

The Messages of the Virgin Mary as told to Nathalie Mukamazimpaka

> During the Apparitions of January 12, 1982 to December 3, 1983

> > **Public Message**

## Background

Mary appeared in Kibeho, Rwanda November 28, 1981 to November 28, 1989.

She appeared to three young high school students starting with the dates below:

Alphonsine Mumureke November 28, 1981

Nathalie Mukamazimpaka January 12, 1982

Marie Claire Mukangango March 2, 1982





Left to right (above): Nathalie Mukamazimpaka, Marie Claire Mukangango and Alphonsine Mumureke

The Catholic Church approved the apparitions and recognized these three official visionaries on June 29, 2001



Bishop Augustin Misago, Bishop of Gikongoro Diocese on June 29, 2001



Bishop Jean-Baptiste Gahamanyi, Bishop of Butare Diocese during the apparitions; Kibeho was part of the Butare Diocese until June 28, 1992, when it became part of the Gikongoro Diocese under the leadership of Bishop Augustin Misago



Bishop Célestin Hakizimana, current Bishop of Gikongoro Diocese

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## The Key Messages of Our Lady of Kibeho

- An urgent call to repentance and to the conversion of hearts. "Repent, repent, repent!" "Convert your heart when there is still time."
- A diagnosis of the moral state of the world: "The world is very unwell. The world races to its loss, it risks to fall into the abyss, which means to be immersed in innumerable and unceasing tragedies. The world is in rebellion against God, too many sins are committed in it. There is neither love nor peace. If you don't repent and convert your hearts, you will all fall into the abyss."
  - The Virgin's deep sadness. The seers say to have been really surprised to see Her weeping on August 15, 1982. The Mother of the Word is strongly afflicted because of the incredulity and the impenitence of the human beings. She complains about our bad behavior characterized by dissolution of morality, dissensions, complaisance in the evil, continued disobedience to the commandments of God.
- Faith and unbelief will come unexpectedly (Ngo ukwemera ubuhakanyi bizaza mu mayeri). This is one of the so-called mysterious words said

once more by the Virgin to Alphonsine at the beginnings of the apparitions, with request to repeat it to all humankind.

- Salvific sufferings: this theme is one of the most important in the history of the apparitions of Kibeho. Especially for Nathalie Mukamazimpaka. For a Christian, the suffering, otherwise unavoidable in this life on earth, is an obliged path to reach the Heavenly glory. The Virgin said to Her seers, notably Nathalie on May 15, 1982. "No one gets to Heaven without suffering" or "Mary's child doesn't separate the suffering." But the suffering also is a means of expiaping for the sin of the world and to participate in the sufferinas of Jesus and Marv for the salvation of the world. The seers have been invited to live this message in a concrete way, to accept the sufferings in faith and joy, to mortify themselves and to renounce the pleasures for the conversion of the world. Thus, Kibeho reminds us of the place of the cross in the Christian and Church life.
- Pray unceasingly and without hypocrisy: human beings don't pray; and even among those who pray, many don't pray properly.

The Virgin asks us (through the seers) to pray a lot for the world, to teach others to pray and to pray in the place of those who don't pray. The Virgin asks us to put more goodwill in praying and to pray without hypocrisy.

Devotion to Mary, notably concretized by a regular and sincere recitation of the Rosary.

The Rosary of the Seven Sorrows of the Virgin Mary; the seer Marie Claire Mukangango says to have received some revelation on the topic. The Virgin likes this Rosary a lot. Know in the past, it had fallen into oblivion. Our Lady of Kibeho wants it to be put in honor and spread in the Church. But the Rosary of the Seven Sorrows doesn't replace the Holy Rosary.

The Virgin wants us to construct a chapel in memory of Her apparitions in Kibeho. This theme carries up from Alphonsine's apparition on January 16, 1982 and comes back repeatedly during that year, especially by Nathalie, with new developments. Pray unceasingly for the Church because strong tribulations are waiting it in the coming time; so said the Virgin to Alphonsine on August 15, 1983 and on November 28, 1983.



# A Translation of Nathalie's Diary

Mary appeared to Nathalie from January 12, 1982 to December 3, 1983.

Nathalie was born in Munini, Rwanda on January 21, 1964 to Laurent Ngango (died in 2014) and Gaudence Kabaziga (died in 1998). She was born in the parish of Muganza, 15 kilometers from Kibeho. She attended the Girls College of Kibeho. Nathalie was the fourth born of eight children.

A translation of Nathalie's diary follows:

January 12, 1982 Dormitory First Apparition

- "Nathalie my child, I am grieved because I sent my message and you (people) did not receive it as much as I wished."
- I got filled with sadness and cried just like the same way I saw Her grieving.
- **+** *"For you to cry it is Me punishing you but it does not mean you sin more than others, instead it is an example to show others that I can punish them."*
- She kept telling many things.
- \* "Nathalie my daughter, pray hard (three times) pray for the world because it is bad."
- "Go and get the book from your prayer place, and read it, understand it, so that you may read for others what you have understood. Worldly pleasures will end, but Heavenly treasures will never end."

- "You will be sad in your life."
- *"I will tell you who I am when I come back."*

## January 13, 1982

"Nathalie my daughter do not be frightened, it is Me the 'Mother of God' talking to you (Like I said before I am the Mother of the Word)."

February 6, 1982 Outside The first vision that happened outside in public

- \* "This is where I will be finding you in public, for everyone to see."
- I was with Alphonsine.
- *"In your prayers, you should inflict yourselves, repent, and fast."*

### March 2, 1982

- "The reason why they get scared when I make an appearance is because I don't live on Earth so that they see Me. For those that I do, I do it unexpectedly."
- **t** "You should put more effort in praying and changing hearts."
- "You should pray without hypocrisy. Some of you pray with insincerity."
- The Blessed Mary blessed the water for the first time and Marie Claire saw Mary for the first time.

## March 25, 1982

"If you seek My help with faith, I will help in whatever you need. If you try to tell others, I will help you with that."

## April 30, 1982

- # "I give how I want, and whenever I want."
- I had asked for ever living water (from a well that does not dry).
- # "I am the same Virgin Mary, but I appear in many ways."
- "You must seek Me always, praying the Rosary and other prayers."

## May 1, 1982

- "I give however I want."
- I had asked for ever living water.
- "I appeared to you, the people of Kibeho, what will you do so that others will see that you have been given something that others have not seen?"
- **†** *"Pray earnestly and try to do good deeds."*
- *"I come to guide people and show them the way to Jesus."*
- \* "A person does not need a blessing once but all the time."



- Messages from the Virgin Mary
- Nathalie Mukamazimpaka

May 15, 1982 Outside

- "Just like I was inflicted, but was patient, that is why people I appear to, face hard times, so that I can tell if they are able to deal with the world."
- **+** "One who works for Heaven does not give up, but one who works for the world gives up."
- "No one goes to Heaven without experiencing sorrow."

### May 19, 1982

- "This house is nowhere else, neither are these flowers."
- She showed the chapel for the first time.

## May 22, 1982

"In the sorrows that I give, I want for everyone to receive the sorrow that I give them. And receive it with pleasure, and they should receive it humbly."

## May 25, 1982

- "It is good to laugh, it creates happiness, happiness hides a lot of things whereas sadness shows a lot of things."
- **t** *"What does it mean that the world has grown teeth?"*

## May 31, 1982 Public

- **+** *"There is no dirt in Heaven, and there is no humidity. All we do in Heaven is praise God."*
- "I brought what you have asked for = it rained a lot immediately. It was pouring from one place but would spread everywhere (miracle)."
- **+** *"I give My blessings to all to see all people as flowers for the first time. Time for blessings.*
- **†** "Do not get tired of asking."

## June 24, 1982 Public

- **+** "You should tell all this to the Bishop."
- **+** *"This house (chapel) is called 'the unifier of the scattered."*
- "It is a place where those who seek My will find joy."
- "The water you ask of Me is not the only one that gives blessings, but the signs coming from Me are what blessings are."
- "You should pray the Rosary carefully and say it humbly. After praying, you should give thanks."

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"... you should never go anywhere else besides Kibeho. You must stay here. And you should not go home."

#### July 6, 1982

- She showed me terror and war.
- "In this time, pray for the world because it is going to fall."
- "Humbly receive My will."
- *"Everyone will be rewarded according to their deeds! If you humbly receive My will you will be rewarded."*
- + "I have prepared something for everyone."
- "Pray for the world because it is going to fall."
- She showed me mountains, trees, and stones fighting each other. There was a terrifying war.
   I saw mutilated parts of humans fighting each other. I was grieved.
- "Pray for the world for it is going to fall. Pray unceasingly. It is My job for you in these sorrows of yours."
- \* "Pray very hard, for there are people who will fall in that abyss."

- **+** *"When you (people) disrespect Me, it makes Me sad."*
- **+** *"As long as you are alive, you must save many people from the abyss."*

## July 10, 1982

- + "The world has grown teeth."
- She showed me a house, it had the words, "The Sorrows of the Virgin Mary."
- **+** *"To fall in the abyss means to constantly be troubled."*
- # "When you sing, meditate on the words of the song, don't just show off your beautiful voice."
- "Like My Son gave His life to save the world, but some keep sinning, you should help Us save the world."



### July 17, 1982 Public

- **+** *"The world is going to fall, the world is bad, change hearts, repent so that you may not fall in the abyss."*
- She took me around the chapel (The same beautiful house She always shows me. She showed me a big and small house).
- **+** "You should all talk to Me and I will listen."

#### July 22, 1982

"Blessed is the one who believes without seeking a miracle. When people seek a miracle to believe, it becomes hard for them to believe without a miracle."

- "The happy ones hide a lot of things, and the sad ones show a lot of things."
- "You should always pay attention to My Seven Sorrows."

#### August 5, 1982 Chapel

- "Why do you have a broken Rosary? It does not make Me happy when you wear the Rosary for a show (fashion), what makes Me happy is for you to use it as it should be used. When you pray to Me, you should know what you mean."
- "Nothing makes Me as sad as how you run away from Me when I come to you."
- "You should pray and receive sacraments every time."
- \* "That is why I keep coming back, to remind you so that those who focus on the worldly pleasures might come back to God."
- "To repent is to stop your bad habits and pay attention to what you do. Ask for forgiveness from the bottom of your hearts. You should try hard to resist your temptations."
- *"I want you to build Me a chapel."*

- "Why do I show you and you do not see? When I tell you, you do not listen? When I wake you up, you keep sleeping? And when I call you, you do not respond."
- Give us other eyes to see what we can't see.
   And give the ears to hear what You tell us.
- "You will never see an unusual sign from Me, but my signs come differently: like unexpected rain, light, and many other signs that I have shown you but you never believed it. What will assure you when you do not respect what I show you?"
- "Everything that happens you have seen it before, and the words I speak you have heard them before, but you do not follow them. All that I show or tell you is not new."
- "You give up easily, don't you know that the flesh lusts quickly, but as soon as it receives it is over. Every time you ask Me to do something for you, and as soon as I do it, it ends there, it doesn't benefit you, and you take for granted what I have given you."
- "Don't you know that I give what I want, whenever I want and wherever I want?"

- "Whenever you ask, do it humbly, and wholeheartedly."
- **†** *"Ask for faith all the time."*

August 15, 1982 Podium, Public

- She came with sadness and tears in Her eyes.
   What makes You sad Holy Mother?
- \* "Because when I come towards you, you run away from Me. I tell you good news and you don't listen, and when I bring to you the Gospel, you do not receive it."
- # "I am sad that sin keeps multiplying, instead of reducing."
- \* "The world has gone bad, unless you fully repent. It keeps hurting Me because I want to save you from that abyss but you refuse."



- "Pray for the world my daughter, so that sin many reduce."
- Please be happy with us on this day of yours.
- "I can't be happy, when My children are not happy with Me, they are going to fall and drown."
- *"It hurts Me that you do not want to hear what I say (remind you)."*
- The usual Rosary should be recited every day. The Rosary of the Sorrows should be recited at least two times a week, on Tuesday and on Friday."
- "There will be a time that you will wish to pray, to repent, and it will be out of reach. Do what I ask you to do now."
- **+** *"When will you understand that I came for the whole world?"*
- **+** *"When will you understand that all that God wants from you is to pray."*
- **t** *"There is lack of faith on Earth."*
- **\*** *"The world is the people."*

#### August 28, 1982

- **+** "I did not come for nothing."
- "Blessed are those who differentiate the Holy Water from the usual water."
- # "Lucky are those you can tell between your (Nathalie) words and My words."

#### September 4, 1982 Public

- She taught me a song: CHORUS: "God you made me and took care of me. We will live together, in Your kingdom.
  - 1. The blessed Mother is our parent and We will live together in the kingdom. (2X)
  - 2. You should all come to Me, I am the right way to Jesus. (2X)
  - 3. Whoever seeks Me is happy, and I will reign with them in Heaven. (2X)"
- The mysterious journey I had with Her.
- She showed a variety of flowers: Nice flowers, dead flowers and dry flowers.
- "Those flowers you saw represent the people of the world. There are good and bad people."
- **+** *"The reason I keep showing you flowers is because, flowers always need someone to*

water them so that they don't die. That's the same as people. They must keep praying so that their souls are cleansed. They should be given sacraments, and should do good deeds. Flowers are people."

- She showed me two houses:
   A big one, "the unifier of the scattered people"
   A small one, The Sorrows of Virgin Mary.
- She showed me skulls of people and mountains, fighting each other.
- "The world has gone bad, the world has become wicked."
- "All the miracles that I do for you, like the rain and the stars."

### September 15, 1982 The Sorrows of the Blessed Mary

- \* "There are many who suffer, except that they do not know how to sanctify themselves in the suffering in order to live happily for Us or to be able to join My Son on the cross."
- *"I ask you to tell them what I have told you. You should talk humbly just like Me. Whoever wants to listen will listen."*

- *"I said that I appear however I want and whenever I want."*
- **+** *"Whoever I give My message, everyone knows them because they walk in the truth all the time and they are always seeking My will."*
- "To be humble: (to show humility) It means, to know that God is above all of Us. To keep seeking God. Every time we repent, pray, receive all the sacraments we are humbling ourselves to God."
- "To be humble is doing good deeds that show an example to others, accepting to help those in pain, to know that all people are the same, to have love, to live like family, we help the poor and acknowledge that we all come from God. We should respect each other, have a good heart full of love for God and others."

#### October 9, 1982

"I will never forsake My people, those who seek Me, believes in Me and makes Me their parent and asks for Me to rescue them. They will be My children and We will be together all the time." *"I never eat, Heavenly beings do not need food, they are satisfied by happiness."* 

October 30, 1982 Public We had the second mysterious journey

- \* "Today I will show you four sections of people, but I will focus on the last three..." (This was a mystical journey so it is too complicated to express in words)
  - "1. Abamarayika 7 (Seven Angels): Where they live is in ISANGANO, a gathering of angels, praising God and rescuing people.
  - 2. Abatoni (the Favored; most of them are wearing white clothes): Those are the ones living in ISENDEREZWA RY'IBYISHIMO, the fullness of joy.
  - 3. Intarambirwa (Those who persevere, wait patiently; many people were wearing mixed colors): Where they live is in ISESENGURWA, the purification."
- **+** "Do as you are told because you do not get tired for nothing."
- "Blessed is who you open this Bible for, who receives the blessing water, and whom prayers are spoken for, will be blessed because they will be healed from any kind of sickness (first blessing of healing)."

November 17, 1982

- **+** *"The name of the small chapel (in the convent of the nuns)."*
- She had asked on October 29, 1982 that it should be called "IGARURIRO" (bringing back) turning point.

#### November 22, 1982 Dormitory

- **+** *"Today you will meet a tiger in the forest where you pray from. A temptation. Pray very hard so that you may not fail."*
- **t** *"Keep praying for the world and obey what I ask from you."*

November 27, 1982 Public

- **+** *"I blame you for not praying and standing up to seek God."*
- "Most of the times you are tempted by the flesh, you polish your bodies and it causes you to fall."
- "Have you explained to them that the soul will live another life? Those who did well will live a happy life and those who did bad will be sad."

**+** *"Nobody lacks time to pray, what they lack is the willingness of the heart."* 

December 22, 1982 Public

- **+** *"Why do you ask while giving orders. And you give up easily!"*
- "You ask whatever you want from Us but you should not ask while giving orders. You should be humble and never give up because We give whatever We want, however We want and whenever We want."
- She showed me rocks: "It means that there is no one on earth who can ever unite the world in one family of God or unite them in the good deeds of God besides God himself. Just like no one can turn all these rocks into one rock."
- "Water. Those who love, seek, pray to God, and give themselves fully to Us, they will not be thirsty anymore."
- Their souls will be fine, and their souls receive extraordinary things that come from Us. Just like the body needs water in order to feel better, you should in the same way heal your souls with water that comes from Us."

- "The color white and blue: My clothes (Holy Mary). They mean that I was never conceived from sin and I am blameless."
- "Be careful and open your eyes so that you may not get lost."

January 12, 1983 Public (Anniversary)

- "Be careful so that you may not get lost. There are some people who claim to know My name, but don't be troubled, in the end, what is from Me and what is not from Me will be revealed."
- **+** *"You should tell them that you (all the three girls) are not witches."*
- "My beloved daughter, the work of praying is unpleasant in front of people, but it is valuable in the eyes of God."
- **+** *"You should replace dirt with cleanliness and replace hate with love."*



#### January 22, 1983 Public

- "To be with Us, does not fulfill the pleasures of the flesh, but of the soul. Why do you reject the cross? Does it look like Jesus' cross?"
- + "The way to the cross = the way to hurtfulness."
- "To pray = to give."
- "To seek = to beg (cry out loud/ scream)."
- "Prayers and sacraments are the core of everything."
- "You should always remember the sorrows of Jesus. Those who believe in His pain will have everlasting joy."
- \* "The world is bad, it has become wicked. The world has changed the laws of My Son into their own words."
- Holy Mary showed me despairing things.
- **+** *"Look at that flowing blood."*
- **\*** *"The world is the people."*
- **+** *"Ask and you shall receive."*

February 23, 1983 In a room with people from the commission 8th Day of Personal Fasting

- Those who have seen a lot will be asked a lot, and those who have heard a lot will be asked a lot."
- **+** *"The blessing of the Virgin Mary will strengthen you, protect you from all evil, and will give you courage to finish what She wants from you."*

February 26, 1983 Public Fasting for Lent 11th Day of Personal Fasting

 "During this fasting period, I need you to increase: To pray To love one another To repent genuinely To suffer - repent To fast To seek help from Jesus through Mary."

- **t** *"There is no one who can save people's souls when they have worldly pleasures."*
- \* "Those who have seen much will be asked more, and those who have heard a lot will be asked a lot."

### March 26, 1983 Public Fasting for Lent

- "You should not pray to Me since I am not God. I am His creation. I should be called upon."
- **+** *"When you pray, you should remember to give thanks before you ask."*
- # "I had asked you to pray for the world. Today I also ask you to pray for the souls in purgatory."
- "You should pray all the time. Don't remember Me only when you are in trouble. You should also remember Me when you are happy."
- "I always show you flowers, you should always know that it is people that I'm actually showing you."
- "The mixed-up flowers are people, it means that, people's actions are different. Everyone has their own journey, their own cross, but it is Us who decide those things."
- "You should love the way that I have chosen for you. Because it will lead you to that garden where you will be part of those flowers."
- *"I show you places where good people will end up and where bad people will end up. You should choose where you want to live."*

#### April 23, 1983 Dormitory

- **t** *"The Rosary I asked you to recite is for everyday."*
- **t** *"It is not by force."*
- "You should always remember to thank God, because every time you ask but you don't give thanks."
- "You should always pray, don't remember Me only when you are in trouble. Happiness should also be a reason for you to remember Me."

## May 21, 1983 The blessing to heal for the last time

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"I have come to: Remind you what you have forgotten. Inform you that the world has gone bad. Tell you to pray every day. Bring you back to the right way. Ask you to have good habits especially being humble, and to love. Tell you that you must repent all the time. Guide you so that your bodies may not win over your souls. Suffer denying bodily pleasures (like food). Repent: To deny your heart desires (all bad habits). To be generous: To help each other/ to share."

- **+** "You should pray for each other because everyone's heart aches."
- "The only thing that will save you is to listen and obey what We tell you. What I'm reminding you, and what you read from holy books."
- You will answer for every word you were told that you did not obey."
- "How do you prepare for the holiday?"
- \* "Keep seeking and those who don't give up will be rewarded."
- "Most of the things We do for you are invisible to your eyes."
- **t** "Before I bless you, you should first pray."
- **+** *"Receive well My blessings."*
- **†** "No one seeks Me in vain."

- **†** *"White clothes represent happiness."*
- **+** "You should protect your hearts from sin, like you protect your white clothes from dirt."

#### June 11, 1983 Public

\* "Ask earnestly for diligence: so that you may be humble in everything.

Attention: so that you may understand, when evil comes.

Light: so that I may show you the right way.

*Strength: so that you may be able to triumph over your temptations.* 

Heroism: so that you may keep working for Us without laziness.

Patience: so that you may live in this world blamelessly."

- "Do you love Me like I love you?"
- "Do not wonder when that will be explained because it's been said what's with Me will reveal itself and what's not with Me will reveal itself."

- "I did not come to shame the world. I have come to remind you what you have forgotten and I have come to record/count."
- "Be humble and know that I have come to unite you, to separate you."
- "When a child misbehaves, his parents are hurt more, they are hurt because their child has become bad."
- **+** *"I am always hurt by your actions."*
- **\*** *"Are you tired of waiting?" (3X)*
- **\*** *"Are you doubting?" (3X)*
- **+** *"Are your eyes open?"*
- **t** *"Are you awake?"*
- **†** "Are you clean?"
- **+** "You will fall into abyss of darkness."
- **†** *"Those who follow My light will not be lost."*

#### July 4, 1983 Public

- **+** *"Are you clean? I was asking you if you want penitence?"*
- "Are you awake? I was asking you if you want to stop the worldly pleasures that bind you and stop you from following Our Word."
- **+** *"Are you watchful? I was asking if your eyes are open to see everything?"*
- **+** *"Why do you always expect miracles?"*
- "Don't you see the worldly things outpacing you? Why are you bound by them?"
- # "Is there anyone on Earth who is always happy? Why don't you accept your pain with love?"
- "We also carried a cross before We got to Heaven."
- **+** *"Do you know the good that comes out of pain?"*
- # "I did not come in vain."
- "My message is for all. Doesn't the rain fall on everyone?"
- **t** *"The Son of Mary always sees pain."*
- *"I wouldn't do to you what you do to Me. Because you would die."*

- **t** "You should be humble, like I am humble in front of Jesus."
- # "How do those religions keep increasing?"
- **+** "Stay away from hypocrisy."

## September 3, 1983 Public

- "You should always try hard to please your souls like you please your bodies. Wherever you are, you should pray. You should have a prayer for your works and prayers."
- "Do not say that you will only pray from the church, or a place that you have prepared, your prayer should always be at heart."
- "All the time We come to change you and show you the right way."
- "You should try hard to follow My word, you should not only pay attention to what My Son and I say, but you should also read the word from the Holy Books."
- "You should know that the right way is hurtful, but you should always be patient."
- # "Everyone should love the work that they are assigned and should make sure to finish."

- **+** "No one has ever reached Heaven while still here on Earth."
- "You should tell people how you see Me. Tell them that no one looks like Me in the world."
- "Pray a lot, and pray for each other, because the world is still bad."
- "You should love the way of sorrow because it is the way to Us."

## October 7, 1983 Dormitory

- "When you hear the Gospel, you should not hide it, instead you should tell it to those who haven't heard it."
- *"I asked you to respect this house, is that what you do?" (Dormitory of Apparitions)*
- **+** "Since I asked you to build My house did you think it was only for that one time?"
- **+** *"Do not hide something that might save you."*
- "Do you pray for each other? Do you help each other?"

- "This time I use few words, because now I only remind you slowly by slowly. I tell you what I need and whoever wants might obey. I will never force you."
- \* "The reason you don't fulfill what I ask from you is because you are lazy and distracted."
- # "I need you to never hide what you have been told, you should tell them what makes Me happy."
- *"I did not come in vain."*
- "I always ask you to ask for forgiveness in the 'confession prayer' do you do it?"
- **+** "You obsess too much, what causes it?"
- **t** *"Why do you lose hope quickly?"*
- \* "Those who make Me happy, I make them even happier."
- \* "Do you know how much I love you? Why don't you love Me the same way?"
- **t** *"Why don't you say the Rosary?"*
- "Why do you lie?"

- **+** *"In this month, start praying your Rosary more and you shall see for yourselves."*
- "The courage you have to feed your stomachs should be the courage you have to feed your souls."
- **+** *"Food should not win over prayer and sacraments."*
- "I am going to bless you, the blessing should strengthen the words you have heard and empower you to obey."
- **+** *"Every time you pray, especially the written prayers that you have mastered at heart, you should always meditate on the words, as if you have heard them for the first time."*
- "You should pray before I bless you, because some of you are present but your hearts are not here."
- "May the blessing of the Virgin Mary strengthen you and protect you from all evil, and empower you to finish the tasks She assigned you."
- + "Have you heard those words?"
- **+** "You should love it because it will enable you to finish what I have told you."

#### October 29, 1983 Public

- "I have come to let you know that the world has gone bad, I have come to remind you what you have forgotten, and to show you the right way."
- "The world is sick and the words I have told you are the only medicine that can save it."
- *"How many times a day do you say the 'Father's Prayer'?"*
- **+** "You should say the prayer 'Our Father in Heaven' right. The line that says, 'forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us."
- **+** *"Can you forgive those who have hurt you?"*
- **+** "Why do you want to be forgiven yet you do not want to forgive your brother?"
- "You should have a willing heart and all will be possible."
- **+** "Giving up is the reason you miss out on many things."
- "Do not seek to see with your physical eyes, but seek to see with the eyes of your heart."

- **+** *"The eyes that have seen a lot will answer a lot and the ears that have heard a lot will answer a lot."*
- + "My children please stop breaking My heart."
- "It makes Me sad that some of you do not love Me when I ask them, there will be a time when they wish to work for Me and it will be impossible."
- **+** *"Are you clean? I was asking you if you want penitence."*
- \* "Are you awake? I need to know if you want to leave the worldly pleasures that have bound you that prevents you from following Us properly."
- \* "Are your eyes open? I need to know if your eyes are open, because there are a lot of things happening that you don't see."
- "One thing that will help you fulfill what We have said is the works, if you do that, you will never forget anything that We have asked you to do."

- "Good words do not preserve your soul, and they will not take you to Heaven, but good works are the right way to Us."
- **t** *"When you resist sin, that is when you know that you are completely saved."*
- "What will be your excuse in front of Me since I didn't give you obstacles and other principles?"
- **\*** *"The white color: To have a blameless heart."*
- "The red color: To remember the Holy Heart of Jesus pierced by the spear, and the blood that was shed for Our salvation all because of love."
- "Whenever, you pray, do not please your body, or else it will distract you. That is why you should fast and repent so that you may not be distracted."
- **+** *"Fasting and repentance will be helpful during prayer."*
- "Before praying, you should first prepare your heart. First ask for strength, light, and openness."
- "Prayer should be your heart."
  "I did not come to change your bodies but your souls."

- **†** *"You should always remember every word I said."*
- **†** *"Forgive each other."*

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- "I have asked you to continue to pray, to confess, to repent, to fast, to have good habits like being humble and love."
- **+** *"The medicine to save this world is to follow the words that I have told you."*
- **+** "You should know that I love you so much, you should love Me too."
- "When you are going to pray or praise, you should not please your bodies, so that you may not be distracted, it is rewarding to hurt your body in order to save your soul."
- \* "The message is not intended for one individual, neither is it for a certain period of time. It is a message We will always remember."
- **+** *"All that you own, whether they are many or few, should be your offertory to Us. Let it result into thanking and praising Us."*

- "Respect each other, because God hates no one. He never pushes anyone back."
- "If you disrespect anyone, you should know that you are also dishonoring God. Respect each other, respect each other."
- *"I have given you the blessing of the rain."*
- A miracle.
- "When I bless you, I use the sign of the cross because that is what redeemed you."

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- \* "Never forget what I have told you."
- "Pray (3X) without hypocrisy, because the world is bad."
- **†** "Confess (3X)."
- **†** "Repent, fast."
- "You must have good habits, especially being humble, and love."
- # "Forgive each other, respect each other."

- **+** *"Ask for a humble heart, attention, light, strength, courage and patience."*
- *"Children obey, elders obey."*
- "You should know that the habit of obedience keeps diminishing. Obedience is better than sacrifices. I ask you to obey."
- "Forgive each other, respect each other, and do not fight."
- **t** *"Are you clean?"*
- **t** *"Are you awake?"*
- *"Are you watchful?"*
- **t** *"Recite the Rosary of Sorrows."*
- "Why do you like consulting spirit mediums, and witchcraft?"
- **+** *"No one can defeat evil besides God and the Mother of the Word."*
- **t** "Don't walk two roads for it is tiresome and they lead nowhere."
- *"It is written that, pray to only one God and love only Him."*

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- # "Is it right to walk both God's and the devil's path? Choose one way; God's way."
- To show that you're a Christian when God doesn't see it, is it worth it?"
- **+** *"Fight the devil with all his possessions."*
- + "Why are you greedy?"
- **t** "Don't be selfish with what God has given you!"
- **t** *"Everyone should give what they have."*
- **+** *"Help each other."*
- "Don't let the world rule you, instead you should rule the world."
- "You should pray for each other because you are all weak."
- # "I have stopped giving you (Her) messages in public, but I will keep giving you private messages."
- "You should know that I am with you all the time. Don't ever feel alone and go back. Please keep My word."

- "You must never go home, you will stay at Kibeho for as long as I want: never go anywhere without permission." (Message to the Bishop of the Diocese)
- "People words will not hurt you. Don't ever lose/fail on something that you have personally seen and heard."
- "When water warms, it doesn't forget about coldness. It means that however happy I am in heaven, I can never forget about My hurting children on Earth."
- *"Do not be sad, for I am with you always."*



## **Meditate on the Rosary**

The Rosary is a powerful prayer. It is timeless; it is meaningful, simple and is meant to bring us peace. It can be recited individually or in a group. Prayers include:

## Sign of the Cross

(Touch the hand to the forehead, then lower chest, left shoulder and finally right shoulder) In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

## **Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; He descended into hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the Communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

## **Our Father**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses; as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

## **Hail Mary**

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with You; blessed are You among women; and blessed is the fruit of Your womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

## **Glory Be**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

## **Fatima Prayer**

Oh my Jesus forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell and lead all souls to heaven and especially those in most need of your mercy.

## **Mysteries for Meditation**

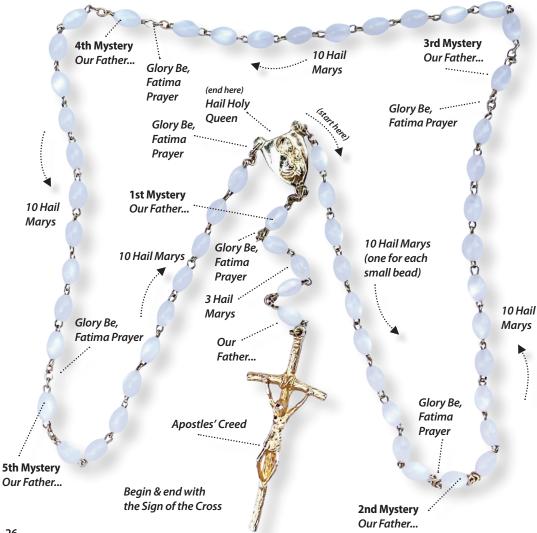
Five important events in the lives of Jesus and the Virgin Mary—one each decade.

## **Hail Holy Queen**

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of mercy, our life, our sweetness, and our hope.
To Thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve, to Thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, most gracious advocate, Thine eyes of mercy toward us; and after this our exile show unto us the blessed fruit of Thy womb Jesus, O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.
Pray for us, O holy Mother of God. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.
O God, whose only-begotten Son, by His life, death, and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal salvation; grant we beseech Thee, that meditating upon these mysteries of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **Sign of the Cross**

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



## The Mysteries of the Rosary

### **Joyful Mysteries**

1st Decade: The Annunciation 2nd Decade: The Visitation 3rd Decade: The Birth of Jesus 4th Decade: The Presentation 5th Decade: The Finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple

#### **Luminous Mysteries**

1st Decade: The Baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan 2nd Decade: The Wedding Feast at Cana 3rd Decade: The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God 4th Decade: The Transfiguration of Jesus 5th Decade: The Institution of the Eucharist

#### Sorrowful Mysteries

1st Decade: The Agony in the Garden 2nd Decade: The Scourging at the Pillar 3rd Decade: The Crowning with Thorns 4th Decade: The Carrying of the Cross 5th Decade: The Crucifixion

#### **Glorious Mysteries**

1st Decade: The Resurrection 2nd Decade: The Ascension 3rd Decade: The Descent of the Holy Spirit 4th Decade: The Assumption 5th Decade: The Crowning of Mary Queen of Heaven

## Meditate on the Rosary of the Seven Sorrows of the Virgin Mary

## Sign of the Cross

In the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

## **Introductory Prayer**

My God, I offer you this Rosary for Your Glory, so that I can honor Your Holy Mother, the Blessed Virgin, so I can share and meditate upon Her suffering. I humbly beg You to give me true repentance of my sins. Give me wisdom and humility so that I may receive all the indulgences contained in this prayer.

## Act of Contrition

Oh my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended You, and I detest all my sins, because I dread the loss of heaven and the pains of hell, but most of all because they offended You, my God. You who are all good and deserving of my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of Your grace to confess my sins, to do penance, and to amend my life. Amen.

## **Most Merciful Mother**

Most Merciful Mother, remind us always about the sorrows of Your Son Jesus.

## **Closing Prayer**

Queen of Martyrs, Your heart suffered so much. I beg you, by the merits of the tears You shed in these terrible and sorrowful times, to obtain for me and all the sinners of the world the grace of complete sincerity and repentance. Amen.

## Then pray 3 times:

Mary, who was conceived without sin and who suffered for us, pray for us.

## Sign of the Cross

In the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

In Kibeho, Mary asked all to pray the Seven Sorrows Rosary. She wants us to love to pray. Learn how to pray the Seven Sorrows Rosary at **sevensorrowsrosary.org**  7 Hail Mary's: .... Most Merciful Mother...

3 The Loss of the Child Jesus, but found in the Temple Luke 2:41-52 Our Father...

7 Hail Mary's: Most Merciful Mother...

2 The Flight into Egypt Matthew 2:13-15 Our Father...

7 Hail Mary's: Most Merciful Mother...

Closing Prayer: Queen of Martyrs...

3 Hail Mary's: Most Merciful Mother...

Begin with the Sign of the Cross: Introductory Prayer Act of Contrition . 7 Hail Mary's: Most Merciful Mother...

5 Mary stands at the foot of the cross ... John 19:25-27 Our Father...

> 7 Hail Mary's: Most Merciful Mother...

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**7** Jesus is prepared, placed in the tomb John 19:41-42 Our Father...

**1 The Prophecy of Simeon** *Luke* 2:22-35 *Our Father...* 

7 Hail Mary's: Most Merciful Mother...

4 Mary meets

Jesus carrying

Our Father...

the cross Luke 23:27-31

6 Mary receives

the body of Jesus in her arms

John 19:38-40

Our Father...



## Prayer to Our Lady of Kibeho

Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Word, Mother of all those who believe in Him and who keep Him in their life, we look upon You in contemplation. Even though we do not see You with our eyes, we believe that You are with us, like a mother in the midst of her children.

You who are the infallible pathway to Jesus the Savior, we thank You for the favors obtained in our life, especially since You have humbly chosen to appear in Kibeho, at the very time the world needed it most. Grant us always light and strength to keep worthy in us Your message of conversion and repentance, and to live according to the Gospel of Your Son.

Teach us to pray without hypocrisy and to love one another as He loved us, so that, as You willed, we may always be beautiful flowers and produce nice flavor to everyone and everywhere.

Virgin Mary, Our Lady of Sorrows, grant us to understand the value of the Cross in our life, so that we may fill up in our flesh what is lacking in the affliction of Christ on behalf of His Body which is the Church. And when comes the end of our pilgrimage on Earth, let us live with You for eternity in the heavenly Kingdom. Amen

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"The world is doing very bad. Change your hearts so that you will not fall into the abyss."

## **Chapel of the Seven Sorrows**



Kibeho, Rwanda

## Litany of Our Lady of Sorrows

V. Lord have mercy on us. R. Christ, have mercy on us.

V. Lord, have mercy on us. Christ hear us. R. Christ, graciously hear us.

> V. God, the Father of heaven, R. Have mercy on us.

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

> V. God the Holy Spirit, R. Have mercy on us.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, R. Pray for us. Holy Virgin of virgins, R Mother of the crucified, R Sorrowful Mother of God, R Mournful mother, R Sighing Mother, R Afflicted Mother, Forsaken Mother, R Desolate Mother, R Mother most sad, R Mother set around with anguish, R Mother overwhelmed by grief, R Mother transfixed by a sword, R Mother crucified in thy heart, R Mother bereaved of thy Son, R

This litany was originally written in Latin by Pope Pius VII in 1809 during his captivity under Napoleon Bonaparte.

Sighing dove, R Mother of Dolors, R Fount of tears, R Sea of bitterness, R Field of tribulation, R Mass of suffering, R Mirror of patience, R Rock of constancy, R Remedy of perplexity, R Joy of the afflicted, R Ark of the desolate, R Refuge of the abandoned, R Shield of the oppressed, R Conqueror of the incredulous, R Solace of the wretched, R Medicine of the sick, R Help of the faint, R Strength of the weak, R Protector of those who fight, R Haven of the shipwrecked, R Calmer of the tempests, R Companion of the sorrowful, R Retreat of those who groan, R Terror of the treacherous, R Standard-bearer of the Martyrs, R Treasure of the faithful, R Light of Confessors, R Pearl of Virgins, R Comfort of Widows, R Jov of all Saints, R Queen of thy servants, R Holy Mary, who alone art unexampled. R 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 Hear us, o Lord

Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world Have mercy on us

# Pray for us, oh afflicted Virgin of the greatest sorrows!

That we may be made worthy of the promises of Jesus Christ.

Virgin Mary, Our Lady of Sorrows, grant us to understand the value of the cross in our lives, so that we may fill up in our flesh what is lacking affliction of Christ on behalf of His Body which is the church. And when comes the end of our pilgrimage on earth, let us live with you for eternity in the heavenly Kingdom.

## Let us pray:

My Lord, be auspicious for us and grant us the grace to feel the happy effect of Your passion, as well as Simeon had prophesied it, a sword of pain transfixed the soul so tender of the glorious Virgin Mother, Mary, that we celebrate and let's honor Your sorrows. We ask this to You, who live and reign now and forever. Amen. Blessed be the Immaculate Heart of the Virgin Mary (3X)

## **The Magnificat**

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, for He has looked with favor on His lowly servant. From this day all generations will call me blessed: the Almighty has done great things for me, and holy is His Name. He has mercy on those who fear Him in every generation. He has shown the strength of His arm, He has scattered the proud in their conceit. He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, and has lifted up the lowly. He has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich He has sent away empty. He has come to the help of His servant Israel for He has remembered His promise of mercy, the promise He made to our fathers, to Abraham and His children forever. Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.



It has been a blessing to translate Nathalie Mukamazimpaka's diary into English. We met multiple times per year for several years to ensure the accuracy of the translation from Kinyarwanda.

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