

Part V

Mary, Mother of God and the Carmel

Flos Carmeli, Flower of Carmel

This is the prayer of St. Simon Stock, to whom, tradition tells us, the Brown Scapular devotion with its promise was given. It has for eight hundred years been a prayer to the Blessed Mother

O beautiful Flower of Carmel, most fruitful vine,
Splendor of Heaven, holy and singular,
who brought forth the Son of God,
still ever remaining a Pure Virgin,
assist me in this necessity.

O Star of the sea, help and protect me!
Show me that Thou art my Mother.

O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who
have recourse to Thee!

Mother and Beauty of Carmel, Pray for us!

Virgin, Flower of Carmel, Pray for us!

Patroness of all who wear the Scapular, Pray for us!

Hope of all who die wearing the Scapular, Pray for
us!

St. Joseph, Friend of the Sacred Heart, Pray for us!

St. Joseph, Chaste Spouse of Mary, Pray for us!

St. Joseph, Our Patron, Pray for us!

O sweet Heart of Mary, Be our salvation! Amen.

Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most
holy.

Blessed be her holy and Immaculate Conception.

Blessed be her glorious Assumption.

Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.

May the divine assistance remain always with us
And may the souls of the faithful departed through
the mercy of God rest in peace

Praised be Jesus Christ, now and forever.

+In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of
the Holy Spirit. Amen+