## 100 - Year Anniversary Conference OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Conference 3 – THE MESSAGES

## Class Lecture from Heaven: July 13th 1917...

It all began with Lucia asking once again the same question to the White Lady that she'd asked since the beginning of the Apparitions: "What do you want of me?"

"I want you to come back here on the 13<sup>th</sup> of next month. Continue to say the Rosary every day in honor of <u>Our Lady of the Rosary</u>, to obtain the PEACE OF THE WORLD and the END OF THE WAR, because only she can obtain it."

"Yes, yes. I would like to ask who you are, and IF YOU WILL DO A MIRACLE so that everyone will know for certain that you have appeared to us."

"You must come here every month, and in October I will tell you who I am and what I want. I will then perform a miracle so that all may believe."

Lucia then began placing before the White Lady petitions for help that so many had entrusted to her. The White Lady gently responded that she would cure some, but others she would not cure.

"And the crippled son of Maria da Capelinha?"

"No, NEITHER OF HIS INFIRMITY NOR OF HIS POVERTY will he be cured, and he must be certain to say the Rosary with his family every day."

Another case recommended by Lucia to the Lady's assistance was a sick woman from Atougia who asked to be taken to heaven.

"Tell her not to be in a hurry. Tell her I KNOW VERY WELL WHEN I SHALL COME TO FETCH HER"

With the **question period of class** now over, the WHITE LADY began teaching...

"Make <u>SACRIFICES FOR SINNERS</u>, and say often, <u>especially while making a sacrifice</u>: 'O Jesus, this is for love of Thee, for the conversion of sinners, and in reparation for offences committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary."

As she spoke those words – she opened her hands as she had before – but this time, the RAYS OF LIGHT penetrated the earth and the children saw A SEA OF FIRE!!!

<u>Plunged in this fire</u> were **DEMONS** and **SOULS IN HUMAN FORM**, like Transparent Burning Embers, all blackened or burnished bronze, <u>floating about in the conflagration</u>, NOW **raised into the air by the flames that issued from within themselves together with great clouds of smoke**, NOW following back on every side like sparks in huge fires, WITHOUT WEIGHT OR EQUILIBRIUM, amid shrieks and groans of pain and despair, which <u>horrified us and made us tremble with fear</u>.

The DEMONS COULD BE DISTINGUISHED by their terrifying and repellent likeness to frightful and unknown animals, black and transparent *like burning coals*.

Terrified, they looked up at Our Lady, who said to them, so KINDLY and so SADLY:

"You have seen **HELL**, where the souls of poor sinners go... It is to save them that God WANTS TO ESTABLISH IN THE WORLD DEVOTION TO MY IMMACULATE HEART. IF you do what I tell you, many souls will be saved, and there will be Peace."

"This war **will end**, but if men do not refrain from offending God, another and more terrible war will begin during **the Pontificate of Pius XI**. When you see a night that is lit by a strange and unknown light, you will know it is the sign God gives you that HE IS ABOUT TO **PUNISH THE WORLD WITH WAR AND WITH HUNGER**, **AND BY THE PERSECUTION OF THE CHURCH AND THE HOLY FATHER**.

To prevent this, I shall come to the world to ask that Russia be consecrated to my Immaculate Heart, and I shall ask that on the First Saturday of every month Communions of reparation be made in atonement for the sins-of the world. IF my wishes are fulfilled, Russia will be converted and there will be Peace; IF NOT, then Russia will spread her errors THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, bringing new wars and persecution of the Church; the good will be martyred and the Holy Father will have much to suffer; certain nations will be annihilated.

But in the end: **MY IMMACULATE HEART WILL TRIUMPH**. The Holy Father will consecrate Russia to me, and she will be converted, and the world will enjoy a period of Peace.

Then the following happened – the children relate it in this way: "we saw an Angel with a flaming sword in his left hand; flashing, it gave out flames that looked as though they would set the world on fire; but they died out in contact with the splendor that Our Lady radiated towards him from her right hand: pointing to the earth with his right hand, the Angel cried out in a loud voice: 'Penance, Penance,'

We saw in an IMMENSE LIGHT that is God: 'something similar to how people appear in a mirror when they pass in front of it' and we saw a Bishop dressed in White 'we had the impression that it was the Holy Father'. Other Bishops, Priests, men and women Religious going up a steep mountain, at the top of which there was a big Cross of rough-hewn trunks as of a cork-tree with the bark; before reaching there the Holy Father passed through a big city half in ruins and half trembling with halting step, afflicted with PAIN and SORROW, he prayed for the souls of the corpses he met on his way; having reached the top of the mountain, on his knees at the foot of the big Cross he was killed by a group of soldiers who fired bullets and arrows at him.

In the same way there died one after another the other **Bishops**, **Priests**, **men and women Religious**, **and various lay people of different ranks and positions**. Beneath the two arms of the Cross there were *TWO ANGELS EACH WITH A CRYSTAL <u>ASPERSORIUM</u> IN HIS HAND*, in which they **gathered up the blood of the Martyrs and with it sprinkled the souls that were making their way to God.**"

The Lady in White then said:

"When you pray the Rosary, say after each Mystery: 'O my Jesus, forgive us, save us from the fire of hell.

Lead all souls to heaven, especially those who are most in need."

"Is there anything more that you want of me?" asked Lucia

"No, I do not want anything more of you today."

Then as before Our Lady began to ASCEND TOWARDS THE EAST, until she finally disappeared in the **IMMENSE DARKNESS OF THE FIRMAMENT**.

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Without a doubt, the TEACHINGS OF THIS DAY FROM HEAVEN affected and changed the lives of those three children in a way that we will never be able to comprehend. Kind of like expecting parents suddenly finding themselves in the delivery room and within what seems to be a FLASH OF LIGHTNING EXPERIENCE, there they are holding a newborn in their arms. Never to be the same as they were but just 24 hours ago – now responsible before God and the whole world for the *GIFT OF LIFE* entrusted to their care.

Similarly, on this day, 3 Children – <u>CHILDREN</u> – were entrusted with **THREE MESSAGES** that represented how they held in their own little arms, not <u>One New Life</u> – but the lives of millions and millions of people. And not just their earthly lives, but their *IMMORTAL SOULS AND THE EVER REAL RISK OF ETERNAL PERDITION*…

The Magnitude of KNOWLEDGE that we've just learned from our Heavenly Teacher this day is SO GREAT that I'm now going to spend some time unpacking ALL THREE MESSAGES and how the passage of Human History has unfolded since their having been BIRTHED INTO THE WORLD 100 years ago through the willingness of Three Innocent Children...

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## MESSAGE #1 – **THE VISION OF HELL**

To understand what lies behind the THREE MESSAGES of Fatima, we must first be willing to accept that the messages are meant to be held together and not to be treated as SEPARATE ENTITIES. We can't just focus in on the importance of an increase in <u>Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary</u> and FORGET ABOUT THE VISION OF HELL!

If anything, we need to put down our guard and allow ourselves to struggle with the first message in all humility so that we can then be EQUIPPED to **grasp the seriousness** behind message number two and number three.

Here's a thought that comes to us from a priest that, by the time he shared this in one of his Homilies, he had already been ordained for 30 years!!

"I have thirty years of priesthood. And sad to say, I'VE <u>NEVER</u> SEEN NOR HEARD A BISHOP, <u>even my Bishop</u> or any other Bishop, preach the Roman Catholic Dogma of Hell. I suppose in your countries and elsewhere they do, but in America, **Hell is not preached**.

One day in a Cathedral I said to a Bishop, 'Your Excellency you make a nice meditation of the Holy Rosary every night for the radio. This is beautiful. But I must ask, why don't you have your meditation a little shorter and insert after each decade: '0 my Jesus, forgive us our sins. Save us from the fire of Hell. Lead all souls to Heaven, especially those most in need of Thy Mercy'.

Why do you REFUSE TO SAY THAT LITTLE PRAYER alter each decade, <u>as requested by Our Lady</u> of Fatima on July 13, 1917, after She'd shown Hell to the three Visionaries?"

The Bishop said to me: "Well, people don't like us to preach on Hell, the word <u>HELL</u> makes them scared."

LISTEN TO ME CAREFULLY because this next point is of CRITICAL IMPORTANCE!!

IT IS JESUS CHRIST – the God-Man – He who said: "I love the Father and do exactly what my Father has commanded me!" (John 14:31) HE IS THE ONE who was sent by the Father through the power of the Holy Spirit and the cooperation of Mary, to reveal before the whole world the FULLNESS OF TRUTH concerning the purpose for human existence in this life and that which awaits us in the next!

**From HIS TEACHINGS**, the Church has concluded that there exists a state of being for souls in a place called "heaven". Likewise **FROM HIS TEACHINGS**, the Church has concluded that there exists a state of being for souls in a place called "hell". For when we look at the words and teachings of The Master, what we find is that **Jesus proclaimed the DOGMA of Hell 15 times in the Gospels**.

JUST SO WE'RE CRYSTAL CLEAR; everything that we know concerning the existence of Heaven, everything that we know concerning the existence of Hell is that which has been transmitted to us by means of Jesus Christ as it has been captured by the ONE, HOLY, CATHOLIC and APOSTOLIC CHURCH within the pages of <u>Divine Revelation in the New Testament</u>.

"The teaching of the Church affirms the existence of Hell and its eternity. <u>IMMEDIATELY</u> AFTER DEATH THE SOULS OF **THOSE WHO DIE IN A STATE OF MORTAL SIN descend into hell**, where they suffer the punishments of hell, "Eternal Fire." (CCC 1035)

Those who are destined for Heaven will rise with their Glorified Bodies. Those who are destined for hell will also rise again... They will possess all of their physical and intellectual faculties along with their lives and their bodies. But they, unlike the righteous, will be lacking THE NUPTIAL ROBE OF CHARITY along with the quality of our Glorified Bodies. They will be reborn neither transfigured, nor luminous, nor resplendent, but just as they were here on earth: opaque, sickly, shackled to matter and to the laws of gravity.

The <u>FIRE</u> that is reserved for them will cause them the greatest of sufferings because being in a perfect state of health and in full possession of their physical and intellectual vigor, they will be all the more conscious of its energy and violent action upon them. For <u>THE FIRE</u> of the damned is A FIRE THAT IS LIT BY THE BREATH OF GOD'S JUSTICE!

One that has been created with one end in mind: **SOLELY TO PUNISH AND TORTURE**...

The intensity of its effects upon an individual will be measured out according to the number and gravity of the crimes that are to be punished. In that place that our Lord calls HELL, those who inherit this lot will experience a fire that will consume their entire being without destroying them. It's the kind of fire that clings to its victims as hair clings to a fur coat – without either their internal or external organs being affected by it – the searing heat will leave their flesh unscathed... Their nerves and receptor cells unscathed, ready and able to conduct THROUGH THE PAIN RECEPTORS OF THE BODY the acute intensity of sulfur and fire all mixed into one never ending reality.

Here's how St. Gregory explains what it means to call Hell 'THE SECOND DEATH':

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"It will be a death that will never be consummated, an end always followed by a New Beginning, a dissolution that will never bring decay."

The 'SECOND DEATH EXPERIENCE' for those in Hell will be more cruel then the first death because <u>no</u> one will ever be able to BRING IT TO AN END...

When all is said and done, <u>Hell isn't some kind of THREAT BY GOD</u>. It's actually A DIAGNOSIS of the stakes for which we play and the consequences of being the sort of FALLEN CREATURES we are in the Universe we exist in in light of God's Creation and the Fall of Man.

When your Family Doctor says to you: "If you persist in your DRINKING without any change, <u>you will</u> get liver cancer – and once you get that kind of CANCER, you'll die."

He's not threatening us. He's simply stating a fact. The cancer isn't being <u>sent your way by your Doctor!</u> As a matter of fact, your doctor, *LIKE JESUS – like the Lady in White*, the Doctor is there to heal us!

Jesus' diagnosis is that *OUR RACE IS SICK WITH SIN*. Hell is the fruition of a life obstinately ordered toward sinful selfishness. The **End Stage of SIN** is **Hell just as the End Stage of Cancer is Death**.

Ending up in Hell is actually not something God does to us. **It's something we do to ourselves**. As far as God goes, he has actually done and *continues to do absolutely everything* —including dying on the cross for us— to make sure that WE DON'T LOSE THE LIFE OF GRACE for which we were created in the first place. Through his Son Jesus, God is Emmanuel—**God with us**—not against us.

**WITH US**, just like a Good Doctor - after all, we call him the Divine Physician - a doctor who not only prescribed for us what we need to do to have eternal life in the kingdom, but THANKFULLY He also warned us about mindsets and behaviors that will land us in Hell!

And now... given the DAY AND AGE in which we live:

- A TIME WHEN abortion has become the number <u>one form of Birth Control for teenagers and young</u> adults.
- A TIME WHEN the sexual union of two men or two women is <u>ranked by society in the same realm as</u> marriage between a man and a woman.
- A TIME WHEN anyone over 18 who decides for themselves that whatever INTOLERABLE SUFFERING their going through be it mental or physical they can <u>legally request for Canadian Doctors to murder them</u>.
- A TIME WHEN Nations are making it legal for anyone over 18 to purchase and get themselves addicted to MIND ALTERING Drugs...

In these times in which we live, the Eternal Son of God the Father has had to send HIS MOTHER Mary, The New Eve, The Mother of God, Our Blessed Mother – to <u>REMIND US</u> of Hells existence...

In her own words during the Apparition in August of 1917: "Pray, pray very much. MAKE SACRIFICES FOR SINNERS. Many souls GO TO HELL, because NO ONE IS WILLING to help them with sacrifice."

MESSAGE #2 - PROPHECY / Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary / Consecration of Russia

"If people <u>DO NOT STOP AFFECTING GOD</u>, another worse war will begin during the reign of **Pope Pius XI...** When you see a night ILLUMINED BY AN UNKNOWN LIGHT, know that it is the great sign that God gives you that <u>He is going to punish the world for its crimes</u> by means *of War, of Hunger*, and of *persecution of the Church* and of the *Holy Father*."

21 years later: the 25<sup>th</sup> of January in 1938, BRIGHT LIGHTS, (known as the AURORA BOREALIS appeared all over the northern hemisphere) these BRIGHT LIGHTS were seen as far as Africa, Bermuda and California.

The people of Paris believed that a Great Fire was burning throughout the city and so – <u>Fire Departments were actually being called in to investigate the cause of these BRIGH LIGHTS</u>...

A month later, **HITLER** seized Austria... eight months later, he invaded Czechoslovakia:

- World War II, a WORSE WAR than the first had now begun... Over 60 MILLION PEOPLE died in that war that's 3% of the Entire World Population...
- As we all know, **World Hunger** continues to plague various nations throughout our world.
- And finally, what about persecution of the Church and of the Holy Father? Never in the history of the Church has there been such **Sexual Abuse** and other **Scandals, Division**, and **Persecutions at work WITHIN the Catholic Church...**

**EVERYTHING** that our Lady said would happen **IF** people **did not stop AFFECTING GOD through sin** has come to pass...

In other words, even with a VISION OF HELL, even with *Supplications, Prayers* and *Pleas* from the Mother of God – **people of the world NEVER HEEDED the Message of Fatima.** And so, many people have died – MANY, on the Day of Judgment will resurrect with their New Eternal Bodies only to hear the Son of Man address them with the following SENTENCE:

"Go away from me with your curse upon you to the ETERNAL FIRES prepared for the Devil and his Angels..."

<u>DESPITE THIS FACT</u>: The LADY IN WHITE promised (regardless for how we chose to respond to Her warning – which we COMPLETELY IGNORED by the way – treating Her Appearance on Earth pretty much like taking in another Star Wars Movie at the Theater) REGARDLESS of this fact, she promised:

"IN THE END – My Immaculate Heart will triumph!"

The Triumph of **THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY** is an era that has already begun! Again, because heaven exists outside of Time and History, <u>EVERYTHING</u> that's been promised to us from Above is available in every time and in every place if we would but just **HAVE FAITH and START LIVING OUR LIVES IN ACCORDANCE** with knowing that we already share now in the Promises we've received!!!

QUESTION IS: "Am I living out my Spiritual Life already aware that the IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY has triumphed and do I spiritually dwell underneath the Protection of her Heavenly Mantel?"

I realize I've shared the following with some of you already, however, due to the importance of the times in which we live and the circumstances surrounding this conference, it bears repeating....

**EVERY MORNING**, as soon as I become conscious that I am no longer sleeping, the first reasonable thought that gravitates to the forefront of my mind is the prayer known as "*THE MORNING OFFERING*." Within seconds of being conscious I interiorly pray the following words – that's **even before my feet hit the ground** – EVERY DAY – one might wonder <u>WHY</u> that's become a pattern way of starting the day for me ever since the year 2003.

I'LL TELL YOU WHY... It's because back in 2002 when the SEXUAL ABUSE BY CLERGY SCANDALS rocked the Church in the United States and other parts of the world, I was in the seminary at Mount Angel. For months on end, we were surrounded by Weekly News of Priests and Monks being accused of SEXUALLY ABUSING CHILDREN - including some of the priests in our own Monastery...

In my own mind, I was STRUGGLING GREATLY with **why in the world I should keep pursuing this** *Vocation to the priesthood thing* – I mean prior to the scandals, I was already aware of the fact that when people saw a priest on the street – the following string of thoughts entered their MINDS cause it sure ran through mine:

"That guy's probably a homosexual and that's WHY he became a priest. He can't FIT into society and so he gave up trying to make it in life and now he's hiding behind the CLOTH. I wonder what other problems he has?"

And now, ever since the Scandals in 2002 the first thing PEOPLE OF THE WORLD think of when they see a priest in public is: "*There's a pedophile*..." Believe me, I have felt **THE BURNING STARE OF**JUDGMENT and HATRED a great number of times over the past 7 1/2 years wearing my clerics in public...

So while <u>STRUGGLING GREATLY</u> with why I should **EVEN BOTHER freely choosing to walk down this path of up-and-coming persecution from the world**, one morning as I was making my way over to to the Chapel for my Holy Hour with our Lord, as I walked by the 24 hour board, (*which was the Pin Up board that contained all the week's events that you needed to be aware of near the Main Secretary's Office*) I noticed a sheet of lined paper that was somewhat crookedly tacked onto the board.

Even before I got close to it, I thought to myself: "I gotta read that – cause whatever it is, it's not gonna be staying up there long."

You see THERE WAS <u>A RULE</u> TO THE 24-HOUR BOARD. No one was allowed to put up anything on it other than the authorities at hand. Ever... I walked right up to it and began reading the hand written following words:

"SEMINARIANS, memorize this prayer and pray it every day of your life until YOU DIE."

'O my Jesus, *THROUGH THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY*, I offer all of my my prayers, works, joys and sufferings of this day, for all the intentions of thy most Sacred Heart and in union with the most Holy Sacrifice of the Mass being offered up throughout the world. In reparation for my sins, the sins of my relatives and friends, and in particular for the intentions of our most Holy Father, the Pope.

Take my body Jesus, take my eyes, my ears, and my tongue and never, ever let them dear Lord, help to do you wrong. Take my heart and mind, Oh Lord and fill them with love of You. For everything I have, oh Lord, I give to you, I give my very self over to You Lord.' Amen...

It was signed by Fr. Jerome Young – the Spiritual Director of the Monastery

I thought to myself: "**OK** – **K.** *I will*..."

I went and found a pen and paper, **copied the prayer Word for Word on the spot** and started praying it every day since that time."

It's A COMPLETE PRAYER – and often times <u>I recommend it to penitents in the Confessional</u>. **WHY**??? Because it's a prayer that covers everything in a matter of less than one minute. Even if someone was not to pray anything else for the rest of the day, to offer up that prayer in the morning is like **putting on all the**Spiritual Armor you're going to need as you <u>make it through the next 15 to 17 hours of conscious life on earth.</u>

Praying that prayer every day **will** CHANGE YOUR LIFE...

Notice how it begins: "Oh my Jesus, *THROUGH THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY*..." It begins with the consecration of one's life through the Immaculate Heart of Mary and in that way, the heart of your soul finds itself over the next 24 hours under the refuge and protection of **Our Blessed Mother**.

The prayer itself, like all prayers to God – is first of all, ADDRESSED TO THE SAVIOR – while at one and the same time, I am asking Mary, our Blessed Mother, to bring my petitions to Him; I make my prayer "through the Immaculate Heart of Mary."

**St. Louis-Marie De Montfort writes**, "It is by [Mary] that Jesus Christ came to us, and it is by her that we must go to Him. ... She is so loving that *she rejects none who beg her intercession, however sinful they may be*, for, as the Saints say, never has it been heard since the world existed, that anyone has had confident and persevering recourse to Our Blessed Lady, and was rejected. She is so powerful that her petitions have never been denied."

The Triumph of **THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY** has already begun – are YOU PART of that reality or are you waiting for another TIME to come?

You want the Holy Spirit change your life? Memorize **this prayer** and <u>pray it every day **UNTIL YOU DIE**</u>...

This EVENING'S CLASS with Our Lady from Heaven – we will be learning the meaning behind the third message and we will **examine the fallout that has come to pass over the last 100 years of NOT HEEDING OUR LADY'S PLEA for Prayer, for Sacrifice, for Sufferings, and for Praying the Rosary Daily in order to obtain PEACE ON EARTH and usher in a New Era – the ERA of Her Immaculate Heart's TRIUMPH....** 

"Pray, pray very much. Make sacrifices for sinners. Many souls go to hell, because no one is willing to help them with sacrifice."

## Let us pray:

"0 MY JESUS, FORGIVE US OUR SINS, save us from the fires of Hell and lead all souls to Heaven, especially those most in need of Thy Mercy."