
"TO JESUS THROUGH MARY"

*Lessons and Messages to the World from Jesus and the Blessed Virgin Mary
to Ruth Ann Wade of Bloomington, Indiana*

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Message of March 31, 1994, from Our Lord Jesus

Ruth Ann: Lord, I am ready to listen. It has been a very interesting week so far.

Jesus: Little one, you are right. Soon you will learn to keep your peace no matter what comes your way. Trust Me, little one. Know that no matter what others say or do to cause disruption, confusion, and irritation, God's plan will not be destroyed. So do not concern yourself when something happens over which you have no control. Your Jesus and His Mother are with you.

Man cannot control God. He can cause God to use other channels and means to accomplish His end result, but he cannot stop what God has set in motion. Your life is such as that, child. You have said 'yes' to Me and My Mother. You have chosen to do the will of God. His work will not be destroyed or stopped. So continue on in prayer, little one. You have been given an anointing to help you persevere in all you do. Know that God is with you, or this could not have been done. You will know them by their fruits, little one. What more is needed. All you have done thus far is the will of God. That you will continue to do, will also be His will.

Ruth Ann: Lord, I become so overwhelmed sometimes and totally afraid that You have chosen the wrong person. You say You know my heart, and I know that is true, but why do I have to experience such pain? And I don't mean physical, I



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mean spiritually.

Jesus: You are dying of self, little one. After the time of great pain and anguish, are you not given many graces and blessings as confirmations that what you are doing is Christ centered?

Ruth Ann: You know this is true, Lord. But why do You do this for me when I have such periods of doubt and irritation at having been chosen to do these things for You and Your Mother. I would have given up on me a long time ago. And yet, You and Your Mother continue to be patient with me.

Jesus: That is where you are wrong, little one. You would not have given up on me, as you say. You have had

times when your children have been difficult, and even disobedient, but did you give up on them?

Ruth Ann: No, Lord. I think the more problems they caused, the more I loved them, because I knew they were hurting them-selves more than we were being hurt.

Jesus: You have your own answer, little one. You struggle and suffer much, and you need not struggle at all. I love you. I will tend to your needs. You need only be patient. How can I not be patient with you, when no matter what, you continue to struggle on each time, with an even greater resolve to do the will of the Father. Remember, God knows your heart. That is truly what matters. Of course the evil one will continue to come up against you, and you will continue to struggle. But you are strengthened and purified during each one of these attacks for you do not give up. You then emerge with an even greater peace than you had before.

Ruth Ann: Yes Lord, this is certainly true. For example, right now I feel so full of love for You and Your Mother, it truly is amazing.

Jesus: Trust in Me, child. I will always be here for you. Do not hesitate to bring all fears, doubts, and concerns to Me. I will reassure you and hold you in My arms as a parent would do for a child who is in need of being consoled.

Ruth Ann: It is easy for me now to say, "Okay, Lord." But at the time of confusion and anger, that is not easy to do.

Jesus: You still have growing to do, child. You will learn that these attacks you receive are only temporary because the evil one cannot stop God's plans. Place all in My hands and the hands of My Mother. Know that Our love will sustain you through any and all things. This is true for all My children. Share these words so My children know that We are always there for them, no matter what their concerns may be. No matter how great or small, if it is a concern, then We wish to tend to this need.

Ruth Ann: It will be shared, Lord.

Jesus: You have things you must do. I will not keep you. Go in My love, little one. Bask in it all day.

Ruth Ann: Thank You Lord, that is my intent. I love You so much.

Jesus: I love you, little one.

Message of May 4, 1994, from Our Lord Jesus

Ruth Ann: Lord, You and Your Mother have seen me through another talk. Continue to be with me. I have another talk coming up this weekend. Again, on the following weekend there will be another talk. Please give me the graces to sustain me in these hours of need.

Jesus: The graces are there for you, little one. The task that has been put before you is great, but the rewards are even greater. God has great plans for you, and He will not see those plans abandoned. The evil one will attempt all measures of torture and torment in order to discourage you, but you continue on, no matter what. Your 'yes' has meant 'yes', child, no matter how difficult the task that you must undertake. Just know, little one, that

hearts are being touched and conversions are taking place. Otherwise the evil one would not try so hard to discourage you.

Ruth Ann: I know that, Lord, but at the time, it is difficult to put all in perspective and keep my calm and God's peace. Even with so many praying for me, the ordeal becomes overwhelming. I will continue to be obedient to Your will. Please continue to be patient with me, Lord.

Jesus: Little one, that is an easy request. You do not ask to be relieved of these trials and sufferings.

Ruth Ann: Lord, I figure if You want me to be relieved, You will do so. In the meantime, I offer all the mental anguish for those most in need of Your mercy, and the poor souls in purgatory who have no one to pray for them. How else can I make sacrifices? I've given You almost everything else.

Jesus: Little one, the great love you have for My children and for Me touches My heart deeply. Your life will not become easier, but you continue to carve out time for Me and time for prayer, for those who need prayer. You are carrying a heavy cross, little one, and it will become even heavier, and still you are not deterred from the will of God. If only all of My children had this faith and trust that you continue to exemplify.

Ruth Ann: Lord, please, I'm not perfect. I struggle, and am continually asking others to pray for me, just as You have told me to do. Otherwise I can't imagine how I would survive sometimes. If I struggle with lots of prayer, how in the world would I make it without others praying for me? That's a scary thought.

Jesus: You will always have those

who are willing to support you in prayer. Just as I have sent others to support your farm in monetary ways so it can grow and flourish, so too, will I continue to see that there are those who will support you in prayer.

Ruth Ann: Help us get through the third weekend, Lord.

Jesus: My love and support are with all those who will be helping with this special weekend dedicated to the Mother of God. She, too, will see that all goes well.

Ruth Ann: Thank You, Lord.

Message of Aug. 30, 1994, from Our Lord Jesus

Ruth Ann: Lord, is there anything You wish to share with me today?

Jesus: Child, I am here for you and all My children, at all times. Never feel abandoned. Even in your most difficult of times, I am here.

Ruth Ann: Why do some have greater difficulties than others, Lord? Why is there so much pain in the world?

Jesus: Little one, this was not the intent of My Father. God's intent was that man share in the beauty of the world He had created. Man sinned and caused this division between him and the Lord God, Creator of all things. It is through this division that suffering and trials have come, and continue to come. The farther man chose to get away from God, the greater the trials and suffering. The innocent suffer right along with the guilty in a Godless society.

Ruth Ann: Lord, I hear You, and I understand we brought all this upon ourselves.

Jesus: Right, little one. Man has been warned over and over, and yet he chooses to ignore the signs. The pain and suffering will not stop, child, it will continue.

Ruth Ann: Lord, I'm having a difficult time listening, I'm so easily distracted today.

Jesus: Child, this is a common problem that exists in the minds and hearts of all My children. You are concerned about all you need to get done today, and all you truly need to remember is; what I would have you do today, is listen. That should be your number one priority today. The rest will fall into place.

Ruth Ann: I'm sorry, Lord. You are exactly right.

Jesus: Be at peace, little one, with your day, and your call to do the will of God. You continue to struggle against all I would have you do. This makes your life even more difficult than it need be. Yes, you have given much of yourself, and this will continue to be even more as time goes on. But child, there comes a peace with doing the will of God that cannot come otherwise. Do not lose this peace by fighting against that which is best for you and those around you. Be at peace, and know God's Hand is upon you and all you do. When your peace is disturbed, know, child, that the evil one is at work. He can use those who are willing to be used, to cause confusion, doubt, fear, and anger. Do any of these things just mentioned sound as though they would come from God?

Ruth Ann: No, Lord.

Jesus: Then remove all remnants of these from your life. Love God with your whole being, and live this love in all you do and say. Be at peace, little

one, and know that these struggles you experience are attacks from the evil one. No matter how difficult the journey you are on, peace should reign in your heart. Be at peace with your life, little one. You are missing your teaching, aren't you?

Ruth Ann: Yes Lord, I am.

Jesus: You are also missing your animals, and the structure that was so much a part of your life.

Ruth Ann: Yes Lord, that is true.

Jesus: You wish to go about your life as though you are in charge, and not God.

Ruth Ann: You make it sound as though I am being cold.

Jesus: That is not My intent, child. I am trying to make a point.

Ruth Ann: Others get up and go about their lives doing other things, Lord.

Jesus: They have not been called to do what you are doing. If they are doing the will of God, no matter what it may be, they should be at peace. You too, should be at peace.

Ruth Ann: Most of the time I am, Lord. It's just that something happened over the weekend that disturbed this peace. I feel much better after having talked with you about that personal situation this morning. I also appreciate the friends You have given to us, as well as all the people you have sent into our lives to help with this ministry.

Lord, if I didn't miss the life I had before, it would not be a sacrifice, would it?

Jesus: This is true, child, but you

must also realize, those who sacrifice much, will be given much. All the careers, animals, material things, and freedom in this life, cannot compare with the rewards in the next. So many of My children are so set upon the pleasures of the world, they forget they are to be preparing for their next life while they are on this earth.

All of these things are good, but they are not to consume you. For some, material things become an obsession, so do their careers. Even hobbies can become such an obsession that God is placed in the background. All these things become gods to My children. I am the Lord thy God, and thou shalt not have other gods before Me. Does this sound familiar to you?

Ruth Ann: Yes Lord, this is one of the Ten Commandments.

Jesus: It is the first commandment of the ten, and for a reason, child. It is the most important, and the one most violated today. In a world of materialism, man has chosen to worship many gods. Where does that leave Me? Barely in the lives of some, and completely out of the lives of others. You are living in a godless society, and only God can change that which has been brought about by the prince of lies, deceit, and destruction.

My Mother is calling out to Her children to change their ways before it is too late to do so, and yet man chooses, in most cases, not to listen. What you are doing is of great help to Me and My Mother. We thank you for listening and responding to this call. Be at peace with all you are called to do. The sacrifices are great, but the rewards are even greater.

Ruth Ann: I do realize this, Lord, but I would not be human if I occasionally did not feel the burden of this cross given to me.

Jesus: The weight you will always feel, but there is also peace in doing God's will. That peace must be felt in carrying this cross. Do not look back, little one. The cross before you, the world behind you, know I am with you through it all.

Ruth Ann: Forgive me, Lord, for struggling against those things You would have me do.

Jesus: Child, it is through your weaknesses and the sharing of your struggles, that many of My children are being saved. They find hope and peace through your willingness to bare your heart and soul. All in your life is being used to the greater honor and glory of God, even your weakness, as a strength, when used to help others.

Ruth Ann: Thank You for restoring my peace again, Lord.

Jesus: Had you not listened, this peace would not have come. Know all is in God's tender loving care, child. His plan will not be destroyed. Good will triumph over evil.

Now go about your day, know I am with you tending to all things.

Message of May 31, 1993, from Our Lord Jesus

Ruth Ann: Jesus, would You speak with me?

Jesus: Child, I am here.

Ruth Ann: Is there anything in particular You would like to speak to me about? I am feeling like You wish to speak to me.

Jesus: Little one, you are correct. You were feeling sad because there were problems and misunderstandings

among those who are your friends and those who have professed to be your friends. Little one, remember this; there were those who professed to be My friends in the days of My ministering to God's chosen ones, and they crucified Me. You feel this is very strong language for Me to use, little one, but it is truth. Those who do much will suffer much. Yours will be a heavy cross child, I will send help and have sent help to carry that cross. Those who are your true friends will continue on and help you carry your cross. Those who are doing My will in helping you, will receive great rewards in Heaven. Those who choose to harm and hurt you have a free will, child. If one chooses to silently walk away and says to God, "This is not what I wish to do," that is their free will. Not all will be supportive of you or what you are doing. Neither were all those around Me supportive of Me and what I was doing.

Little one, when one follows in My footsteps, the path is narrow, rocky, and extremely difficult, but the rewards are a hundred-fold. Woe unto those who would hurt one of Mine, the least of My little ones. Yes child, I am a loving God, but I am also a just God. So you are not to be concerned about those who would do you harm. Pray for all God's children. Do not be distracted by the tactic of the evil one. Keep focused on your Jesus and the will of My Father in Heaven, and God will do the rest, little one. I have many little ones all over the earth who are helping Me. There will be persecutions suffered because of My name, but know all who love Me and do My Father's will, will not be abandoned. There will be people brought into your life that you would never expect to help you in your journey to the cross of Calvary. Love them. They are your brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus. They are true friends, and will help you on this long

and difficult journey. So too, love your enemies and those who would do you harm. They are in need of prayer.

Ruth Ann: Thank You, Jesus, for Your words of encouragement. It helps me to realize that all that is happening, is all part of the plan, even the bad.

Jesus: Little one, where there is good, there will always be evil. That is the way of the world. I wish it were not so, but it is such. I also wish I could say to you, "Little one, you will not have to suffer," but that too, is not as it will be. No, the rewards will be great, as I have said to you before. The end will justify the means. You do not truly understand these words. It means, little one, that all you will suffer will bring many, many souls to God. What greater gift to give to My Father than souls delivered from the grasp of Satan him-self? Souls given back to God even more beautiful than before because of the suffering of one of His chosen ones. Does that not bring peace to you, child? Does that not help you to realize that what you are doing is worth the pangs of hurt you are beginning to experience?

Ruth Ann: Yes, Jesus.

Jesus: Be not afraid. God has greater things in store for you. The greater the suffering, the greater the rewards.

Ruth Ann: I'm really not into suffering Lord, but I do want to do the will of God. I guess what I'm really saying is, please help me to do whatever it is You want me to do.

Jesus: The graces will be there for you, little one. It is as you so desire.

Ruth Ann: Thank You, Lord. I will remember my enemies in prayer, as well as those who are of help to me.

Jesus: Go in My peace, child. Enjoy

your day.

*Message of April 5, 1994,
from Our Lord Jesus*

Jesus: You have said 'yes' to the will of God. He will not be stopped by mere mortals, no matter who they are. He will find a way for you to do all that He expects of you. You are to be patient. Trust, little one. Know that God in His infinite wisdom and mercy will tend to you and all your needs. He will also tend to those who come to the farm to pray.

It is not necessary for them to hear you witness for them to receive the graces that God wishes them to have. They can receive those graces needed by coming and praying at this haven of peace and prayer. God can do all things. Those who search for Him will find Him. Those who seek His mercy will also find that. There is no limit as to what God can do for those who seek Him.

His Mother is here just waiting to minister graces and blessings in abundance. You, too, in praying with others are giving peace, blessings, and healings for God's people. Tend to His child-ren. Minister to His people. He will give them all the graces and blessings they need for healings and conversions. You have only to do the will of God and trust. God will do the rest. There is no limit to the power and glory of God. You need only sit back, pray, and be patient, little one. Watch the great and mighty One work.

Ruth Ann: Thank You Lord, for Your words and Your help.

Jesus: Little one, I am always here for you. Go in My peace.

Message of Nov. 27, 1994,

from Our Lord Jesus

Jesus: The evil one will continue to come up against you, and tell you how foolish you are for doing these things for Me, but know in your heart that you are doing the will of God. Many who do the will of God, are considered foolish in a world that has turned away from Me and My desires. Continue to stand steadfast in your faith, and trust in your God. There is much more for you to do. As a chosen one, I know you will do it well. There are so few who wish to be of help to Me and My Mother. Know that all you do will be blessed one hundredfold. The struggles will continue for you, little one, but the reward for these struggles will be great. It's like the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow. Only your pot of gold will be Heaven, and all the glory that awaits you there.

Ruth Ann: We can handle our earthly struggles, Lord, as long as You hang in there with us.

Jesus: Little one, I am always here for you, and so is My Mother.

Ruth Ann: Lord, Your Mother said Her messages to share, soon will cease. Can You tell me why?

Jesus: Little one, My Mother has said and done all those things needed to get things going here at the farm. She has done as She was told to do. She too, does the will of God, and it has been His will that She draw all His children to His Son and His word. She has continued to draw those who were receptive and humble to Her heart, and direct them to Her Son, so they would listen to what He has to say. As a good Mother, She has done the will of the Father, and called Her children out of darkness into the light. She has shared the words spoken by Her Son two thousand years ago, with all those who wish to listen.

The time is nearing for Her to leave Her children to their own resources. She has brought light, love, and peace to those who would listen. Those who have chosen to ignore what She has said, have missed many graces, and helps or blessings, that She was, and still is, allowed to pour out upon Her children. She has told you She will still be of help to you, as you have need. It is the messages to share that will cease. You are not to be concerned about this. I will be here for you, as will My Mother. You have been told your ministry will change. You have seen much change over the years you have been ministering to God's people, and you are about to undergo another change.

Ruth Ann: Lord, I thought the change was the Saturday, or the weekly, witnessing.

Jesus: That too, is a change, but that is not the change I am referring to at this time.

Ruth Ann: And that is, Lord?

Jesus: You are to be patient, little one. You still have much to come. My Mother has done Her part, and She has said, "It is time for Me to decrease, and time for My Son to increase." Be at peace with these words, and wait for God's plan to unfold. Time is of the essence, and so is God's timing. His plan is perfect, as well as His timing. Be patient, be obedient, and know God is watching over you and those who minister to you, and this place of prayer.

This is holy ground, child. You still think of it as your farm, but it is God's farm, and He is preparing it for a great harvest. Not the harvest you would assume in your humanness, but a great harvest of souls. This is to be, little one. Stand firm, and watch God's plan

unfold.

I love you. Go in peace to serve your God. We are pleased with your efforts, even though you may not be. God's love abounds, as does His grace and mercy, for all those who love Him, and struggle on this path to Calvary. Be at peace. It is your efforts and desires of your heart that are being measured.

Ruth Ann: Thank You, Lord for these words.

Message of Jan. 31, 1993, from Our Lord Jesus

Ruth Ann: Jesus, there is so much on my mind. Would You please speak and clarify some things?

Jesus: Yes, little one.

Ruth Ann: It seems everything is happening so fast, Lord.

Jesus: Child, you must realize that God has a plan, and when the time is right all things will fall into place. There is so much that is to happen before the big picture is revealed to you that it is time for these things to take place. My little one, this is only the tip of the iceberg.

Ruth Ann: Lord, I begin to have doubts. A statue in our backyard, a life-size statue? At the time it seemed such a blessing.

Jesus: Little one, it is. Remember, this is for all who come here. My Mother has been instrumental in bringing you and all these children who come here for special graces and prayer, and She must be acknowledged. It is as your talk was titled, 'To Jesus through Mary'. That, little one, was not of your doing, and neither is the statue, the prayer group,

or all of the people whose life you touch. It is My doing. It is the doing of My Mother. She is being allowed to call Her children together as a mother hen would do to all her baby chicks in danger. She is calling them and putting them under Her wings. In that situation, however, it is Her protective mantle. Those who listen are special. Those who continue to ignore Her will be called until it is too late. Little one, you are being used by God. This is truly a blessing. Yes, in this day and age it is a mixed blessing. Those who have answered the call will understand the statue, the prayer group, and all that goes with it, but those who continue to let the call fall on deaf ears will feel it is not of Me or My Mother. Little one, this is part of the cross. You have said 'yes', little one. Those who say 'yes' have much to suffer here on earth, but you will continue to be reinforced by many graces and miracles for you and your family, so you will always know this is of Me, your Jesus.

Ruth Ann: Thank You, Jesus.

Jesus: Do you not know that My Mother and I know this is difficult for you and your family? Little one, We have suffered much for all of Our children. You are not being asked to do something We have not done so Ourselves. You have begun the suffering, and you will not be left without the love and graces due this trial. Continue to trust, little one, it will all be done for you. All you need do is say 'yes', trust, and believe. My Mother has told you, it is time. You did not understand these words. Now you do, do you not?

Ruth Ann: Yes Lord, I thought She meant it was time to quit work, since I was in the hospital when I was told this.

Jesus: This too, is about to happen,

little one. I cannot work through you if you are busy with the things of the world. I must have access to you when there is a need. If you continue to be busy with things of the world, you will not have time for Me. I must use you to call others to My heavenly kingdom, which brings us to the point of what we are discussing. Your reward will be great in Heaven, but there is much to suffer before the reward. Graces will be abundant child, so you will be adequately attended to. I will be here for you, as will My Mother, so be not afraid. You and your family will be provided for on the earth.

Ruth Ann: I know that in my heart, Lord. I guess I just needed to hear You say it all again. I need the reassurance that can only come from You.

Jesus: Little one, don't you think I know that? I am your Jesus. I know your heart. Now it is time for you to go about your day. My blessings to you and your children.

Ruth Ann: Thank You Jesus, for being here for me.

Jesus: I am always here for you and all My children.

Schedule of Devotions at the Farm**Visitation Hours for Sacred Heart Chapel: 6 A.M. to 6 P.M. daily**

Monday thru Friday: 6:30 A.M. – Confessions Available ... 7:00 A.M. – Mass
 3:45 P.M. – Exposition of Blessed Sacrament with Silent Adoration
 4:30 P.M. – Holy Hour with Vespers, Rosary, Litany and Benediction

Thursday: Exposition of Blessed Sacrament: In Sacred Heart Chapel 9:00 A.M.–4:30 P.M.

Friday: 4:45 P.M. – Stations of the Cross

Saturday: Eucharistic Adoration at 11:00 A.M.. Mass 12 Noon. Confessions at 11 A.M. & by appointment.

Sunday: 1 P.M. to 4 P.M. – Exposition of Blessed Sacrament

4:00 P.M. – Holy Hour with Vespers, Rosary, Litany and Benediction

Bookstore Hours: Wednesday-Saturday, 10:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M.

Please Note: Effective Thursday, August 5, Monroe County has issued new guidelines requiring that face coverings be worn in all indoor, public spaces. Please note that the Mother of the Redeemer Retreat Center is located within Monroe County, and thus face masks are now required under these rules in all buildings, including the Sacred Heart Chapel.

Please Join Us for Monthly First Saturday Devotions:

9:30 A.M. – Confessions Available (Retreat Center)

11:15 A.M. – Marian Conference -Sacred Heart Chapel

10:30 A.M. – Rosary Procession (Rosary Path*)

12:00 Noon – Holy Mass (Outdoor Altar*)

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Activities at the Retreat Center in July:

On the first Saturday of July we began our new schedule of First Saturday Devotions, with a small group of people attending the outdoor Rosary procession, followed by a conference in which Fr. Ignatius spoke about the July apparition of Our Lady of Fatima, and ending with Holy Mass. For retreats during the month of July, we were blessed to welcome a group of pastoral interns from St. Paul's parish in Bloomington for a 4-day retreat led by Dominican Priest Fr. Keller, OP. A campus ministry group from St. John's parish in Indianapolis, led by their pastor, Fr. Rick Nagel, also came and stayed at the retreat center for some time spent in reflection and prayer while making plans for their ministry during the upcoming year.

Finally, we also welcomed several individuals who stayed in the Guest House while visiting the retreat center for time spent in private devotion, or receiving spiritual direction from the Friars, as well as a priest of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis who came for a week-long personal retreat.

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