

# “The Crowning of Mary Queen of Heaven and Earth, and of the Angels and Saints”...

## FROM THE BOOK OF WISDOM:

*“Forever [virtue] marches crowned in triumph, victorious in unsullied deeds of valor.” (Wis 4:2)<sup>1</sup>*

## MEDITATION ON THE MYSTERY:

That crown of stinging insults which now hurts us can be transformed into a splendid crown of eternal glory which will bring us joy forever: a crown which will be made up of many souls. (cf. SLC, p. 489)

## FROM THE TEACHINGS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH:

- In regards to trials and the crown of glory, St. Padre Pio says, “Don’t let temptations scare you: they are the test of the soul that God wants to try, when he sees it has the strength necessary to undertake the fight and to weave the garland of glory with its own hands.”

(PIO DA PIETRELCINA, *Epistolario III*, Lettera 39, p. 350 [unpublished translation by pfsgm])

<sup>1</sup> NABRE (USCCB)

## FREE AND PERSONAL MEDITATION

(for a personal contribution to give to those who listen):

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Then follows ...

- 1 Our Father ...
- 5 Hail Mary ...
- 1 Glory be to the Father ... (Sung)

- Praised be,,,
- O my Jesus, forgive us...
- Mary, Queen of Peace ...
- Then, a quick song relevant to the mystery / or one sings : “ Aveeeee, Aveeeee, Ave Maria ....”

Then one goes on to the next Mystery which (like this one) if possible must not take more than 5-7 minutes ...