

Novena in Honor of Our Lady of the Rosary of La Naval

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- I. Opening Song (Standing)
- II. Prayer for Everyday

Leader: Lord our God,

People: I come before you once more to offer to you my prayers. I have made my pleas to you again and again, and each moment I do, the more my faith increases that you are truly the God of life and of love.

However, there have been a number of times also that I fail to call on You. That I fail to love my neighbors. That I fail to keep my promises. That I fail to ask for pardon and to give pardon to others. That I fail to give thanks for all the blessings that come my way. And yet in all these moments, you are ever present O Lord, to remind me that you are just around to take me back once more if I will but come to you.

By meditating on the mysteries of the Holy Rosary especially in this novena in honor of the Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval, may I be led to find your presence in my life as Mother Mary found it in her own life. In every mystery of my joy, in every mystery of my sorrow, in every mystery of my glory, may I be able to recognize your hand that I may know you are indeed the Emmanuel, the God who is with us, now and forever. Amen.

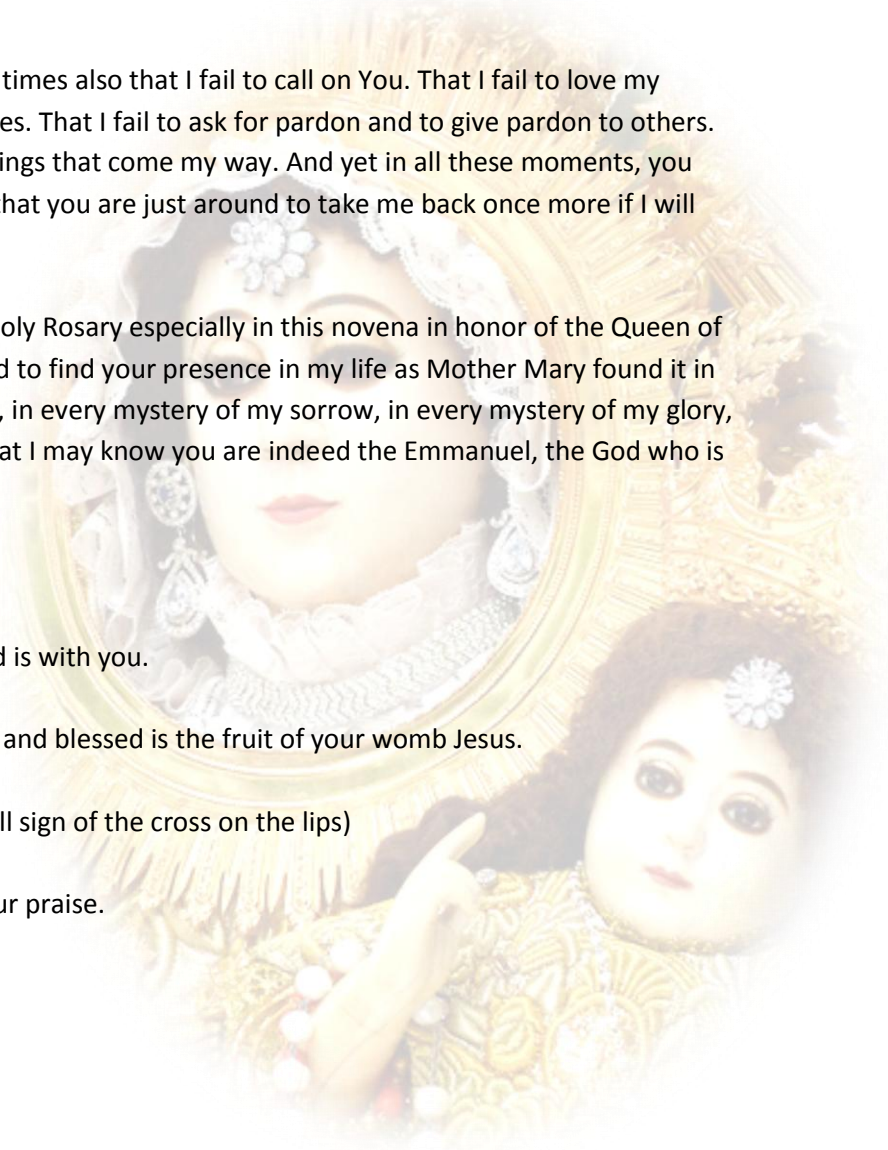
III. The Holy Rosary (kneeling)

Leader: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you.

People: Blessed are you among women and blessed is the fruit of your womb Jesus.

Leader: Lord, open my lips (make a small sign of the cross on the lips)

People: And my mouth shall declare your praise.



Leader: God, come to my assistance (make another sign of the cross as in the usual way)

People: Lord, make haste to help me.

Leader: Glory be to the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit,

People: As it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. Amen.

The Joyful Mysteries

1. The Annunciation
2. The Visitation
3. The Birth of Our Lord
4. The Presentation of the Lord at the Temple
5. The Finding of the Lord at the Temple

The Sorrowful Mysteries

1. The Agony in the Garden
2. The scourging at the Pillar
3. The Crowning with Thorns
4. The Carrying of the Cross
5. The Crucifixion of Our Lord

The Glorious Mysteries

1. The Resurrection of Our Lord
2. The Ascension of Our Lord
3. The Descent of the Holy Spirit
4. The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
5. The Coronation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Luminous Mysteries

1. The Baptism in the Jordan
2. The Manifestation at the Wedding of Cana
3. The Proclamation of the Kingdom
4. The Transfiguration
5. The Institution of the Holy Eucharist

Litany in Honor of Mary Our Mother

Lord, have mercy on us

- **Lord, have mercy on us**

Christ, have mercy on us

- **Christ have mercy on us**

Lord, have mercy on us

- **Lord, have mercy on us**

Christ, hear us

- **Christ, graciously hear us**

God our Father in Heaven

- **Have mercy on us**

God, the son Redeemer of the world

- **Have mercy on us**

God the Holy Spirit

- **Have mercy on us**

Holy Trinity, one God

- **Have mercy on us**



Holy Mary
Holy Mother of God
Holy Virgins of virgins
Mother of Christ
Mother of the Church
Mother of Divine grace
Mother most pure
Mother of chaste
Mother inviolate
Mother undefiled
Mother most amiable
Mother most admirable
Mother of Good Counsel
Mother of our Creator
Mother of our Savior
Virgin most prudent
Virgin most renowned
Virgin most powerful
Virgin most merciful
Virgin most faithful
Mirror of justice
Seat of wisdom
Cause of our joy
Spiritual vessel
Vessel of honor

Pray for us...

Singular vessel of devotion
Mystical Rose
Tower of David
Tower of ivory
House of gold
Ark of the Covenant
Gate of heaven
Morning star
Health of the sick
Refuge of sinners
Comfort of the troubled
Help of Christians
Queen of Angels
Queen of Patriarchs
Queen of Prophets
Queen of Apostles
Queen of Martyrs
Queen of Confessors
Queen of Virgins
Queen of all Saints
Queen conceived without original sin
Queen assumed in to heaven
Queen of the Holy Rosary
Queen of peace
Queen of the Family

Pray for us...

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,

- **Spare us O Lord**

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,

- **Graciously hear us O Lord**

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,

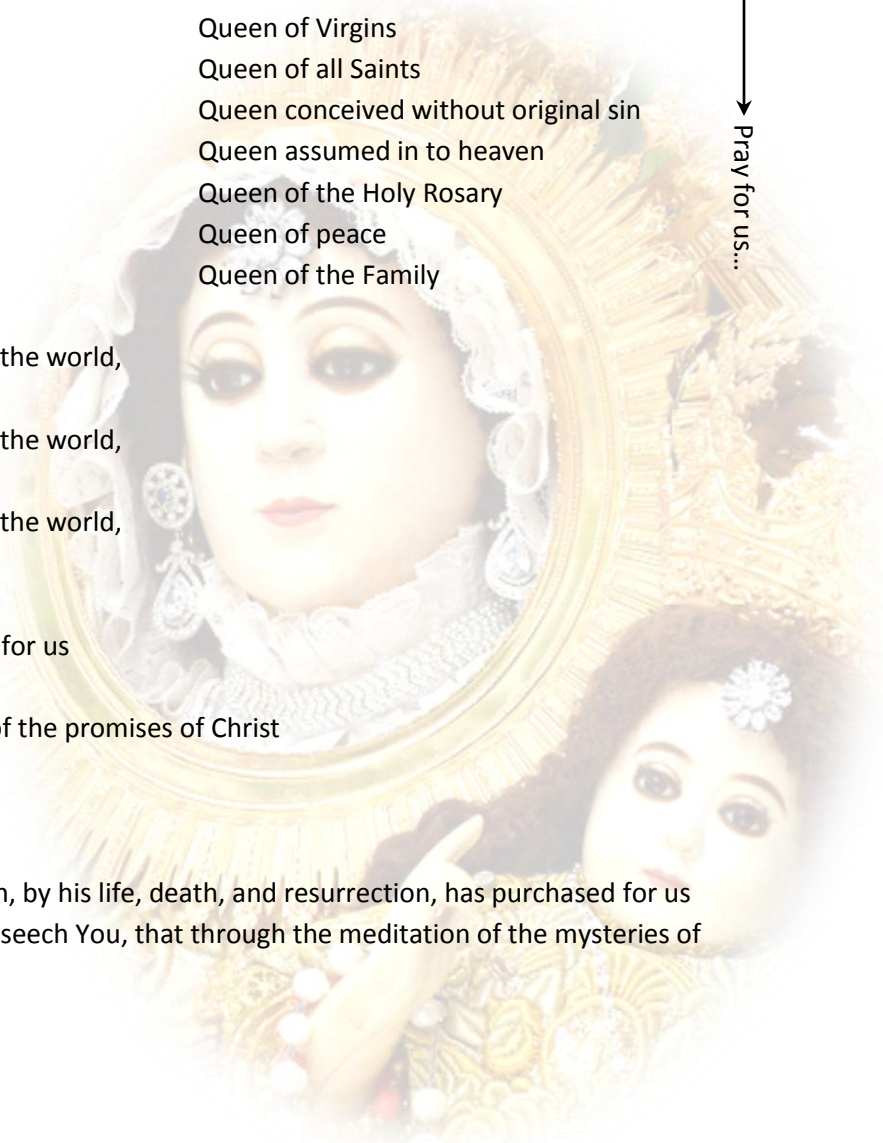
- **Have mercy on us**

Leader: Queen of the Holy Rosary, pray for us

People: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ

Leader: Let us pray.

People: O God whose only begotten Son, by his life, death, and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life; grant, we beseech You, that through the meditation of the mysteries of



the Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise through Christ our Lord.

Extend O Lord to your servants your heavenly aid that we may seek you with all our hearts and obtain what we ask.

Hear, O Lord, our prayers and grant to our deceased associated the rest of heaven and to your Church peace, through the intercession of the glorious Virgin Mary and the merits of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

IV. Prayer to St. Joseph

People: Behold the faithful and wise servant whom the master has placed over his household.

Leader: The Lord has shown him his love and covered him with glory.

People: He has clothed him with a splendid garment.

Leader: Let us pray.

People: Almighty God, at the beginning of our salvation when Mary conceived your Son and brought him forth into the world, you placed him under Joseph's watchful care. May his prayers still help your Church to be an equally faithful guardian of your mysteries and a sign of Christ to mankind. We make our prayers through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

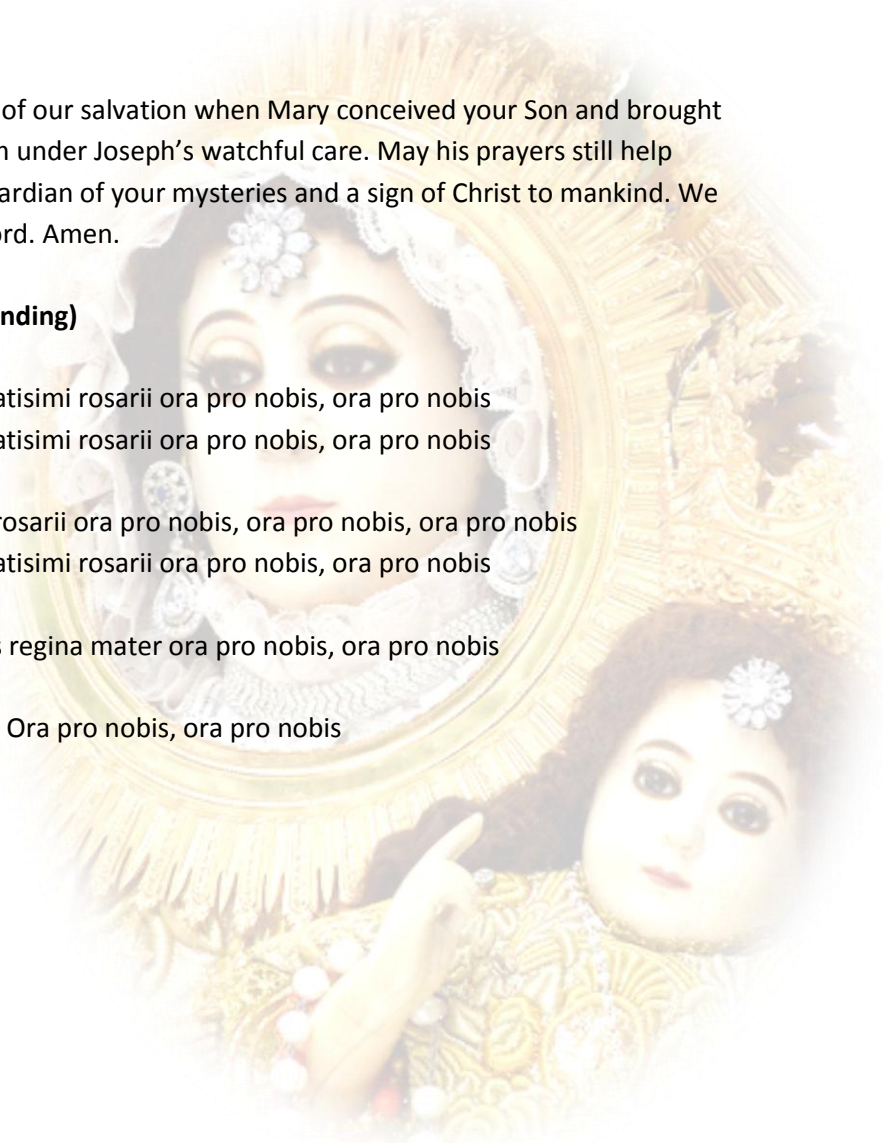
V. Regina Sacratissimi Rosarii (Standing)

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Ora pro nobis, ora pro nobis



VI. Prayer for Each Day of the Novena (Kneeling)

First Day

Leader: In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent by God to a town in Galilee called Nazareth, to a virgin betrothed to a man named Joseph, of the House of David; and the virgin's name was Mary. He went and said to her, "Rejoice, you who enjoy God's favor. The Lord is with you...You are to be conceived in your womb and bear a son and you must name him Jesus.." Mary said, "You see before you the Lord's servant, let it happen to me as you have said." (Lk. 1:26-28,31,38)

(A moment of silence)

Leader: O Mother Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval,

People: At your tender age, you have manifested to us a shining example of how it is to obey the will of God. It was your obedience that gave way to the incarnation of the Lord. Help me, O Mother Mary, that I may imitate your example. May I learn to abide by the Lord's will for me. May I also learn to devote myself to Him through a genuine service to others, a truthful knowledge of His Word and wholehearted reception of the sacraments. May I also love Him the way you loved him that His Word may also be done unto me.

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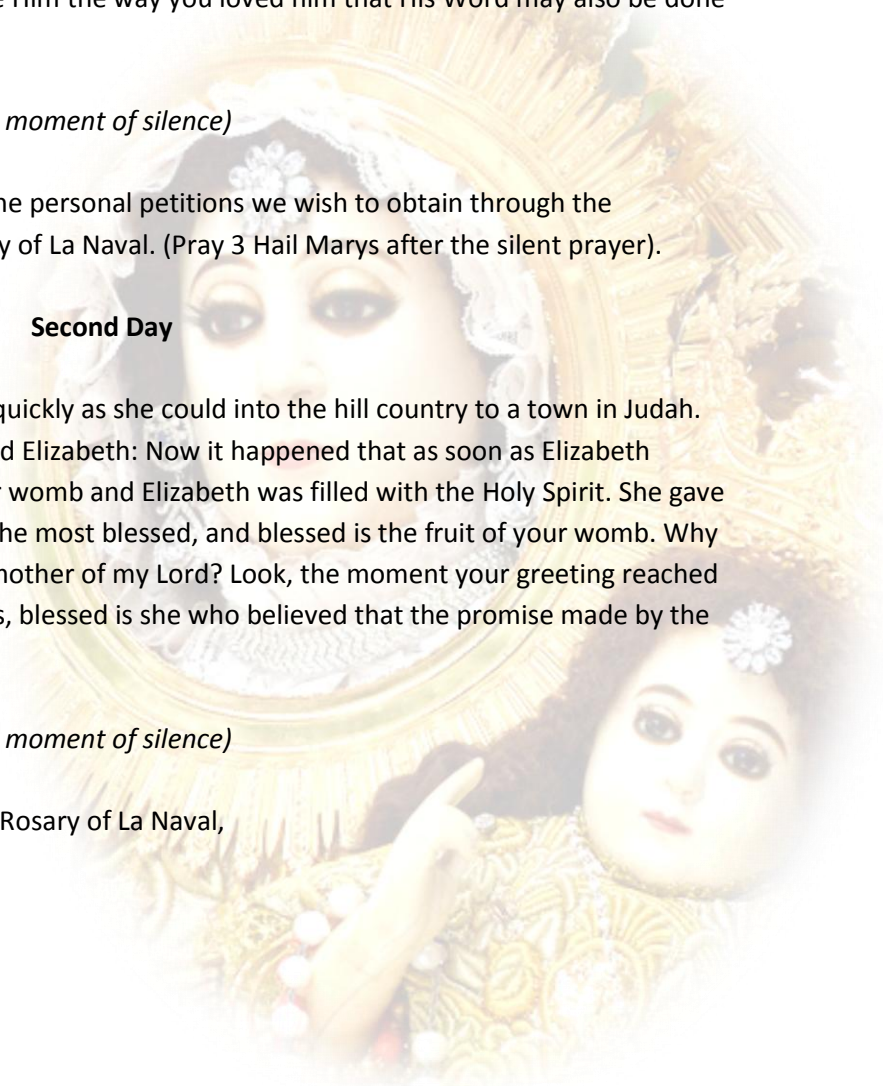
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Second Day

Leader: Mary set out at the time and went quickly as she could into the hill country to a town in Judah. She went into Zechariah's house and greeted Elizabeth: Now it happened that as soon as Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the child leapt in her womb and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit. She gave a loud cry and said, "Of all women you are the most blessed, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. Why should I be honoured with a visit from the mother of my Lord? Look, the moment your greeting reached ears, the child in my womb leapt for joy. Yes, blessed is she who believed that the promise made by the Lord would be fulfilled. " (Lk. 1:39-45)

(A moment of silence)

Leader: O Mother Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval,



People: Your visit to your cousin Elizabeth has been a cause of rejoicing for her. You were indeed a true messenger of the Good News because you can truly reveal to the people around you the power and love of God. May I also be able to bring the Good News to the people in my midst especially to the members of my family and to those people dear to me. May I always remember that love grows its roots at home. And if I desire to be an effective messenger of the Good News, it is in my home where I should begin.

(A moment of silence)

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Third Day

Leader: And when the day came for them to be purified in keeping with the Law of Moses, they took him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord – observing what is written in the Law of the Lord: Every first born male must be consecrated to the Lord – and also to offer in sacrifice, in accordance with what is prescribed in the Law of the Lord, a pair of turtledoves of two young pigeons. (Lk. 1:22-25)

(A moment of silence)

Leader: O Mother Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval,

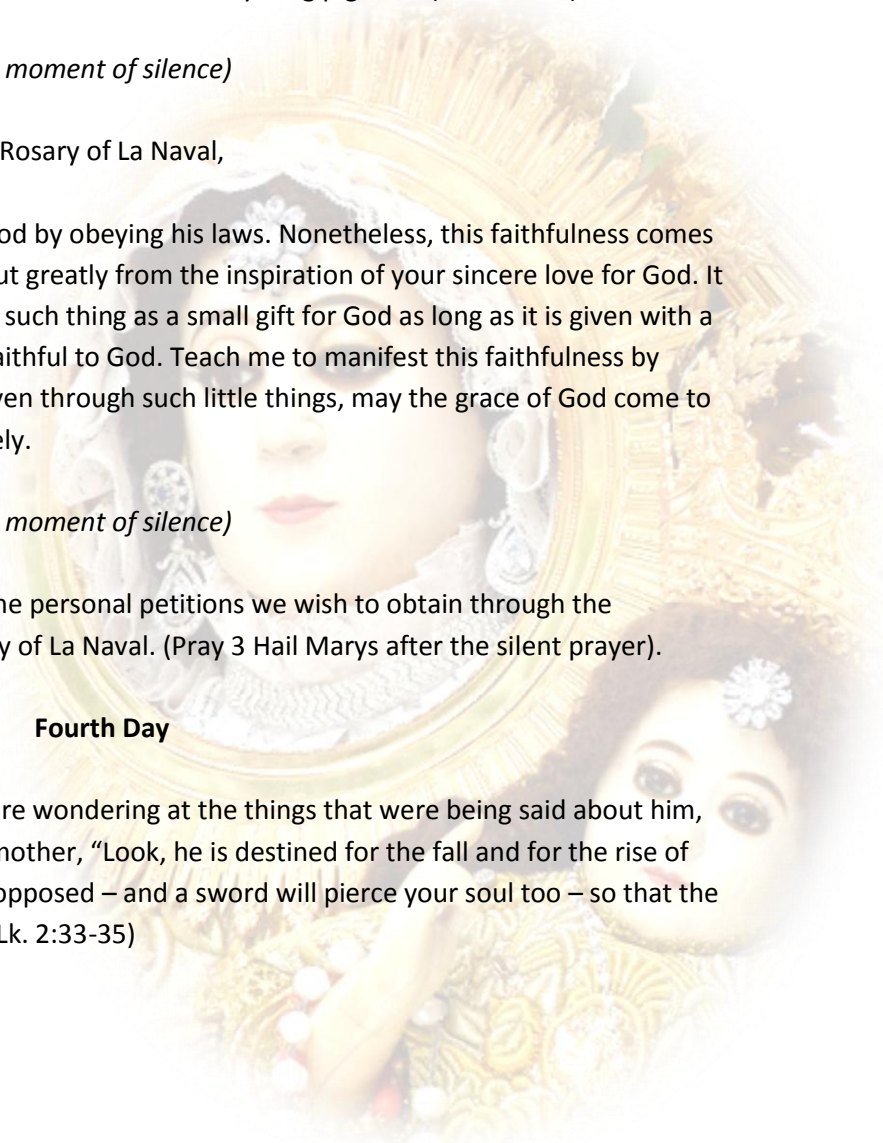
People: You manifest your faithfulness to God by obeying his laws. Nonetheless, this faithfulness comes not simply from the prompting of the law but greatly from the inspiration of your sincere love for God. It is this love that teaches you that there is no such thing as a small gift for God as long as it is given with a big heart. Teach me O Mother Mary to be faithful to God. Teach me to manifest this faithfulness by offering to Him even the little things I do. Even through such little things, may the grace of God come to me to help me offer myself to him completely.

(A moment of silence)

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Fourth Day

Leader: As the child's father and mother were wondering at the things that were being said about him, Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Look, he is destined for the fall and for the rise of many in Israel, destined to be a sign that is opposed – and a sword will pierce your soul too – so that the secret thoughts of many may be laid bare. (Lk. 2:33-35)



(A moment of silence)

Leader: O Mother Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval,

People: You were chosen to be the Mother of God. And being the Mother of God, you were chosen not only share in the glory but also in the sacrifice which your Son was bound to undertake. Yet all these, you bore with a humble heart knowing that the taste of glory is rewarded only to those who have paid the price of great sacrifice.

O Mother Mary, may I always remember that there is nothing in this world that can surpass the glory of life that is promised by the Lord. Pray that I may be worthy of it by sharing in his suffering and to be preserving through it all.

(A moment of silence)

Leader: In silence, let us now offer to God the personal petitions we wish to obtain through the intercession of the Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval. (Pray 3 Hail Marys after the silent prayer).

Fifth Day

Leader: Near the cross of Jesus stood his mother and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Cleofas and Mary of Magdala. Seeing his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing near her, Jesus said to His mother, "Woman, this is your son." Then to the disciple he said, "This is your mother." And from that hour the disciple took her into his home. (Jn 19:25-27)

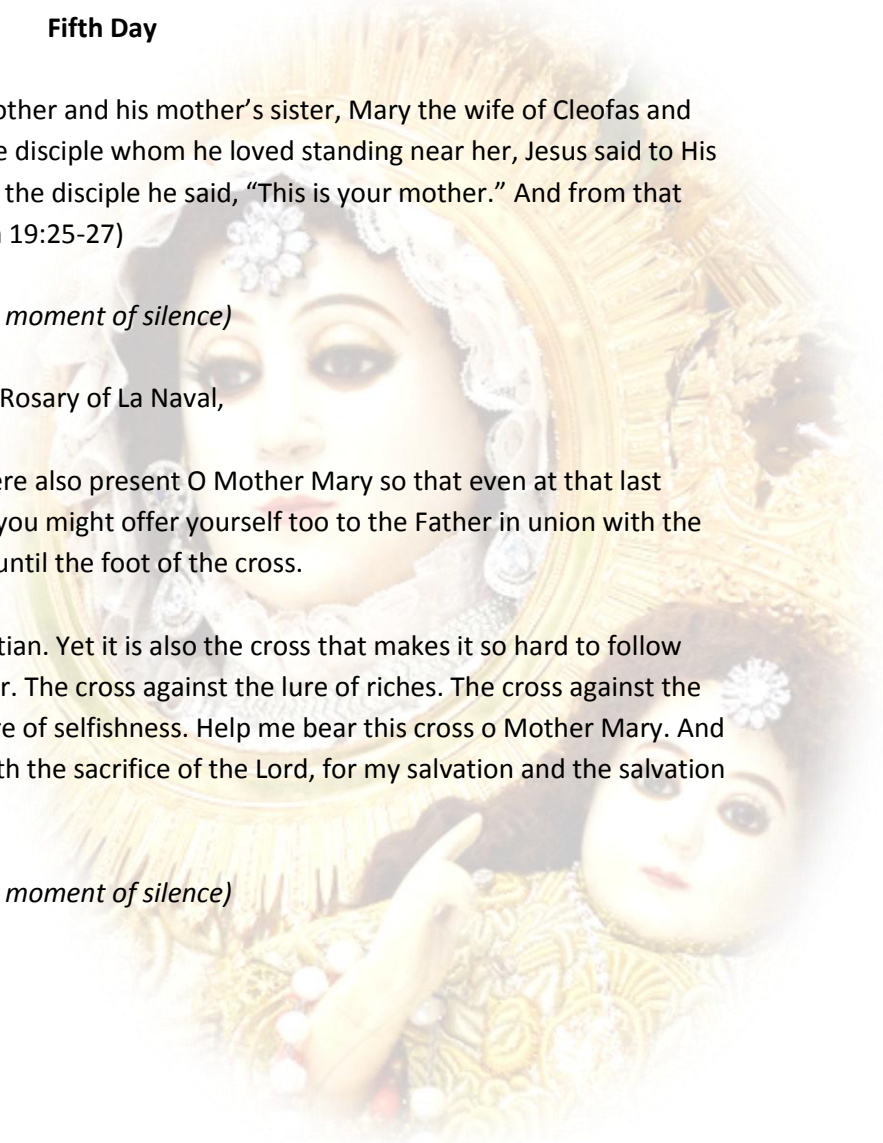
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Leader: O Mother Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval,

People: At the last hour of your son, you were also present O Mother Mary so that even at that last moment you might offer him love and that you might offer yourself too to the Father in union with the son's offering of himself. You followed him until the foot of the cross.

Indeed, the cross is the mark of a true Christian. Yet it is also the cross that makes it so hard to follow the Lord. The cross against the lure of power. The cross against the lure of riches. The cross against the lure of worldliness. The cross against the lure of selfishness. Help me bear this cross O Mother Mary. And like you, may I also unite myself in union with the sacrifice of the Lord, for my salvation and the salvation of other too.

(A moment of silence)



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Sixth Day

Leader: In the evening of that same day, the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, "Peace be with you." And after saying this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy at seeing the Lord and he said to them again, "Peace be with you." (Jn 20:19-20)

(A moment of silence)

Leader: O Mother Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval,

People: The resurrection of the Lord was a Good News not only for you but also for the apostles and all those people who have kept their faith in him. In the sight of the whole world, the Lord has revealed himself in glory – the glory that brings peace.

Pray O Mother Mary that I may have a share in this glory. What good could passing pleasure bring me if my life is bare of meaning? What good could come from praises, from riches, from greatness if I find no direction in life? What would it profit me to have everything, O Mother Mary, if I remain a slave of sin? This is not what I seek. What I seek is a new life. A new life where I would find the peace which the resurrected Lord brings. Pray for me O Mother Mary. Pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

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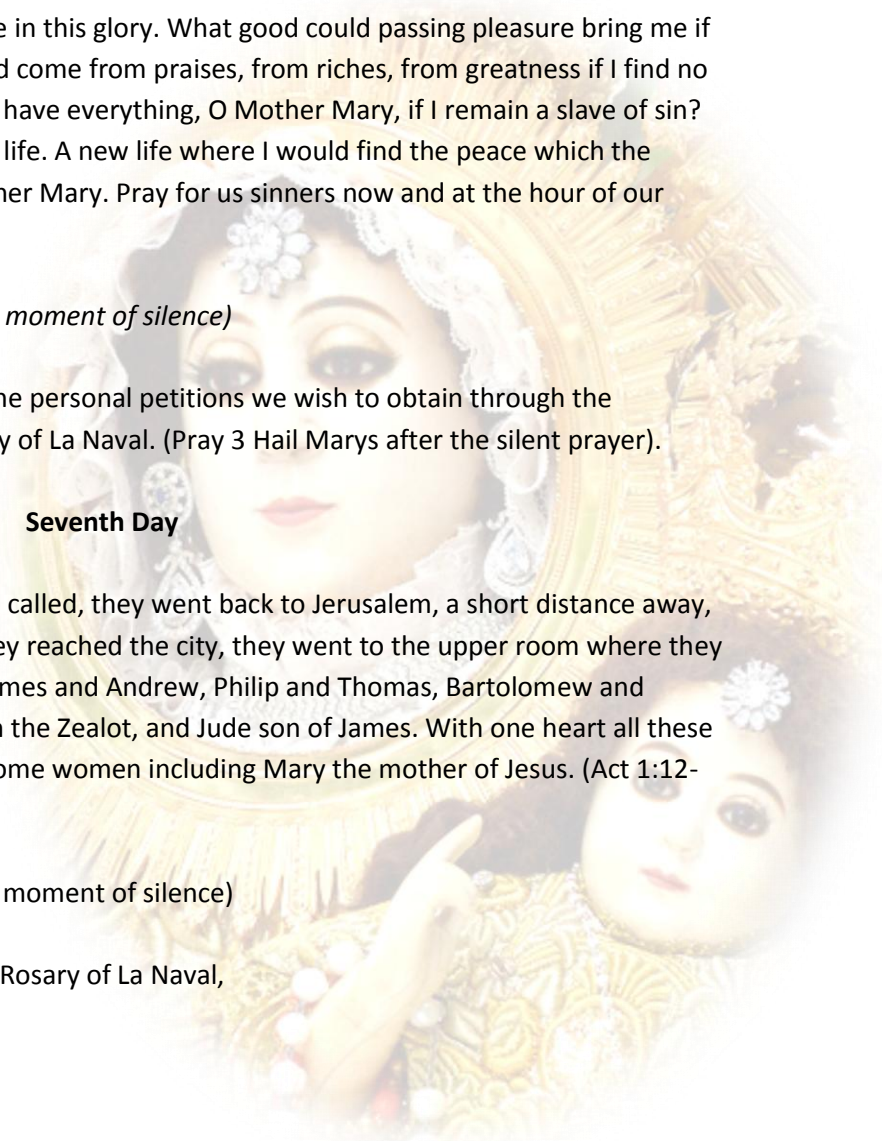
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Seventh Day

Leader: So from the Mount of Olives, as it is called, they went back to Jerusalem, a short distance away, no more than a Sabbath walk; and when they reached the city, they went to the upper room where they were staying; there were Peter and John, James and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartolomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus and Simon the Zealot, and Jude son of James. With one heart all these joined constantly in prayer, together with some women including Mary the mother of Jesus. (Act 1:12-14)

(A moment of silence)

Leader: O Mother Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval,



People: You were with the apostles since the early days of the Church. This is so because you were aware that union with the Church is an important part of the following of Christ; because you believed that no one lives nor dies for oneself alone.

O Mother Mary, I am a part of the Church, but how do I give witness to it? Do I see myself the enthusiasm and joy whenever I join the celebration of the sacraments or whenever I engage myself in prayer? Do I see in myself the concern for other people and the effort to be one with them in their sorrow and joy like a true and compassionate Christian?

Help me be aware O Mother Mary of my responsibilities and grant me the inspiration to perform all these for the good of the Church whose Mother and Intercessor you are.

(A moment of silence)

Leader: In silence, let us now offer to God the personal petitions we wish to obtain through the intercession of the Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval. (Pray 3 Hail Marys after the silent prayer).

Eight Day

Leader: How blessed are the poor in spirit, the kingdom of heaven is theirs. Blessed are the gentle: they shall have the earth as inheritance. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for uprightness: they shall have their fill. Blessed are the pure in heart: they shall see God. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven. (Mt. 5:3-4,6,8,12)

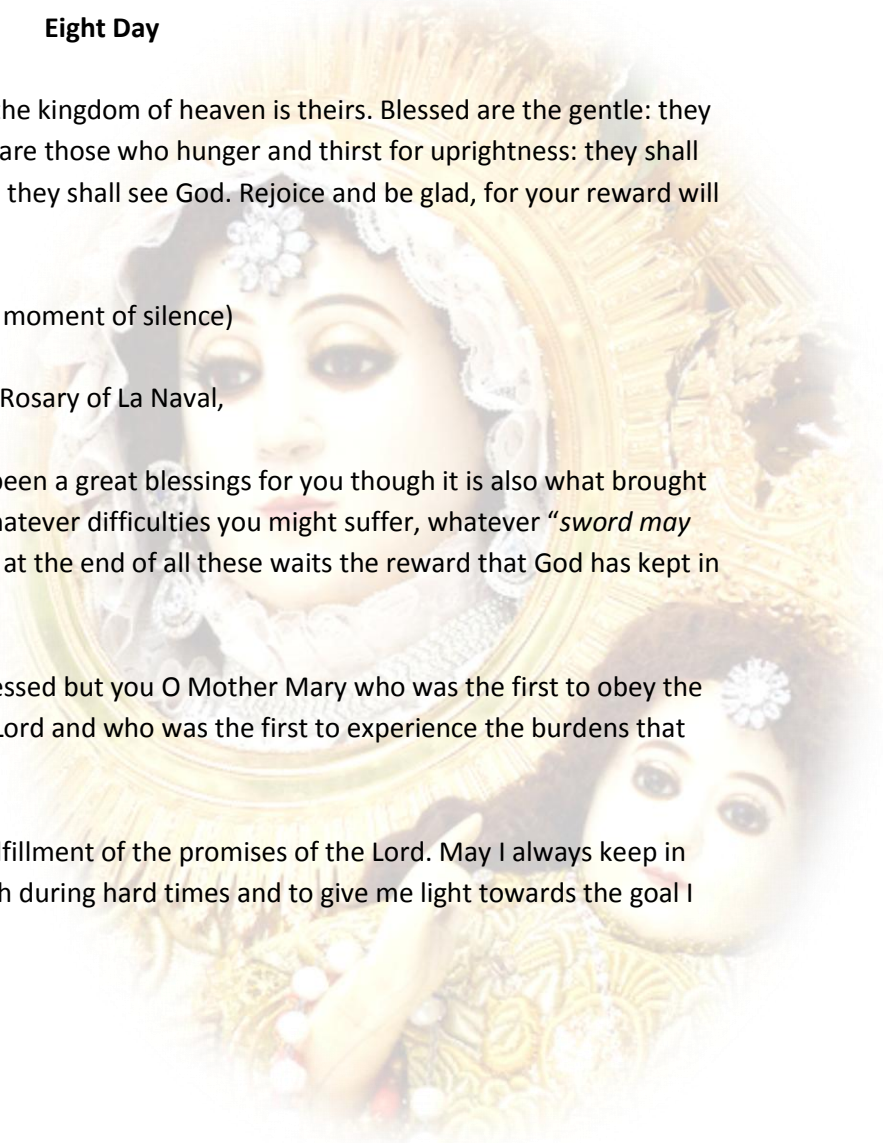
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Leader: O Mother Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval,

People: Your being the mother of God has been a great blessings for you though it is also what brought you to a great trial. Yet you did not mind whatever difficulties you might suffer, whatever "*sword may pierce your soul*" because you believed that at the end of all these waits the reward that God has kept in store for all those who enjoyed His favor.

And who else should be first to be called blessed but you O Mother Mary who was the first to obey the will of God, who was the first to follow the Lord and who was the first to experience the burdens that come with it.

You are the image O Mother Mary of the fulfillment of the promises of the Lord. May I always keep in my heart these promises to give me strength during hard times and to give me light towards the goal I seek.



(A moment of silence)

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Ninth Day

Leader: My being proclaims the greatness of the Lord, my spirit finds joy in God my savior, for he has looked upon his servant in her lowliness; all ages to come shall call me blessed. God who is mighty has done great things for me, holy is his name. (Lk 1:46-49)

(A moment of silence)

Leader: O Mother Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary of La Naval,

People: Like yours, my soul also praises the Lord and my spirit likewise rejoices because of the great things that the Lord has done for you. Because of them, you have become our intercessor and companion in our prayers and praises to the Lord.

Within the nine days of this novena, I have come to reflect on the great things that may also happen to me if I will but grow in the likeness of your dedication and love for the Lord.

I am aware that things should not end in this novena. Greater challenges await me as I continue to pursue the journey of life. But now, I have a greater courage to face them all, because I believe that the Lord always takes care of his lowly servants like me. And because I believe, that I have a blessed Mother in you to whom I can always turn to, and a blessed Mother who shall always pray for me.

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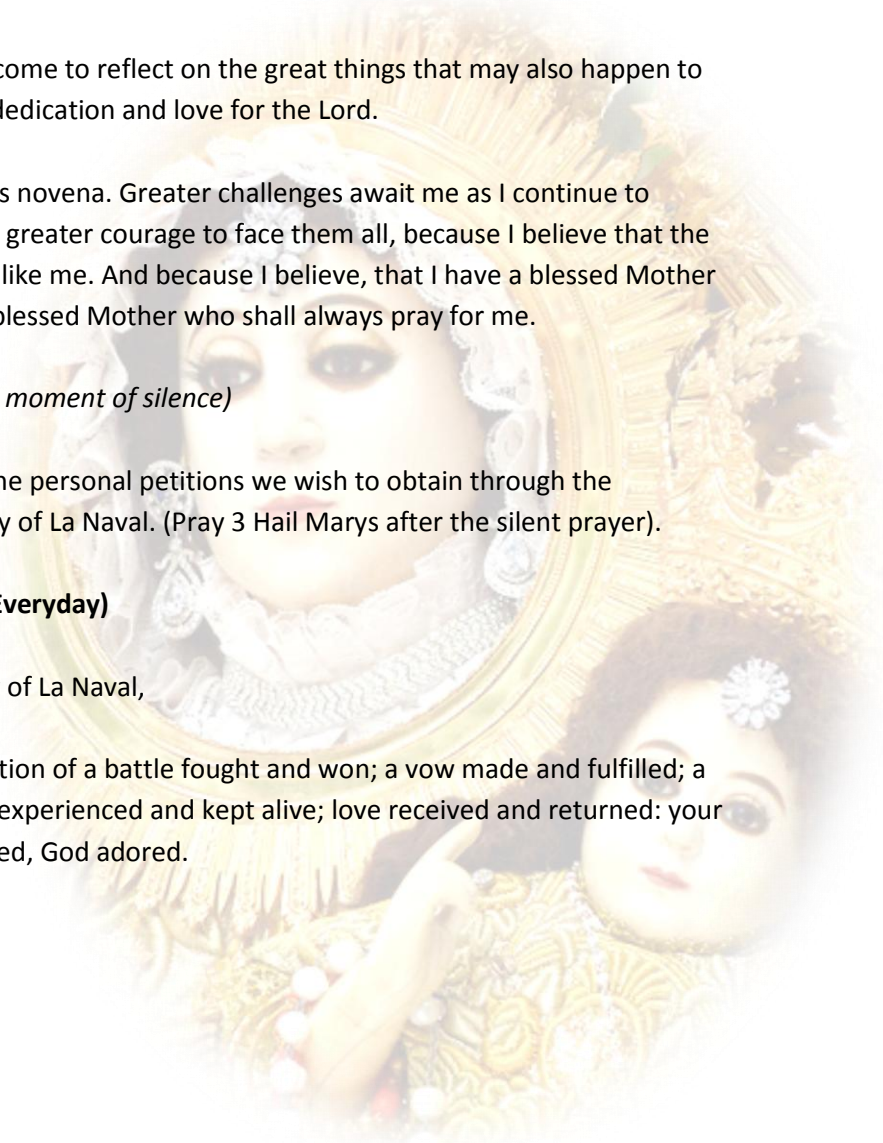
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VII. Thanksgiving (Final Prayer for Everyday)

Leader: Queen of the Holy Rosary, Our Lady of La Naval,

People: We gather as one people in celebration of a battle fought and won; a vow made and fulfilled; a time remembered and held dear; a miracle experienced and kept alive; love received and returned: your patronage sought and thanks for: God praised, God adored.

Leader: Mahal Naming Ina,



People: As our lips move in whispered prayers, our hands over beads, our knees bend, our eyes look up to you, we plead for your mercy, your grace, your love.

Leader: O Mother of Peace,

People: Give birth to God in our hearts. Give birth to Peace in our world. Give birth to the Word who heals all strife, conquers sin with love, overcomes death, brings us life. As once you interceded for the victory of faith in these islands, pray for us, now, in our struggle for truth and justice, for peace and love in Christ.

Leader: O Queen of the Philippine,

People: In your loving hands, you hold Jesus, our God, our King, our Savior. You hold Him for us to adore and serve, to love and find salvation in. O Mother and Queen, our hearts may be small, but our love is enormous. And we ask you to come and take your place in us, in the company of your beloved Son; to bless us with your abiding presence to fill us and keep us in your love and protection; to lead us in the eternal Fiat and Magnificat to God in whose name we gather. Amen.

