

Do Not Be Afraid to Love Mary Too Much

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I'd like to begin with a Hail Mary. That way you at least will have the help of the Blessed Virgin to understand what I'm trying to say; and hopefully it will be understood not only by you, but also eventually by all those who you pass it on to. (Three Hail Mary's were recited.)

Our Lady came to Fatima, as you know, six times on the 13th of each month, and in August on the 19th instead because the children were kidnapped on the 13th.

Mary's Message Simple but Profound

The Blessed Virgin came with a very simple but also very profound Message. The problem I think that the theologians and the very learned men of our time have with Fatima is that it is so simple that, to them, it's almost a deception.

Upon closer look, the

learned will discover, if they become as little children, that the Fatima Message is indeed very simple – but it is also very profound.

I've been working, studying, researching and publishing on the Message of Fatima now for 33 years. I trust that I have learned something in all this time. St. Augustine tells us the first rule of interpretation for Scripture is to take it literally unless it is contrary to reason or contrary to the Faith. I find the same rule applies to the Message of Fatima. Take Our Lady's words literally unless it's contrary to reason or contrary to the Faith. This has served me well and it is a key to understanding the whole Message.

When Our Lady speaks, She means what She says literally. It's hard for us to perhaps understand the significance because we take it sometimes as just another



The
IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY



The
SACRED HEART OF JESUS

“I want My whole Church to acknowledge that Consecration (of Russia) as a triumph of the Immaculate Heart of Mary so that it may extend its cult later on and put the Devotion to the Immaculate Heart beside the Devotion to My Sacred Heart.” ... Jesus to Sister Lucy

addition to our devotional life, or to something that helps our faith. The Message of Fatima is all that, but much more.

I do believe a case can be made for saying that the Message of Fatima is the fulfilment of Biblical prophecy – prophecy both of the Old Testament and of the New Testament. I would like to point out some of the Biblical prophecies that will be fulfilled when the

prophecies of Fatima are fulfilled.

Let us recall here some of the facts about Our Lady of Fatima’s first three apparitions.

The Blessed Virgin three times opened Her hands. Three times light came from the palms of Her hands. Three times the light fell on either the children or the ground before them.

On May 13th, when She opened Her hands, the light

fell on their hearts and they had that most extraordinary experience, the foretaste of Heaven.

On June 13th, when She opened Her hands, the light fell on the children. The light from one hand fell on Jacinta and Francisco and then went up to Heaven. The light from the other hand fell on Lucy and went down to the earth. And the children understood in this light of June 13th that this was their vocation – that Jacinta and Francisco were soon to die and go to Heaven but that Lucy would stay sometime longer on earth. Now, this light Our Lady also explained. She explained what the children would do. But they also understood it by the grace of that light.

On July 13th, the Blessed Virgin opened Her hands for the third time and this time the light did not fall on the children but rather on the ground in front of the children. And in this light the children could see below the face of the earth. They could see the fires of hell.

Lucy described what she saw:

“We saw as it were a vast sea of fire in which were

plunged all blackened and burnt the devils and the souls of the damned. The devils could be distinguished from the souls of the damned by the weird and unknown forms of animals in which they were cast. And the souls of the damned were cast about in the flames and raised into the air amid loud cries of pain and despair which horrified us so that we trembled with fear.”

Lucy tells us that, had not the vision been very brief and had not Our Lady also promised to take them to Heaven, she believed she would have died of fright.

Our Lady then explained to the children what they saw. Even though they knew it, Our Lady told them that they had just seen hell.

“You have seen hell where the souls of poor sinners go.

Our Lady went on to tell them in one sentence the central theme of the whole Fatima Message:

“In order to save poor sinners, God wills to establish in the world devotion to My Immaculate Heart.”

**The Key is: God Wants
to Save Sinners by Means
of the Immaculate
Heart of Mary**

In this you have the whole key. God wants to save sinners and God has a plan to save those sinners. To do this He will establish in the world devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

I believe that up to now, even in better ages of the Church, devotion to the Immaculate Heart, devotion to the Blessed Virgin, has never been established to the extent that God wants it. As St. Maximilian Kolbe said, do not be afraid to honor the Blessed Virgin too much, you will never honor Her as much as Her Son has done.

“Do not be afraid to love Her too much, you will never love Her as much as Her Son loves Her.”

At the end of the Great Fatima Secret, Our Lady said:

“In the end, My Immaculate Heart will triumph, the Holy Father will consecrate Russia to Me, Russia will be converted and a period of peace will be given to the world.”

For the past 6,000 years of recorded human history, there have been over 14,000

wars. There has never been an era of peace for all mankind – yet this era is predicted by various old Testament prophets, like Micheas and Isaiah, to take place at some point of human history:

“... they shall turn their swords into ploughshares, and their spears into sickles: nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they be exercised any more to war.” (Is. 2:4)

These prophecies will be realized when Our Lady of Fatima’s request for the Consecration of Russia is done. Then there will be peace all over the earth for generations to come.

That triumph of the Blessed Virgin which She promised on July 13th is a triumph that the world has never seen before in 6,000 years of recorded history. It is a triumph that is predicted in the Old Testament in Chapter 3:15 of Genesis:

“I will put enmity between you and the Woman, between your seed and Her seed. You will lie in wait for Her heel and She will crush your head.”

The devil’s kingdom will be completely destroyed when Our Lady’s Immaculate Heart triumphs. **FC**