

singled out by GOD, You are blessed among women!" And that is how I went on sentence by sentence.

Mary – Our Salvation

My beloved, I was a boy then and not yet Sword-Bishop. And so I tell you: Mary listens to every greeting, also to yours. Since she is now in Heaven and the Mother of GOD, she is able to do this. And even if the weakest and greatest sinner, also he who is in death-bringing sin, would say the "Hail Mary", how would the Mother of GOD be greatly pleased with it! For she is very anxious that the bitter Passion and Death of her Son should not be in vain. All she wants is the sinner to be converted. How many souls were already saved from damnation, "only" because of the two, three "Hail Marys", which had been said throughout the day. When I venerate Mary as Mother of GOD in my prayer, then I can be assured that she achieves anything with GOD, and, after all, we ask her at the end of this so wonderful prayer: "... Mother of GOD, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen!"

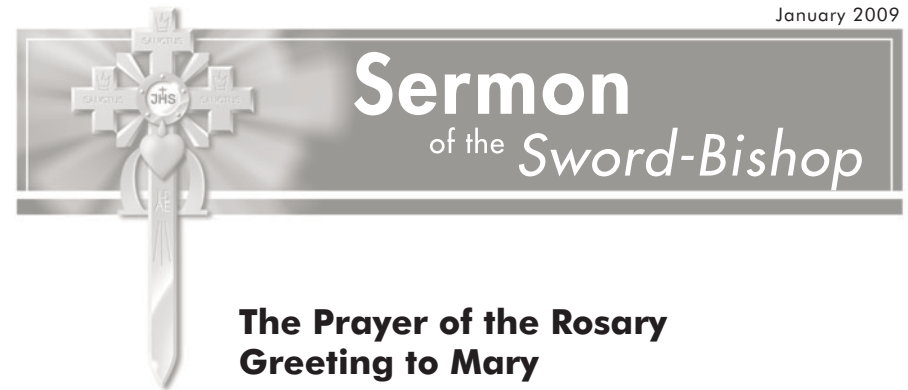
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**Be blessed by GOD TRINITY,
the + FATHER and the + SON
and the + HOLY GHOST. Amen!**

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The Prayer of the Rosary Greeting to Mary

The prayer of the Rosary is Mary's sharpest weapon against evil. This prayer gives trouble to many. Someone said to me on this matter that there is, however, written in Holy Scripture: „And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words.“ (Matth. 6,7) My beloved, the recital of the Rosary does not mean "speaking much", for it is not said: „You marvellous one, Your Ladyship, You glorious one, You highly-favoured of GOD ...“, but these are very brief, concise and simple sentences.

When I was a little boy, I wanted to say one "Hail Mary" whenever I had time, as still I like doing it today. And while praying in this way I see the Mother of GOD in front of me. Heaven can indeed reveal itself in uncountable variations. At this moment, Heaven revealed itself in the shape of Paradise, of a marvellous garden with wonderful paths, fountains, of which every droplet made a wonderful sound blending into marvellous chords. In this Garden of Eden I saw Mary walking around, in the middle of a conversation with st John the Apostle. St John the Baptist was present, too, also other great Saints, as well as Angels. When I saw Mary engrossed in conversation, I no longer dared greet her. Who am I, anyway, compared with these mighty Saints? „But sometime or other I must begin the prayer“, I thought and began in a whisper: „Hail Mary ...“ believing that, if she does not hear me, I do not mind. But what happened? Immediately the Mother of GOD reacted, looking at me full of love and saying joyfully to the Saints (with words to the following effect): „Look at the child, how he is greeting me!“ I was dumbfounded. Cannot put this into words. How can the Mother of GOD be so pleased with me since I just greeted her? And as she turned towards me I could not but exclaim because I saw: „You are full of grace!“ „But it is no wonder“, I thought further, since: „The LORD is truly with You!“ And as Mary looked at me so joyfully and virginally, I could not help saying: „Indeed You are the woman