

## LITANY OF SAINT JOSEPH<sup>7</sup>

Lord, have mercy  
Christ, have mercy  
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God our Father in heaven  
God the Son, Redeemer of the world  
God the Holy Spirit  
Holy Trinity, One God

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Holy Mary

*pray for us*

St Joseph  
Noble son of the House of David  
Light of patriarchs  
Husband of the Mother of God  
Guardian of the Virgin  
Foster father of the Son of God  
Faithful guardian of Christ  
Head of the holy family  
Joseph chaste and just  
Joseph most chaste  
Joseph prudent and brave  
Joseph obediente and loyal  
Pattern of patience  
Lover of poverty  
Model of workers  
Example to parents  
Guardian of virgins  
Pillar of family life  
Comfort of the troubled  
Hope of the sick  
Patron of the dying  
Terror of evil spirits  
Protector of the Church

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Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,  
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### PRAYER TO SAINT JOSEPH

Glorious St. Joseph, foster father of Jesus and spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we choose you, from this moment and for all eternity, as our special patron, as the inspiration of our thoughts, words, and deeds, and the guardian of our lives and our deaths. We pray that you may receive us as your faithful servants. Assist us in all our works and obtain for us the inestimable grace to live and die like you in the love of Jesus and Mary. Amen.

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<sup>7</sup> *Manual of Indulgences: Norms and Grants*, 78-79.