

GOLDEN WARRIOR

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37th Anniv. sale, only 50¢ each

Reach out with Pearls

HERE'S YOUR FRESH COPY (enclosed) of the exciting and total revision of *Pearls from Heaven*. Our Lady's Message is encapsulated in just a few pages in this attractive and comprehensive booklet that includes many new excerpts from the Message from Heaven. This stunning booklet is the perfect introduction to Our Lady's story of Bayside for all of God's people in your life: loved ones, neighbors, friends, and parishioners will all be touched.



"You are not here by accident. But with this great grace you have great responsibility to send this Message from Heaven throughout the world!" *Jesus, Aug. 5, 1975*

And we have a special 37th Anniversary sale for you! Only 50¢ each (reg. \$1.00) for 10 copies or more (under 10 copies, \$1.00 each).

So order your quantities today! This offer ends May 14. It's a super low price so you can do your job and get this urgent Message out en masse—exactly what Jesus and Mary want!

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Annual May Crowning

MARK YOUR CALENDAR for Sunday, May 6, 10:30 a.m.-noon at Our Lady of the Roses Shrine. Josefa Linnell, 7, of Cape Cod, Mass., (rt.) will crown Our Lady this year.



2006 May Crowning



THROUGH THE KINDNESS OF an apostle, 20 billboards were posted on the busy boulevards and streets of Queens, N.Y. (Jamaica area) for over two months this winter. It produced hundreds of hits on our website and kept our toll-free line busy. There's nothing like exposure. If you want to post some billboards in your area, call John Benevides, LOSM, at 718.359.3908.

Happy and joyous Easter from our family to yours

We would be very thankful for your thoughtful and generous **Easter donation** to help cover two major expenses.

As we informed you last year, it costs about \$5000 a year to operate the Vigils and Holy Hours at the Shrine. Some of the bigger expenses that this entails would be the permits, clean-up bonds, portable restrooms (for the major events), banners, and maintenance costs. (We just paid \$500 for new batteries and charger for the loudspeakers).

Help us help Our Lady. If you give, we can give!

The other major expense was the total redo of our bathroom in the pressroom because of age and severe water damage. This cost us about \$4000. This is a restroom that gets a lot of traffic because all the good Baysiders gather in Our Lady's workshop a few times a year, for example, after the May Crowning and during Our Lady's Anniversary weekend.

So your gift, whether it is \$25 or \$100 or \$1000 is truly **needed now**.

Keep up the good work and all your prayers, Masses, and remembrances—do we ever **appreciate** your spiritual bouquets!



You are invited to solemn vows

SR. THÉRÈSE OF MERCIFUL LOVE, O.C.D., a dear member of the SMWA family, will be making her solemn profession of vows on Sunday, May 27 at the Carmel in Nebraska (Lincoln Diocese). Bishop Fabian Bruskewitz will do the veiling and is the celebrant of this Solemn High Pontifical (Latin Tridentine) Mass at the Throne.

You will recall, before her entrance, Sr. Thérèse testified on St. Michael's Radio to the manifold graces received at Our Lady's Shrine and one of her heart-felt petitions is for the "approbation of Bayside."

Sr. Thérèse is the daughter of Cape Cod, Mass., organizers, Tom and Mary Bauer, and godchild/niece of Michael Mangano (SMWA pres.).

She has invited all devotees to her espousal to Jesus and hopes that as many as possible can attend. If you are interested and for more information, call William Dykes, LOSM, at 718.359.3908. We need a count so we can finalize our plans for air, lodging, transportation and the reception after Mass.

24/7 toll-free orderline

When you call 888.830.SMWA(7692) to place an order from our gift shop or to give a donation, you will always get a live operator. And you might just get the pleasant voice of long-time devotee, Renee Jimenez. Renee has volunteered the services of her company to answer our orderline on nights, weekends and holidays. When you call, tell her that the Lay Order of St. Michael sends our prayers and best wishes.

AVE MARIA
GRATIA PLENA



A historic accomplishment

THIS GORGEOUS PIETA STATUE was a gift from SMWA and is located in a small side chapel at St. Fidelis R.C. Church in Queens, N.Y., where the Lay Order of St. Michael are daily communicants. As the plaque above reads (see inset): "This Pieta statue was donated through the kindness of St Michael's World Apostolate • In honor of Our Lady of the Roses, Mary Help of Mothers." (Note the plaque, middle left, just above the American flag.)

Surely Veronica of the Cross was smiling (and winking) from Heaven when this statue was blessed and dedicated in February by the pastor after the 12:30 p.m. Mass, which was also attended by about 40 devotees. The illustrious name of Our Lady of the Roses, Mary Help of Mothers is now affixed within the portals of Holy Mother Church—a little foretaste of the glory and recognition due to Our Lady of Bayside. For now we'll accept this small but symbolic achievement.



SMWA was thanked by name from the altar by the pastor (pictured above with some of the devotees in the church hall) and the parishioners actually clapped for us. It was really a joyous occasion because at the same ceremony the new tabernacle was also blessed and officially returned to its rightful place—the center of the sanctuary. It was originally located where the Pieta statue is now!

By the way, we could use **your help**, too! This memorial cost \$5000. One pilgrim has already donated \$1000, but we need \$4000 more. This is your statue and memorial as well, so your **kind and generous gift** to help cover the cost would not only be helpful, but very meaningful. You'll be contributing to a **piece of history**.