



NINE DAY NOVENA DEVOTIONS TO ST. ANNE

Can be recited any time of the year but especially efficacious beginning
July 18 – nine days before her traditional feast day, which is July 26.
(Now celebrated as the feast day of St. Anne and St. Joachim, maternal grandparents of Jesus)

THE MAGNIFICAT

(The following chorus to be sung/recited after each verse:
Magnificat, Magnificat, Anima Mea Dominum)

My soul doth magnify the greatness of the Lord, my spirit rejoices in
God my Saviour for He has looked with favour on His lowly servant.

From this day all generations will call me blessed;
The Almighty has done great things for me and holy is His name.

He has mercy on those who fear Him, from generation to generation.

He has shown strength with his arm
and has scattered the proud in their conceit,

Casting down the mighty from their thrones and lifting up the lowly.

He has filled the hungry with good things
and has sent the rich away empty.

He has come to the aid of his servant Israel,
to remember his promise of mercy,

The promise made to our ancestors,
to Abraham and his children forever.

Prayer to St. Anne for Spiritual Favor

(When reciting please pause at *)

With deep and heartfelt veneration * I prostrate myself before
thee O Glorious St. Anne. * Thou art that privileged creature *
who, through thy extraordinary virtues and sanctity, * was
found worthy to receive from God * the supreme favor * of
giving life to the treasure-house of all graces * Mary, the most
holy Virgin, * blessed among women, * and Mother of the
Word Incarnate. * Deign, therefore O most compassionate St.
Anne * for the sake of this lofty privilege * to receive me into
the number of thy true followers * for such I protest I am and
desire to remain * as long as I may live. * Surround me with
thy powerful patronage * and obtain for me from God * the
grace to imitate those virtues * with which thou was so
abundantly adorned. * Grant that I may know and bitterly
lament my sins. * Obtain for me a most lively affection for
Jesus and Mary, * and fidelity and constancy in the practice of
the duties of my state. * Preserve me from every danger in life,
* and assist me in the moment of my death, * so that safe in
paradise, * I may unite with thee, most Blessed Mother * in
praising the Word of God made man * in the bosom of thy most
pure child, * the Virgin Mary, Amen.

MENTION YOUR INTENTIONS

LITTLE ROSARY OF ST. ANNE

This rosary consists of three sets of 1 Our Father, 5 Hail Mary's
and 1 Glory Be. After each Hail Mary pray the following:

Jesus, Mary and St. Anne, please grant me the favor(s) I ask.

1st Set in honor of Jesus, Divine grandson of St. Anne and
born of Mary Immaculate. "Our Father..."

2nd Set in honor of Mary,

Immaculate daughter of St. Anne. "Our Father..."

3rd Set in honor of St. Anne, mother of the Immaculate Heart
of Mary, and grandmother of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

"Our Father..."

COME HOLY GHOST hymn

Come, Holy Ghost, Creator blest,
And in our hearts take up Thy rest,
Come with Thy grace and heav'nly aid
To fill the hearts which Thou hast made
To fill the hearts which Thou hast made.

PRAYER FOR TEMPORAL FAVOR

Glorious St. Anne, * filled with compassion for those who
invoke thee, * and with love for those who suffer, * heavily
laden with the weight of my troubles * I cast myself at thy feet,
* and humbly beg of thee * to take the present affair which I
recommend to thee, * under thy special protection. Vouchsafe
to recommend it to thy daughter, * the Blessed Virgin Mary,
and lay it before the throne of Jesus, * so that He may bring it
to a happy issue. * Cease not to intercede for me, * until my
request is granted. Above all, * obtain for me the grace of one
day beholding my God face to face, * and with thee, and Mary
and all the saints, * praising and blessing Him for all eternity.
Amen.

Good St. Anne, * Mother of her who is our life, our
sweetness and our hope, * Pray to her for us and obtain our
request. (Three times)

PETITIONS TO ST. ANNE

O St. Anne, * attract to thyself the hearts of all the faithful *
for thou are the sure way that leads to Mary, * and by Mary to
Jesus.

Holy Mary, St. Anne, and St. Joachim, * obtain for us that
we may fear sin more than death.

St. Anne and St. Joachim, * models of fervor, patience and
submission to the will of God, * obtain for us the gift of
prayer, * with the gift of resignation, * in all the trials which
may come upon us.

St. Anne and St. Joachim, true models of reverence in the
temple, * obtain for us the piety and fervor we ought to bring *
to the foot of the holy Altar, * and by your reverence for God *
deliver our country * from the hateful sin of Blasphemy.

Holy Mary, St. Anne and St. Joachim, * extend your
powerful protection * over all children, * since they are images
of the living God.

St. Anne and St. Joachim, * perfect models of husbands and
fathers, * of wives and mothers, * obtain for all Christian
families * that union and peace, * which are the fruits of
patience and humble forbearance.

O Jesus, Mary, Joseph and St. Anne; help us, we beg of you.
* We desire to devote ourselves to your service, * and to
invoke you every day * that we may so regulate our lives, * as
to receive the happiness of eternal life in Heaven, Amen.