punish all disobedience when your obedience is fulfilled."

- So that means we have more than one weapon to use in Spiritual Warfare. The Rosary prayer is one of our primary weapons to use in spiritual warfare. Why? Because the "woman", Mary, defeats Satan every single time, and when she calls on Jesus, He will crush his head on your behalf! (Genesis 3:15)

### How Has Satan Been Defeated by Mary?

You see, many times the world has taught us that it's always Satan vs. God or Satan vs. Jesus. He is not even an equal to Them, Satan works for God, but he doesn't know it! LoL. He is a created being and Jesus is God, there is no comparison or competition here. However, there is a created being who superseded him in every area and now has the highest place of honor in Heaven, just under the God-Head, and that is Mary. That is why she has been given the title the Queen of Heaven.

#### Satan Vs Mary

Created being.	Created being.
Was the highest Angel in Heaven.	Blessed among all women.
Full of Pride.	Full of Humility.
Fell in his call	Fulfilled her call.
Unfaithful.	Faithful.
No authority.	Full of authority.

He loses Every time.....

**Message From Jesus to Mother Elisha:  
Entrust Your Heart To My Mother**

Jesus began,

*“She is the Ark of the Covenant; the First Church as she became a temple of the Holy Spirit; the City of God. For where she is, I dwell, and where I am, all of Heaven is. Many still don’t understand as Satan has continued to fill My Church with error and heresies pertaining to her. Her hiddenness was permitted by God. We did that deliberately not only for her safety and protection, but she is a gift for those that would seek Me deeply, I lead you to her. You see, she is My Mother. No creature on earth has ever loved Me the way she has, suffered the way she did, and persevered in perfect faith and virtue in life. What son would not want his mother honored and glorified? For those who continue to slander her, dismiss her, and dishonor, I don’t take lightly My beloved ones. You are speaking about My Mother, the one who gave birth to Me, nourished Me, raised Me, and loved Me unto death. Why do you continue to walk in your obstinance when I have used so many to come to you in truth concerning who she is to Me, to the Church, and to you? Why do you feel as though I wouldn’t want you to love her, adore her, honor her and pray with her?”*

*Think about it My beloved ones. An earthly spouse who has a good relationship with their mother would want you to do the same as they desire for you to fall in love with your mother-in-law, to become like a daughter or son to them. Seeking them for wisdom, counsel, and many times prayer in your marriage or for your family. So, why wouldn’t I want the same for My spouse? It’s pride, self-will, and an undercurrent of a religious spirit for many as they continue to walk with hardened hearts towards My Mother. These may be hard words My beloved ones but, I am wanting all My brides to entrust their hearts to My mother. In Heaven, she has a glory above any angel and all creatures combined, for she most resembled Me perfectly than any soul that was created. I stand at the right hand of the Father and she too has a throne at His left side under Me. You see she is the Queen of Heaven and she has been given all authority over*

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*My Church which all her children. Her time of glory is here as the veil of her hiddenness is being removed, and I want more and more to receive her into their hearts and entrust their hearts to hers. You see, our hearts are united beloved ones, just as Simeon prophesied to her: "a sword will pierce your heart" (Lk. 2:35), that sword was the cross which pierced her physically and spiritually as she too endured much of My suffering. Even after I ascended she consented to stay down on earth for love of you, My beloved brides, for love of the Church. Out of love for you, she endured 20 more years of suffering exile away from Me, whom she loved the most because she knew the Apostles needed her. She was the pillar and the first foundation outside of Myself that helped build the Church as Paul said, "lay no other foundation outside of Christ" (1 Cor. 3:11). She is one of the most important stones many in the Church continue to reject. A reprimand is coming to this nation and it's only by her intercession that this nation will see the light of restoration and healing because the door of mercy will be closed. So no amount of prayers, supplication, or petition to the Father will move His hand because His justice has to be poured out.*

*However, she is the Mother of Mercy, and she stands in the gap being an advocate for you and for this nation. Because of her merits and love for Me, graces will be poured out again upon souls, families, the hearts of men and in your nation, to turn their hearts back to Me. She is Mary, full of grace, blessed among all women (Lk. 1:28) with all authority and glory next to Me. Any souls that entrust themselves into her protection, guidance, counsel, and leading, will not only be saved but will indeed persevere and finish this race of faith well, in the hour of testing and trial, that is to come upon the whole world. I want My brides to know her, love her and pray with her for My perfect will in your lives and that of this nation. There is no excuse stopping you now, My beloved ones. I have spoken. I am leading you to My Mother, and as your Beloved Spouse, I want your heart entrusted to her that she will keep it safe, pure, and steadfast in loving Me until I come for you.*

*My beloved spouse, this is your Mother, and My beloved Mother, this is your child." That was the end of Jesus' message.*

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