Novena Prayer

Mary, Queen Assumed into Heaven, I rejoice that after years of heroic martyrdom on Earth, you have at last been taken to the throne prepared for you in Heaven by the Holy Trinity. Lift my heart with you in the glory of your Assumption above the dreadful touch of sin and impurity. Teach me how small Earth becomes when viewed from Heaven. Make me realize that death is the triumphant gate through which I shall pass to your Son, and that someday my body shall rejoin my soul in the unending bliss of Heaven.

From this Earth, over which I tread as a pilgrim, I look to you for help. In honor of your Assumption into Heaven, I ask for this favor:

(Mention your request).

When my hour of death has come, lead me safely to the presence of Jesus to enjoy the vision of my God for all eternity together with you.



Prayer to Mary Assumed into Heaven

Mary, my dear Mother and mighty Queen, take and receive my poor heart with all its freedom and desires, all its love and all the virtues and graces with which it may be adorned. All I am, all I might be, all I have and hold in the order of nature as well as of grace, I have received from God through your loving intercession, my Lady and Queen. Into your sovereign hands I entrust all, that it may be returned to its noble origin.

Mary, Queen of every heart, accept all that I am and bind me to you with the bonds of love, that I may be yours forever, and may be able to say in all truth: "I belong to Jesus through Mary."

My Mother, assumed into Heaven, I love you. Give me a greater love for Jesus and for you. Mary, assumed into Heaven and Queen of the Universe, ever-Virgin Mother of God, obtain peace and salvation for us through your prayers, for you have given birth to Christ the Lord, the Savior of all mankind.

Prayer

Almighty, ever-living God, You raised to eternal glory the body and soul of the Immaculate Virgin Mary, Mother of Your Son. Grant that our minds may always be directed heavenward and that we may deserve to share in her glory.

Litany of Our Lady of the Assumption

Lord, have mercy on us.

Christ, have mercy on us.

Lord, have mercy on us. Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father of 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, pray for us.

Holy Mother of God, pray for us.

Holy Virgin of virgins, pray for us.

- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that our hearts may always be in Heaven.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that may not be distracted by the world.
- O Queen assumed into Heaven, pray for us that we may always seek God above all things
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we may love God above all things.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we may seek God's will above our own will.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we may rise above the things and cares of this world.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that our conversation may always be in Heaven.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that our hearts may be always humble.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that our minds may love to dwell on heavenly things.
- O Queen assumed into Heaven, pray for us that our minds and hearts may be always pure.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we may despise the things of earth and love those of Heaven.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we may obtain true contrition for our sins.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that that we bring forth worthy fruits of penance.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we may grow in our knowledge of thee.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we grow in our love of thee.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we serve thee better for the future.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we might hate sin above everything else.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we preserve the grace of God in our souls.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that persevere in grace until death.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that after this life we may join thee in Heaven.
- **O Queen assumed into Heaven,** pray for us that we save our souls.

Lamb of God, Who takes away the sins of the world, *Spare us, O Lord*. Lamb of God, Who takes away the sins of the world, *Graciously hear us, O Lord*. Lamb of God, Who takes away the sins of the world, *Have mercy on us*.

- V. Pray for us, O Queen assumed into Heaven
- R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray:

Almighty everlasting God, Who hast taken into Heaven both the body and soul of the Immaculate Virgin

Novena of Our Lady of the Assumption, with litany

August 6th-14th

Mary, Mother of thy Son and our Lord Jesus Christ; grant we beseech thee, that by steadfastly keeping Heaven as our life's goal, we may be counted worthy to join her in glory. We ask this through Jesus Christ Thy Son. Amen.