



MY
ROSARY
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MY
MILITARY
MISSAL



AGENCY OF U. S. G.

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FOR ALL BRANCHES
OF THE ARMED FORCES

Advice to Catholics in the Army and Navy

1. Seek out a Catholic Chaplain at once after your services to him for any assistance.
2. Write home frequently. God's Revelle calls you to Morning Prayers; may Tape find you at Evening Prayers. Recite silently but continuously, even in public (pages 100-107).
3. Unfortunately you commit grievous sin, make an Act of Perfect Contrition (page 111).
4. Be a soldier of Jesus Christ. Fight in the Crusade for Purity (see page 105).
5. Give good example as a Catholic gentleman. To non-Catholics, you represent the Church. Encourage other Catholics to follow Christ.
6. Offer your daily sacrifices in union with Jesus. Turn them to your eternal advantage. Subversive doctrines promise you heaven on earth; no such promise can ever be fulfilled.
7. Remember, it is appointed for you "once to die." Pray to live and die as a soldier of Christ.

My Name

I am in the U. S. Service . . . a member of

Serial No.

In case of emergency, send for Priest and notify

Name

Address

STUDY PERFECT CONTRITION, PAGE 111

"MY MILITARY MISSAL"

Contains the same Masses from the authorized "Missale Castrense," as used by your Chaplain

1. The Mass of the Most Holy Trinity (page 49) is recited on all Sundays and Feasts of Our Lord.
2. The Easter Sunday Mass (page 53) is recited on the Feast and during its Octave.
3. The Mass of Our Lady (page 59) is recited on other major feasts; it may also be used on all weekdays, unless the Chaplain offers the Mass "In Time of War" (page 63) or the Mass for the Dead (page 68).

I. Simplified Method to follow Mass

(as used in "My Sunday Missal")

When Mass begins, turn to **1** on page 7. Then read until directed to **2** in the "Proper" of the Mass (selected from above). Then turn back to **3** in the "Ordinary," and so on through **17**

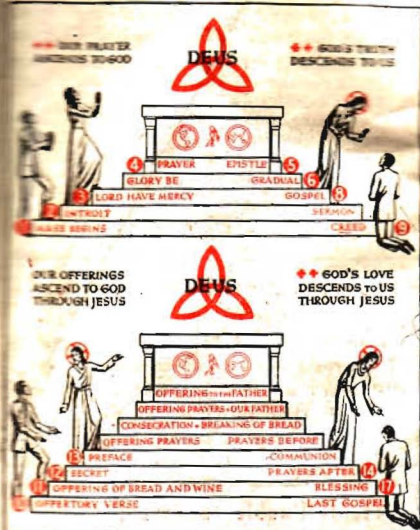
II. If Unable to Attend Mass

because of Military service or absence of Chaplain

1. Locate on World-Mass-Clock (page 128) that part of the world where Mass is now being offered (at this hour).
2. Recite Mass-Clock-Prayer (inside back cover).
3. Read and study for a few minutes the Catechism assigned to each Sunday (page 75).

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OUR LIFE and OUR MASS



This diagram reveals the Mass as our guide for daily life in our search for Truth and Love. At Mass, Divine Truth enlightens our intellect; Divine Love unites our wills to God and neighbor. Thus, the Mass is also the forerunner of future life in Heaven with its eternal Vision of Divine Truth and its eternal Union with Divine Love.

MY MILITARY MISSAL

With Masses
from abridged, authorized
"Missale Castrense"

*Used by Chaplains in all branches
of the armed forces;*

also

MANUAL OF PRAYERS

*Sword on front cover is symbol of war;
crown is pledge of victory.*

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Mass

Clock



MASS
TRAVELS
WITH SUN

A TIMELY
PRAYER AT
ANY HOUR

No matter when you look at your clock, it is early morning somewhere... and some Priest is offering Mass! 300,000 Masses every 24 hours! As you recall how Jesus once offered Sacrifice on the Cross, so now unite your sacrifice with His as He offers Himself again in Holy Mass.

(See opposite side for Prayer)

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absence of Chaplain

1. Locate on World-Mass-Clock (page 128) that part of the world where Mass is now being offered (at this hour).

Central U. S. time is listed. For instance, at 9 P. M. U. S. time, Mass is being offered in Jerusalem. Add or subtract from this U. S. time if in Africa, Europe or Asia.

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Mass-Clock-Prayer

Eternal Father, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I wish to unite myself with Jesus, now offering His Precious Blood in «*mention name of country*» in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for the needs of Holy Church, the conversion of sinners, the relief of the souls in Purgatory and for the special grace I here implore. Amen.