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RED ROSARY

FOR SUFFERING AND PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS AROUND THE WORLD



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OPENING PRAYER

Lord Jesus, I offer this Red Rosary for your persecuted Church across the world.

Apostle's Creed...

1 x Our Father...

3 x Hail Mary...



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1st Sorrowful Mysteries

The Agony in the Garden

For Christians in the Middle East & Asia - living with war and extremism.



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2nd Sorrowful Mysteries

Scourging at the Pillar

For Christians in the Americas -
facing crime and marginalisation.



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3rd Sorrowful Mysteries

Crowning with thorns

For Christians in Australia,
New Zealand and Oceania -
facing pressure to hide their faith.



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4th Sorrowful Mysteries

Carrying of the Cross

For Christians in Europe –
where ancient communities are under pressure.



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5th Sorrowful Mysteries

Crucifixion

For Christians in Africa -
suffering violence, kindappings and death.



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Concluding Prayers

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of mercy,
our life, our sweetness, and our hope.
To you do we cry, poor banished children of Eve.
To you do we send up our sighs,
mourning and weeping in this vale of tears.
Turn then, most gracious advocate,



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your eyes of mercy toward us, and after this, our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of your womb, Jesus.
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God
R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ



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Concluding Prayers

O God, whose begotten Son, by His life, death, and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal salvation.

Grant, we pray, that while meditating on these mysteries of the most holy Rosary,



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Concluding Prayers

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



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PRAYER FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS

Merciful Lord,
You call us to take up our crosses and follow after you
on the Way of Love to Calvary.
However, there are many of our fellow Christians this day
who suffer greatly for love of You and Your Church,
some who will give their lives for You,
and this is a hard path to follow.



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We pray for them and ask you to be near them.
Comfort and console them, grant them peace and trust,
make them firm in faith and generous in love.
We pray for the conversion of their persecutors,
healing of wounds, and that their courageous witness
would be a light to the nations.
May we all testify to the joy of knowing and loving you,
and come to Heaven as one. Amen.