

**“THE FINAL BATTLE BETWEEN OUR LORD AND SATAN WILL BE ABOUT MARRIAGE AND THE  
Family.”**

(Sister Lucia of Fatima)

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Dear Apostles of the Immaculate Heart of Mary,

We are living in perilous times. Our prayer, apostleship and holy lives are vital for victory in this decisive battle for souls. Your generous donation, faithfulness to your **DAILY DECADE** and zeal for souls are the bulwark of the Church Suffering here upon earth. Never lose heart! Remember the Cross is the most precious gift God has to share with us and ask Him to help you carry yours with patience, love and courage. Every day, you and your loved ones are remembered at the Holy Altar.

God is Infinite Majesty and, at the same time, He is Infinite Goodness and Love. No friend or brother, mother or father, spouse or lover, loves us more than God. By the infinite gift of Divine Grace, the most miserable creature can become intimate friends with God, Who emptied Himself, annihilated Himself, as it were, to increase our confidence in His Love for us. He died on the Cross for us and hides Himself under the appearance of Bread that He might be our constant companion. Think of the pains He took to draw us to Himself; the Mercy He has shown us is our surest pledge of the Love He bears us. God is ever near, He is within us. In Him we live and move, and have our being. We must treat Him with confidence. Trustingly and with an open heart, we must talk to Him, telling Him of our works, plans, griefs, fears and concerns. If we love Him, we will not be at a loss for words. He longs to press us close to His Heart. If we are unfaithful to Him one hundred times in a day, we must run to Him, each time, and ask forgiveness. Glance often at Jesus Christ on the Cross. It was to bring us to pardon that God spared not His only Son.



If we sanctify our day through the Morning Offering, recommend ourselves to the Mother of God, make our spiritual reading, living the day as if it were the last of our lives and at the end of the day examine our conscience followed by sincere Acts of Faith, Hope and Charity and, if our focus is God, we will be well prepared for Eternity!

One with you in the Immaculate Heart of Mary,

Handwritten signature of Patti Melvin in blue ink.

**PATTI MELVIN, Director – ULRA**

Let us pray for one another.