

Upon retiring that evening, I closed my eyes and then asked my husband if he was still awake, immediately he asked me if I was ok and if I was having heart pains. I told him no, that I was fine, but when I closed my eyes I could see a large group of people dressed in old fashioned clothing, they were all ages and children were also there. They were standing at a turnstyle and they were all smiling and waving at me. I told this to my husband and he said that perhaps they were some souls that were released from Purgatory by my prayers.

When we returned home I mentioned my experience to a couple of priests... one stated that it sounded like the people who died on the way to Ellis Island and the other stated perhaps they were the people who drowned when the Titanic sank and they were released from Purgatory by my prayers. Both priests suggested that I continue to pray for the Holy Souls... which I still do every day.

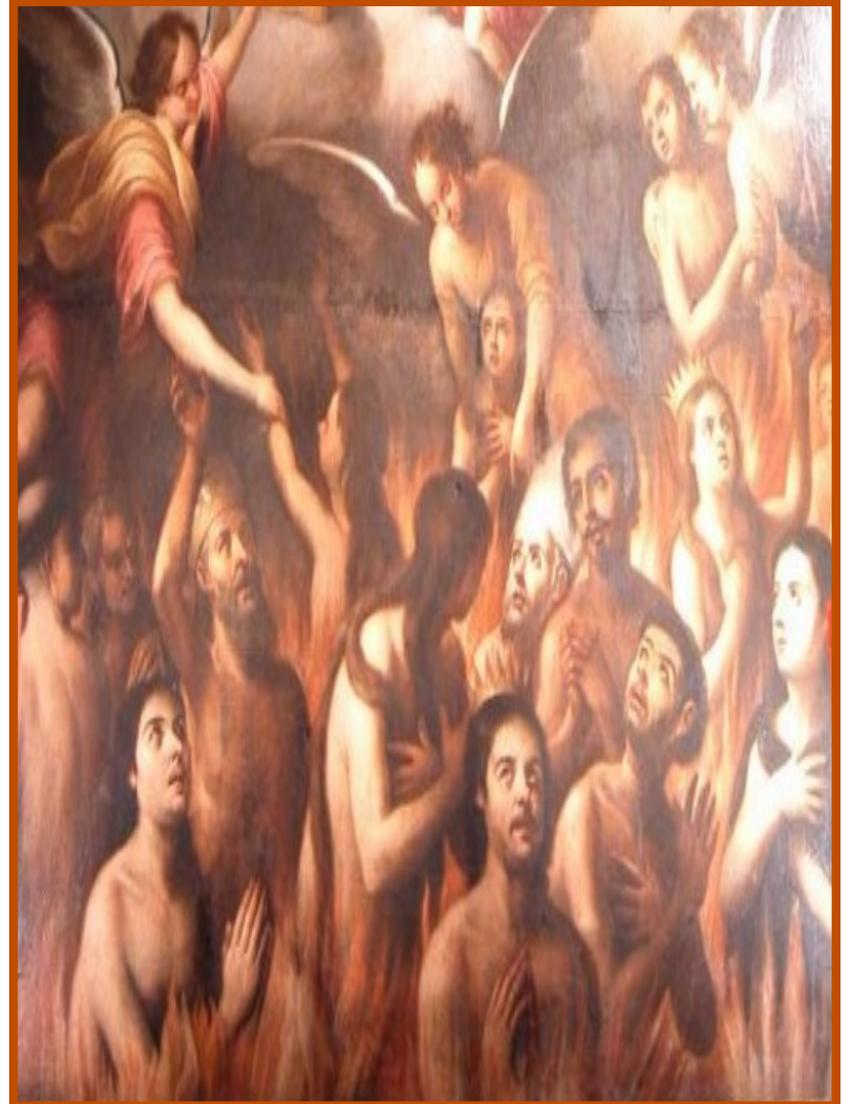
I am very thankful for this experience and feel very blessed.

I urge you to also pray to the Holy Souls, as one day you may need their powerful intercession.



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The Holy Souls in Purgatory are not able to pray for themselves or do anything at all to relieve their suffering: They rely on our prayers and efforts to help them. It is permissible to believe that they can pray for their benefactors. St. John Vianney said: "If one knew what we may obtain from God by the intercession of the Poor Souls, they would not be so much abandoned. Let us pray a great deal for them, they will pray for us." St. Theresa of Avila said that she always obtained the favours, which she asked from God, through the intercession of the Poor Souls in Purgatory. We must help the Holy Souls in Purgatory. In the bible it says that he, who stops (closes) his ears to the cry of the poor, shall cry himself and shall not be heard.

### **PURGATORY IS REAL AND IS ALLUDED TO IN THE BIBLE**

Purgatory is part of Catholic doctrine today and always has been from the earliest days of the Church. In addition it is mentioned in the Old testament as well. The doctrine of Purgatory will not change in the future. Our Lady of Fatima also spoke about Purgatory. When we die we can no longer pray for ourselves, but others can pray for us. That there is a place which we call Purgatory is alluded to in the bible in these words: "It is a holy and wholesome thing to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from their sins." (II Macab. XII., 46)

### **WHY DO WE CALL THE SOULS IN PURGATORY "THE POOR SOULS?"**

We call them the poor souls, because they are poor, because they can't do anything at all to help themselves. Think about a poor person without money. What can he buy to help himself? He can't buy ANYTHING! He can't buy food, clothes, shelter etc.

## **PRAY FOR THE HOLY SOULS, ASK THEM TO OBTAIN THE FAVOURS, WHICH YOUR FRIENDS HAVE ASKED YOU TO PRAY FOR**

One of the best things that you can do, when someone asks you to pray for him or her, is to pray for the Holy Souls in Purgatory, and to ask them to obtain that person's petition, (healing, employment, financial help, etc.) because The Holy Souls' prayers for their benefactors are very powerful with God, despite the fact that not one prayer that a Holy Soul in Purgatory can say will alleviate his own suffering.

### **A TESTIMONY**

Before going on a pilgrimage to Italy a few years ago, I doubted whether or not I should go as I have had double by-pass heart surgery, a herniated disc, high blood pressure, diabetes, and arthritis, along with many other physical problems, but my cardiologist and doctors said that I should be fine, take it easy don't overdue anything. Well after purchasing the tickets and longing to go back to Italy, I prayed that everything would go well.

I have always had a devotion to the Holy Souls in Purgatory, and each day I would offer up all of my joys, sorrows and pains for the Holy Souls and prayed that they would help me to get through this pilgrimage.

The itinerary for the trip looked very exciting... a bit rigorous especially for one having so many ailments.

Each day the trip became more difficult, there was much walking not only on level ground but we also had to walk up Montecassino ( St. Benedict's Abbey) I think that was the hardest for me... I prayed to the Holy Souls constantly for their help.