

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

FROM THE BOOK OF REVELATION:

“A great sign appeared in the sky, a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars.” (Rev 12:1)¹

MEDITATION ON THE MYSTERY:

Help us, Lord, to ask ourselves every day: *today*, have I been able to accept the crown of stinging insults, in my desire to one day receive the crown of victory – the crown of the eternal glory of the children of God (cf. *Ps 149:4; Rom 8:21*)? (cf. *SLC*, p. 487)

FROM THE TEACHINGS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH:

- In regards to accepting the crown of thorns in order to be able to reign with Christ, St. Cyprian says: *“When, therefore, you recall that you will be judges and rulers with Christ the Lord, you must rejoice, despising the present suffering for joy at what is to come.”* (CYPRIAN, in *Off. of Read.*, Common of several martyrs)

¹ 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 ...