



IRISH MEMORY CARDS

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The Traditional Collection





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Front: B 4



Front: C 4



Front: D 4



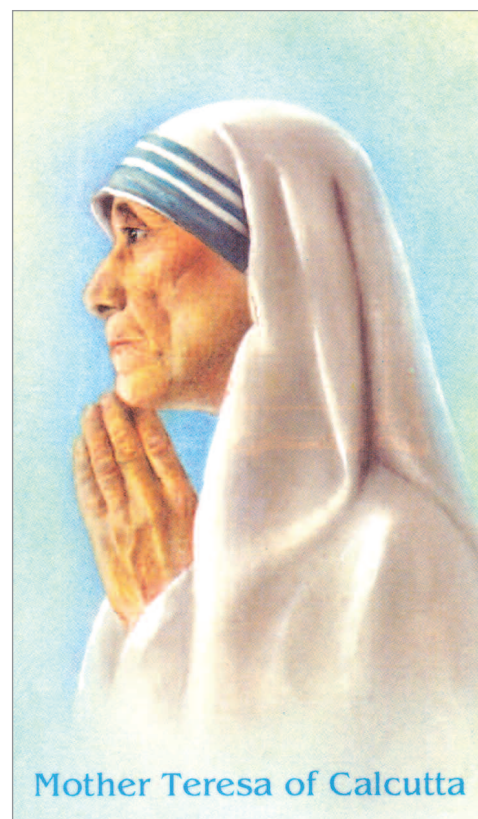
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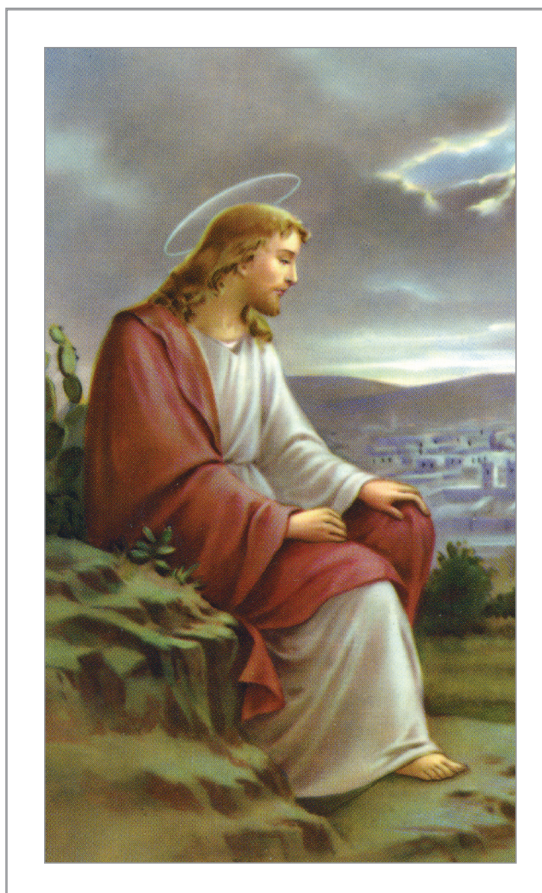


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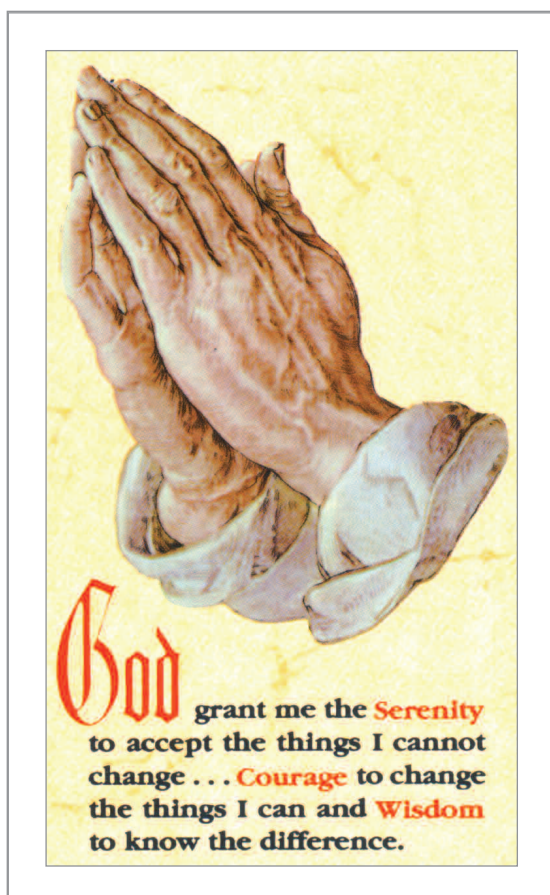




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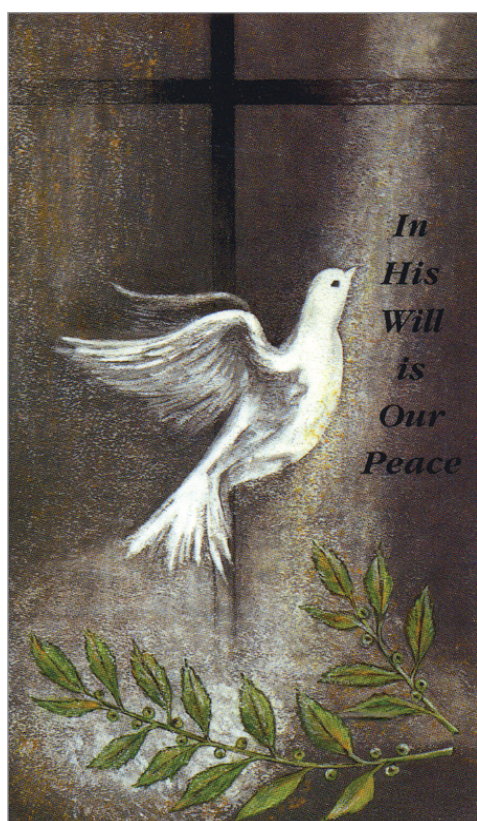




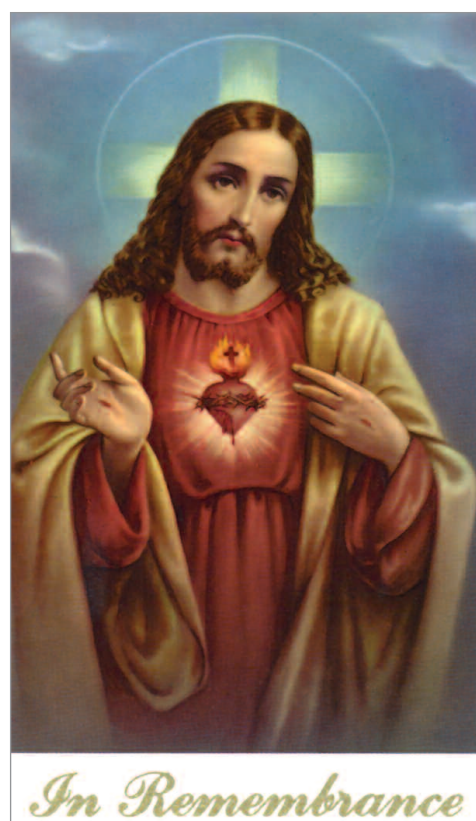
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Front: H 7



*Sweet Heart of Jesus,
grant that I may love
Thee more and more.*

Front: A 8



In Remembrance

Front: B 8



Front: C 8



Front: D 8





Those who die in grace
go no further from us
than God
and God is very near.

Front: E 9



Front: F 9



Front: G 9

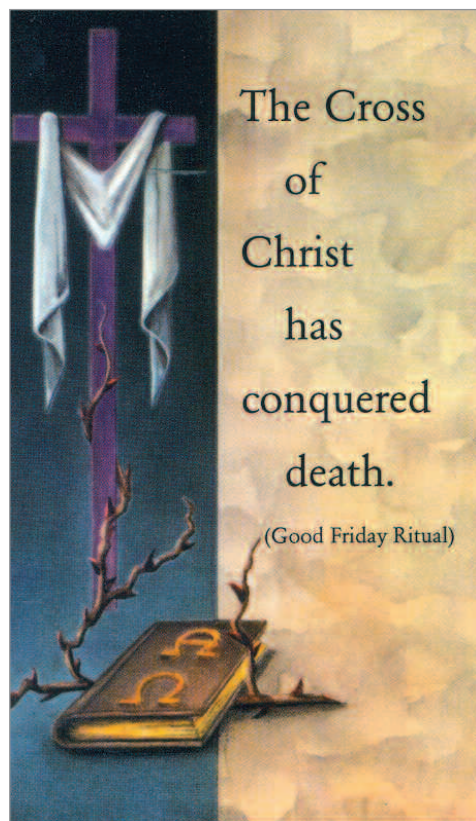


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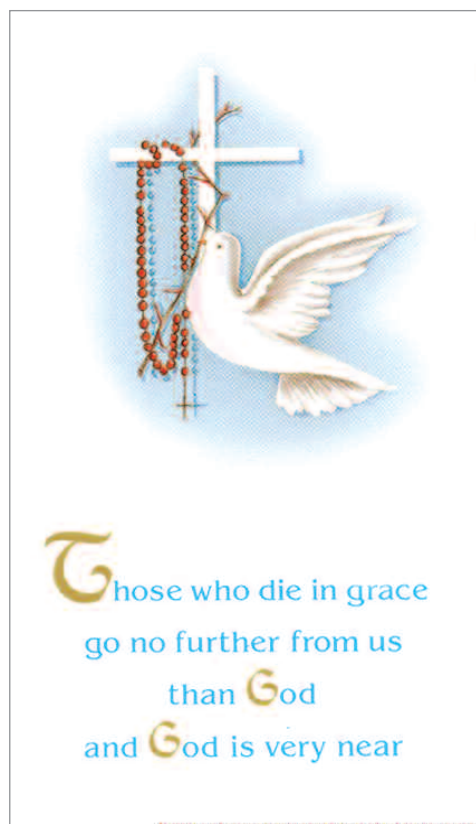
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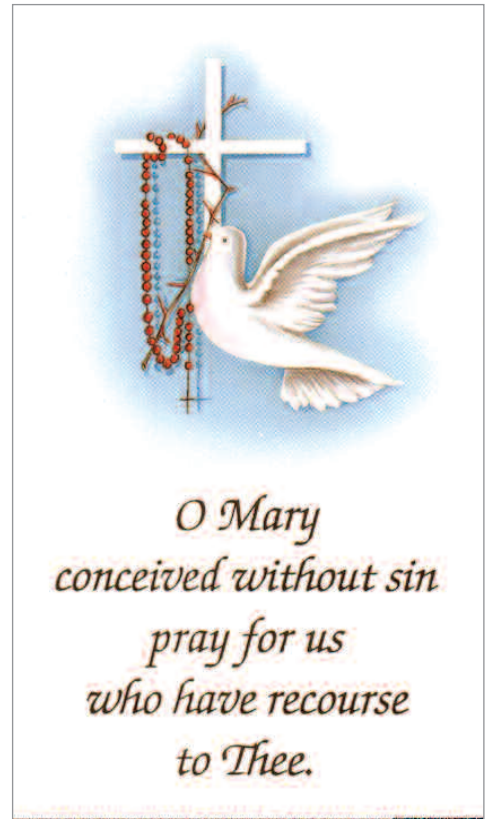


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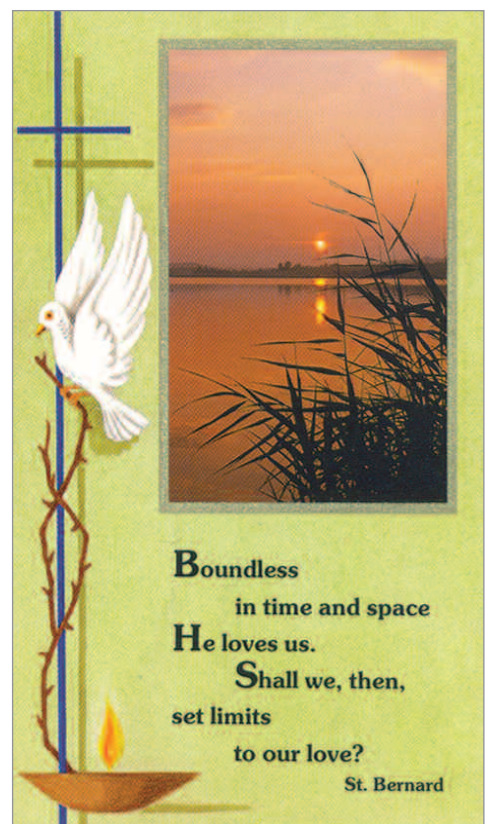
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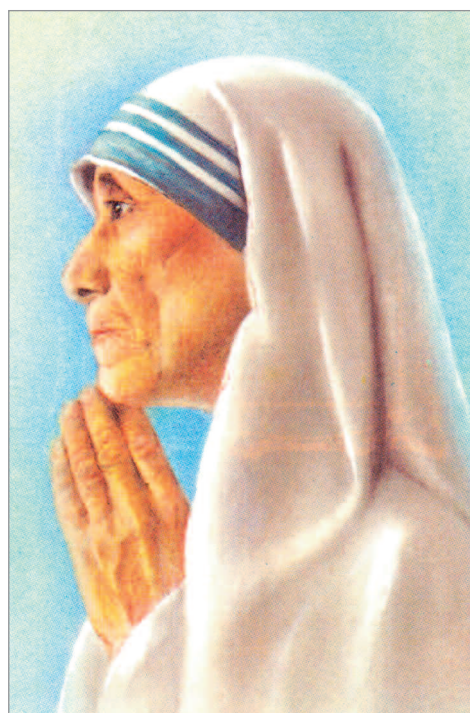


Front: B 12

**THE MEMORARE**

Remember O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of Virgins, my Mother; to thee I come; before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful, O Mother of the word incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy clemency hear and answer me. Amen

Front: C 12



Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Front: D 12



Front: E 13



Front: F 13



Those who die in grace
go no further from us
than God
and God is very near

Front: G 13



Front: H 13





Front: A 14



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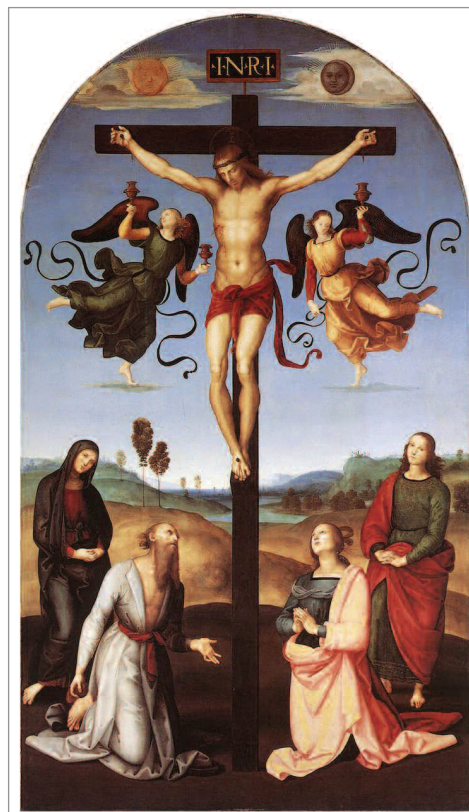


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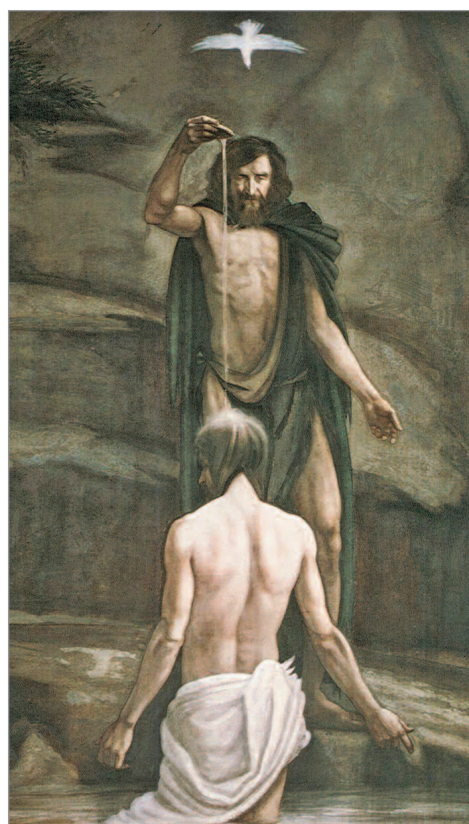
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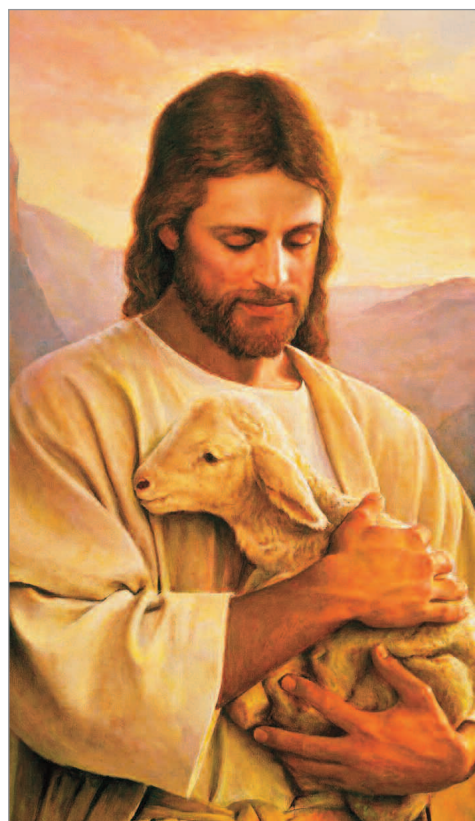
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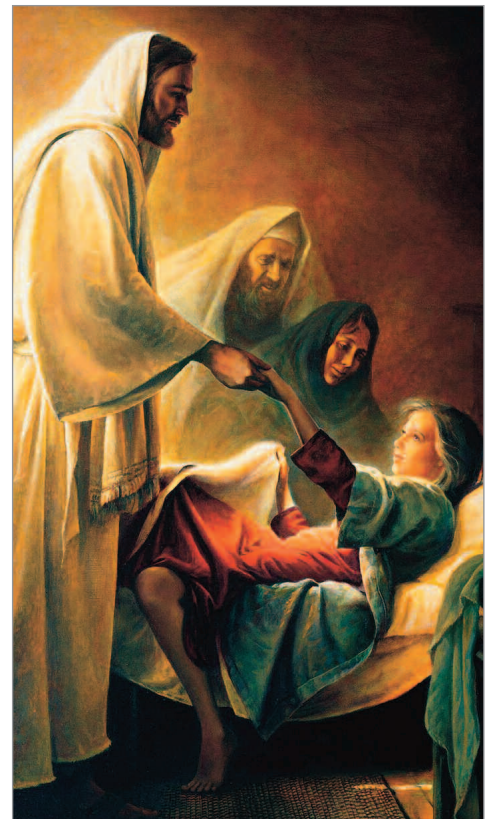
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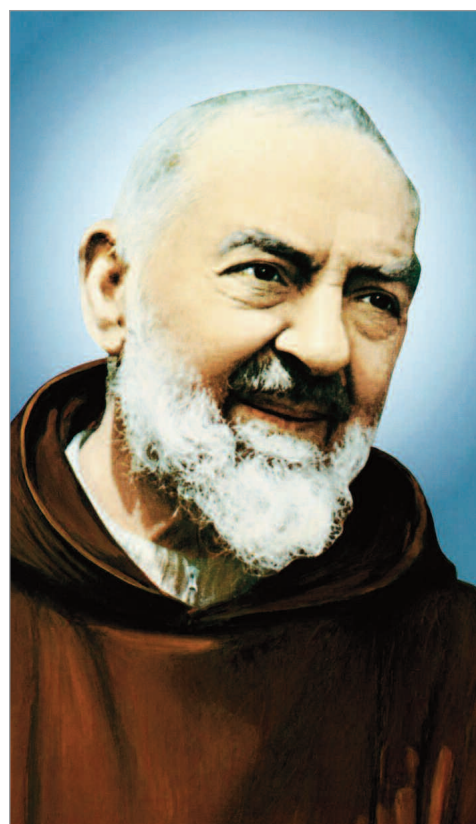
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St. Patrick of Ireland

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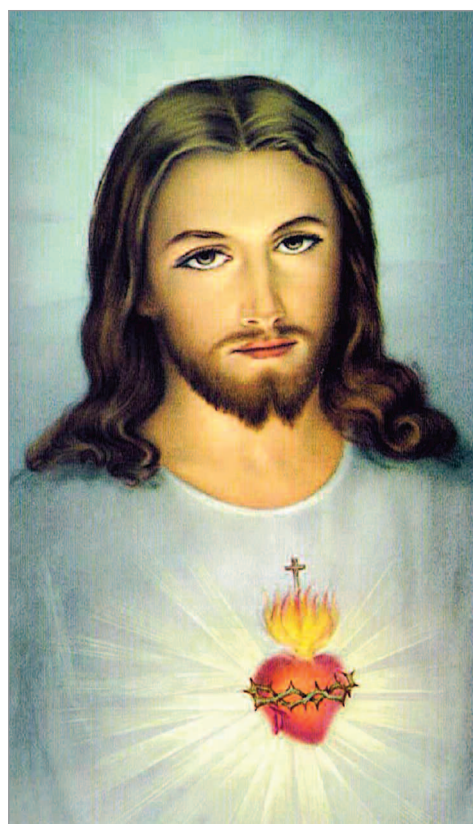
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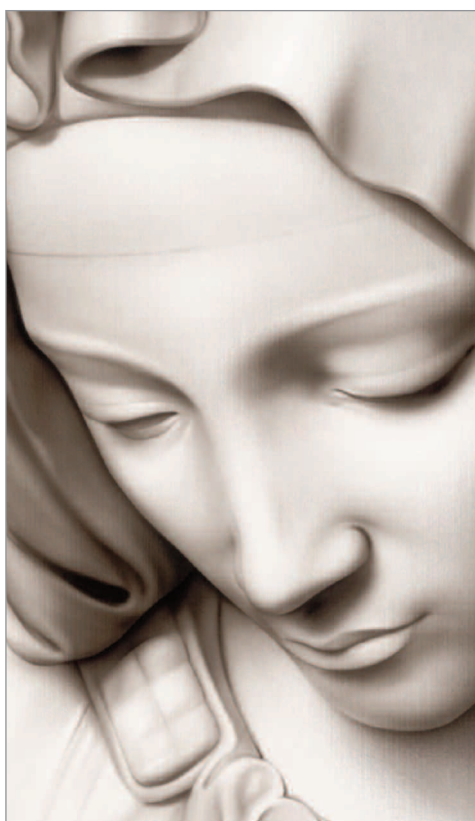
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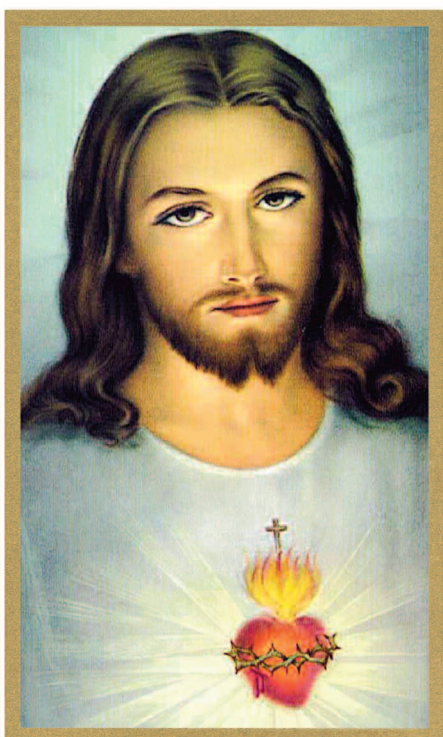
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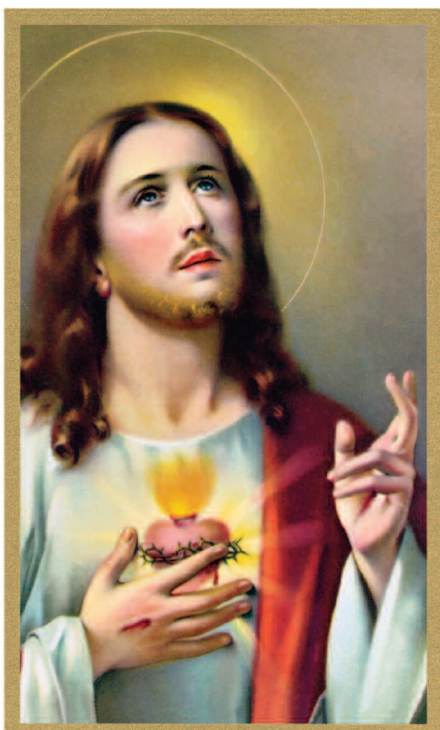
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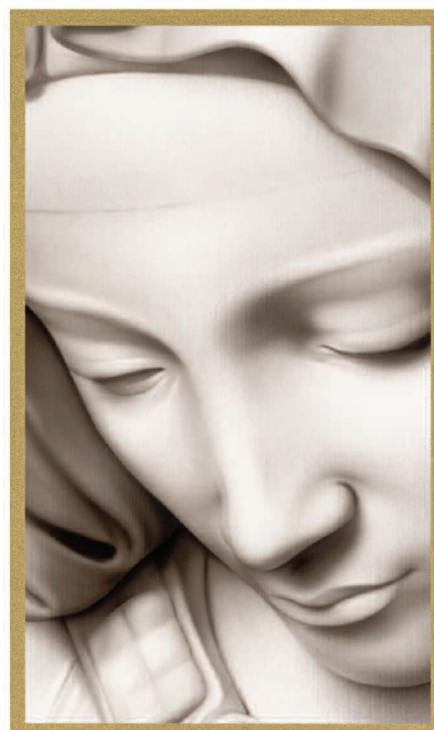
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The Floral Collection





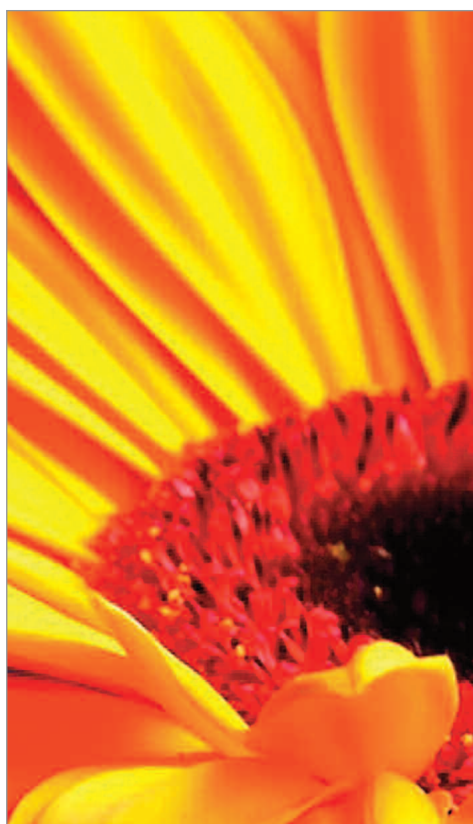
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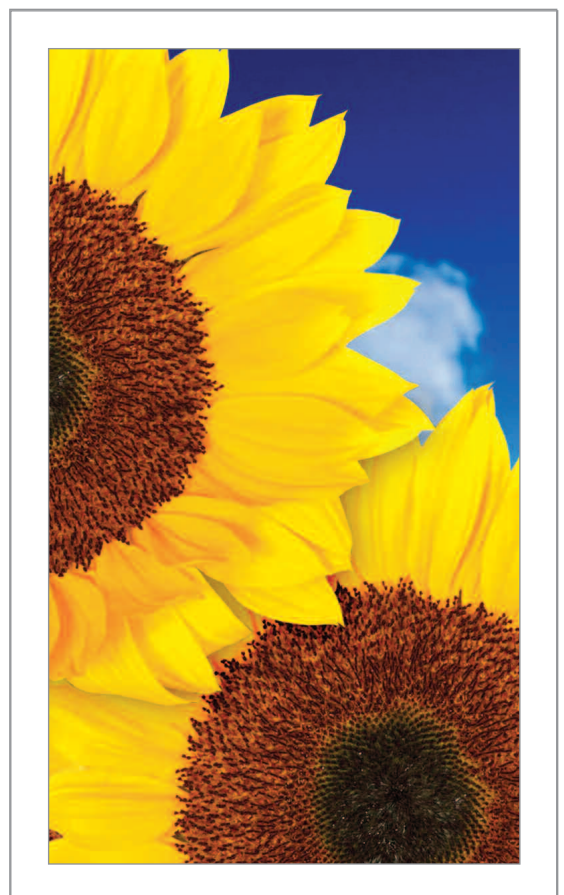
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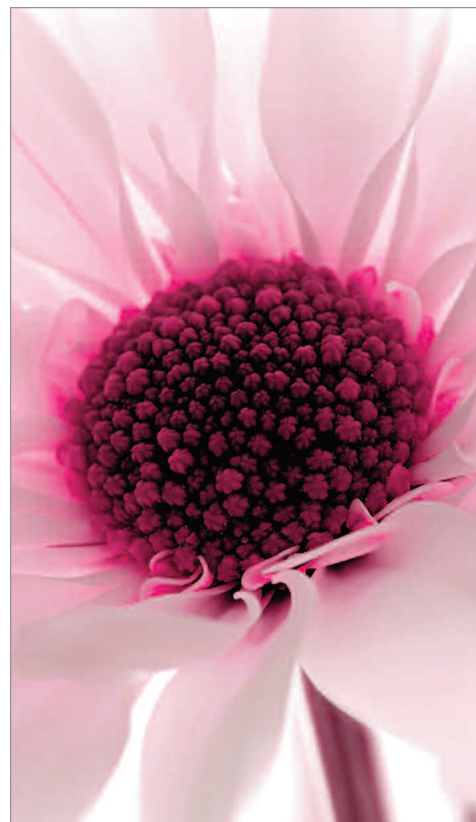
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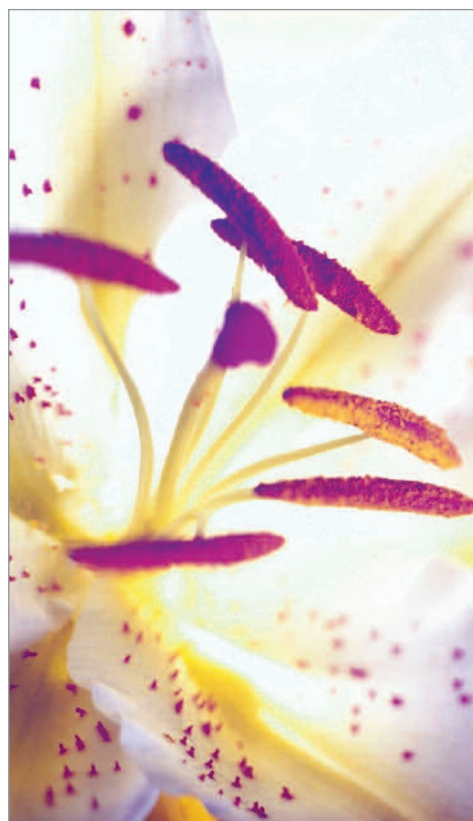
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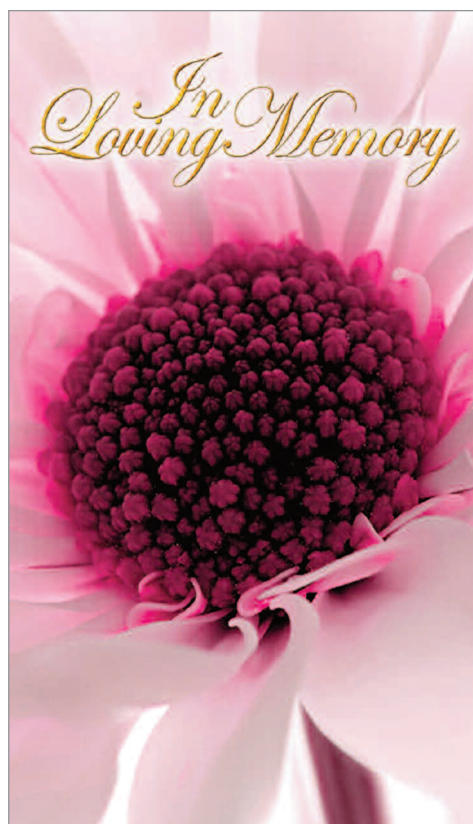
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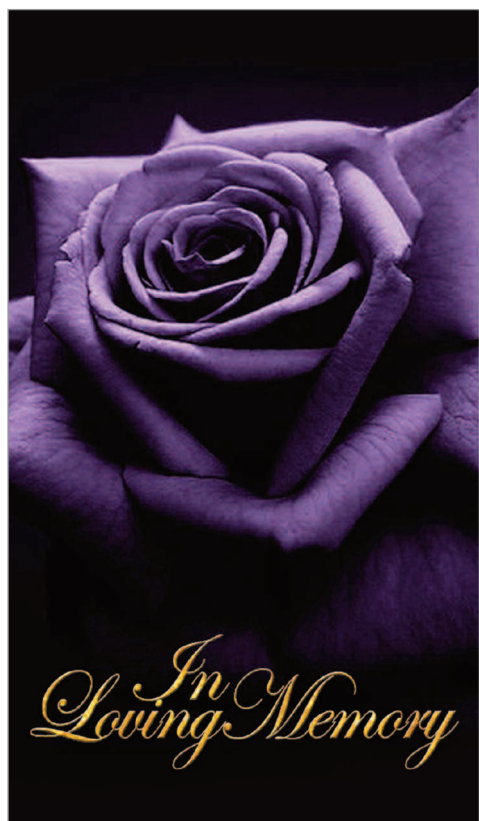
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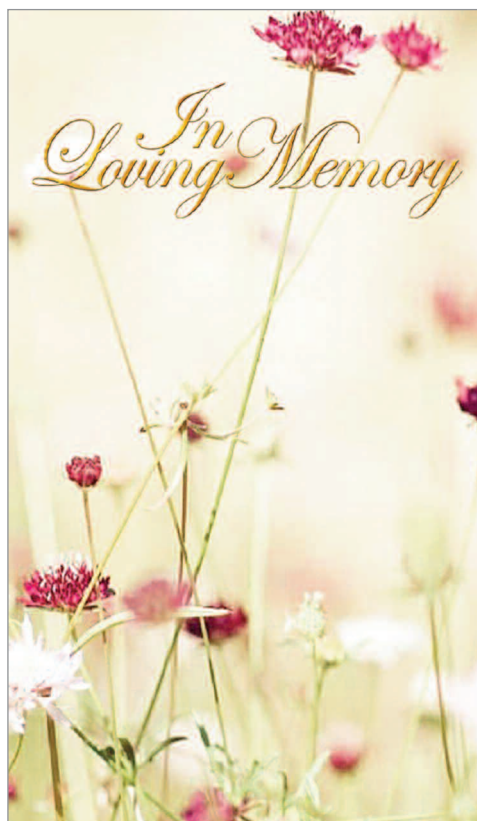
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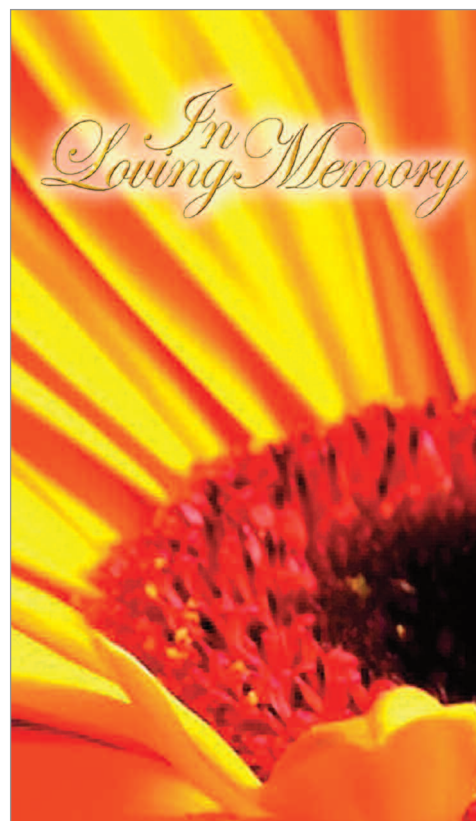
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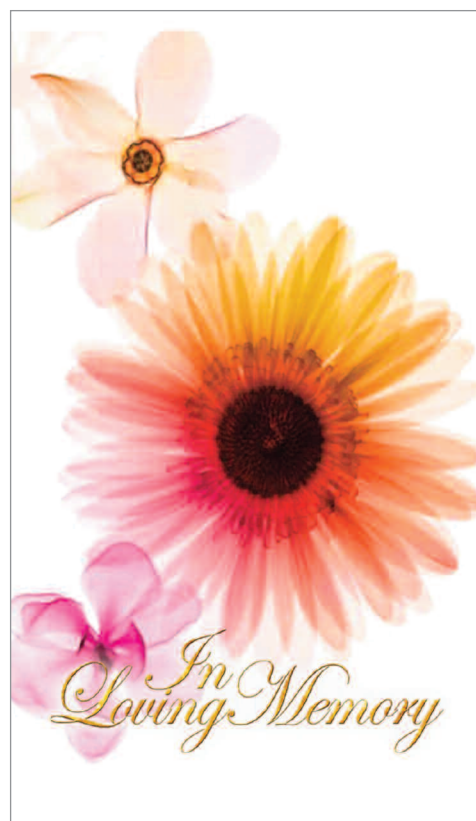
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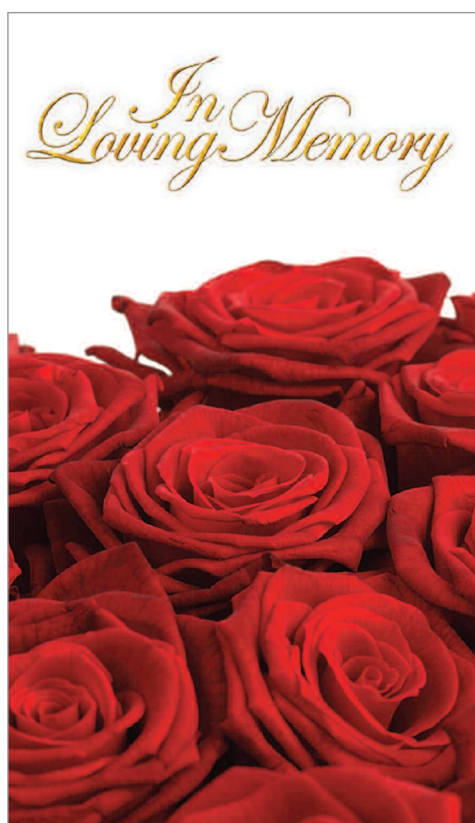




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The Celtic Collection





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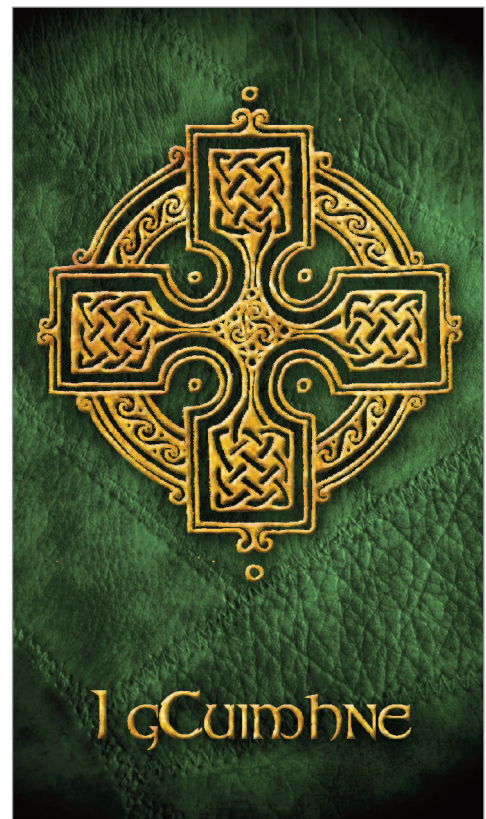


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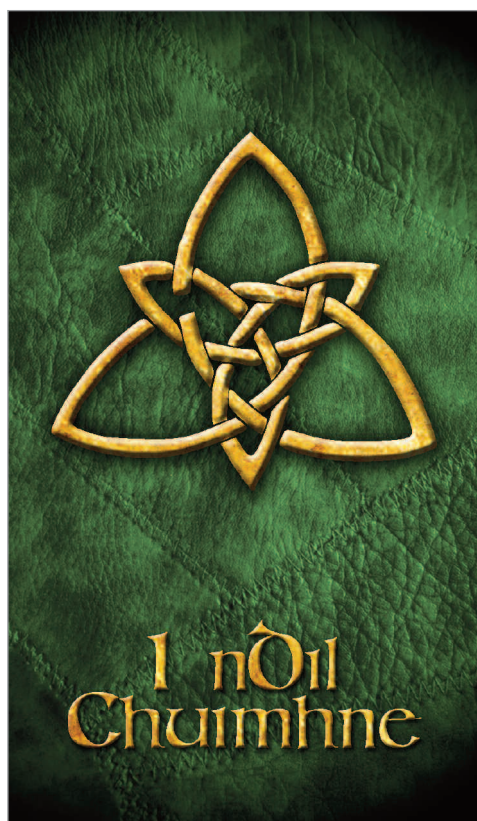
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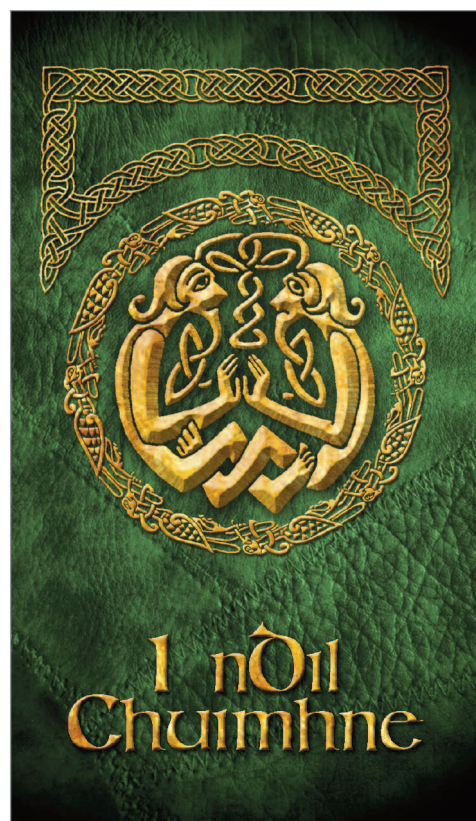
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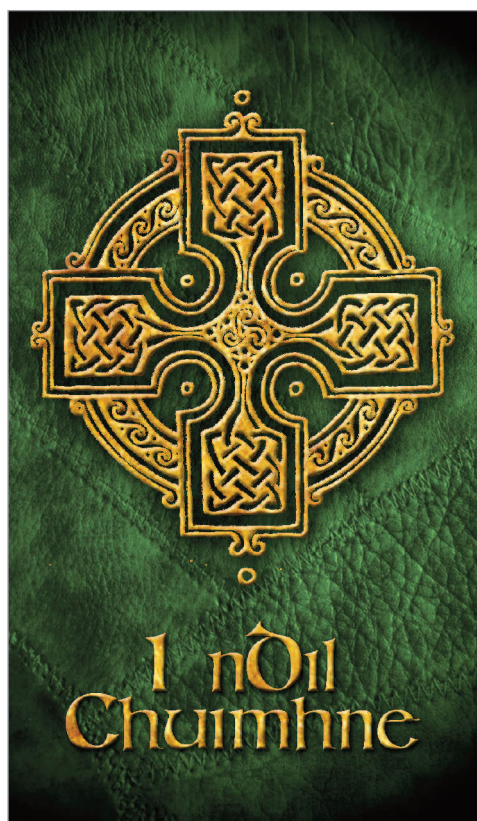
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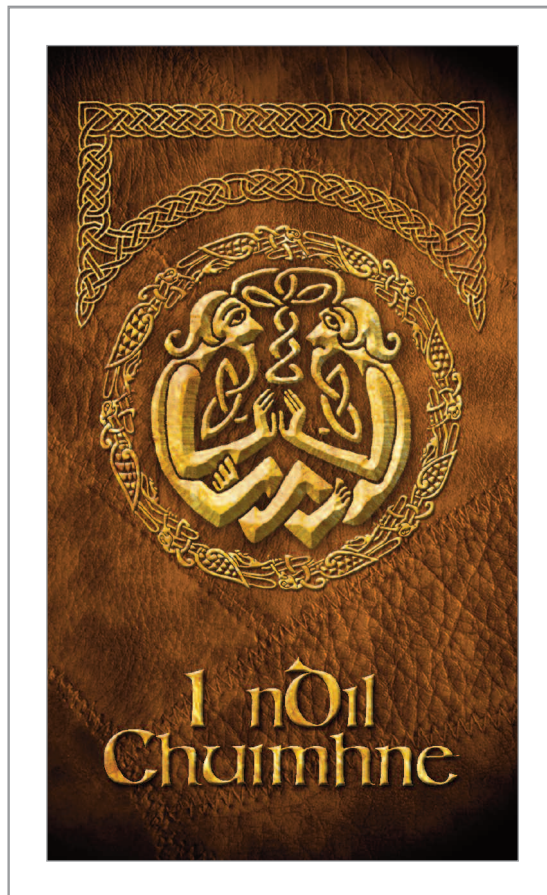


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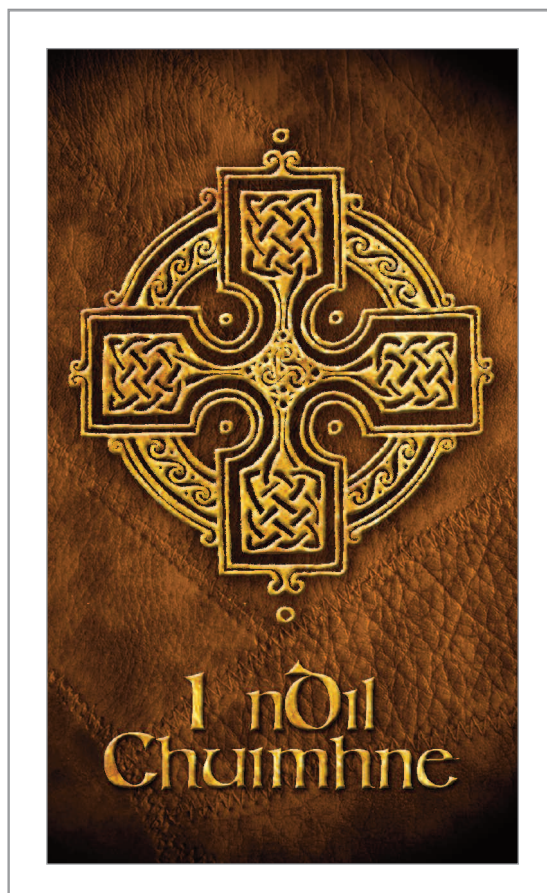




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The Stained Glass Collection





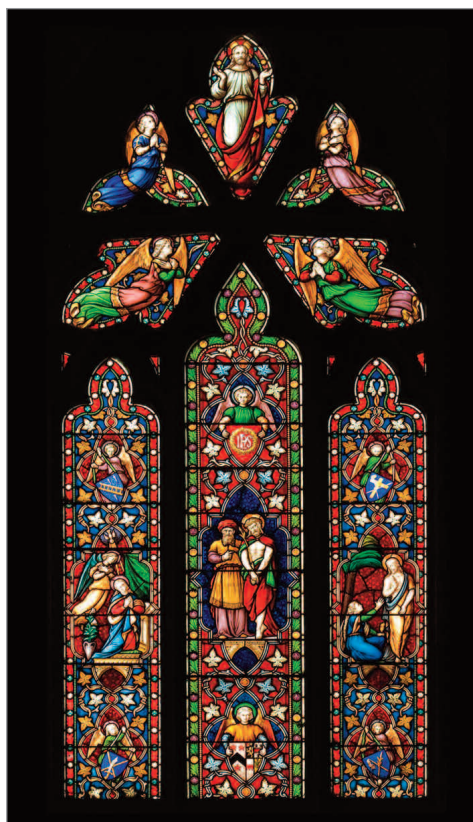
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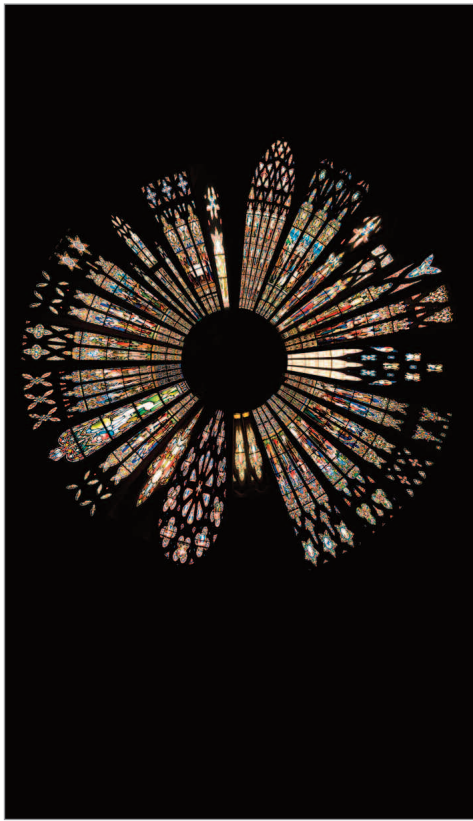
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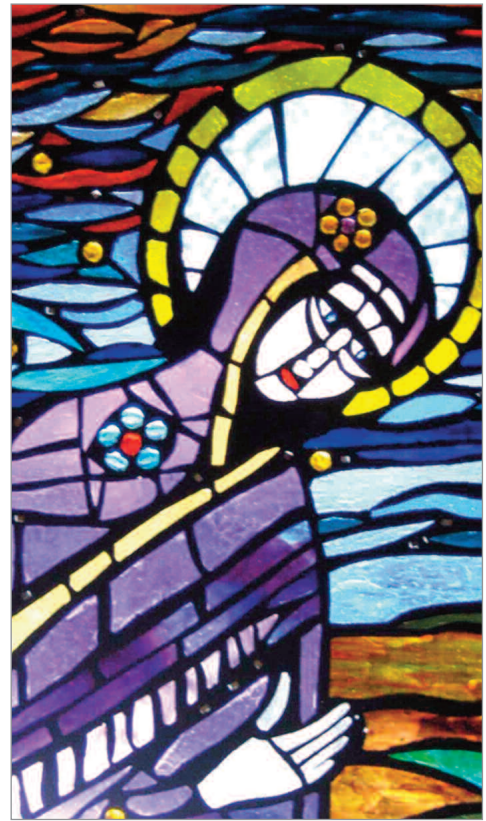
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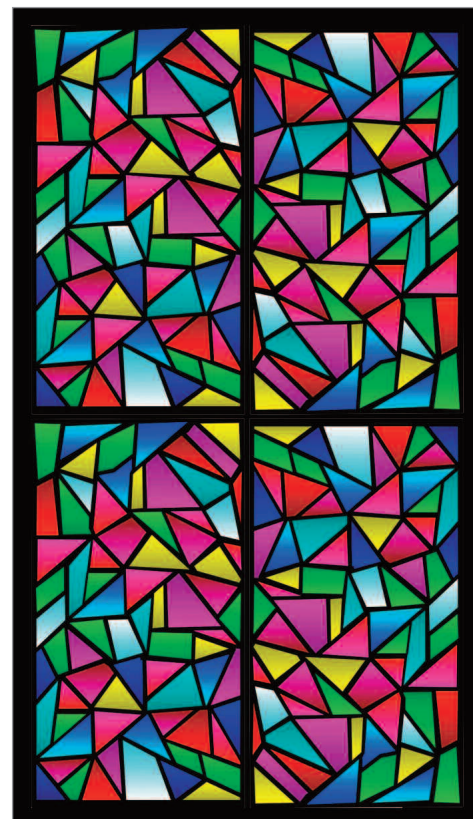
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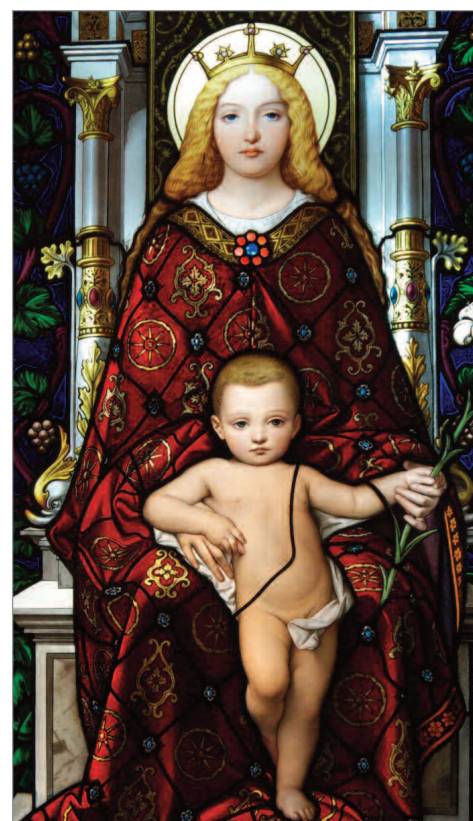
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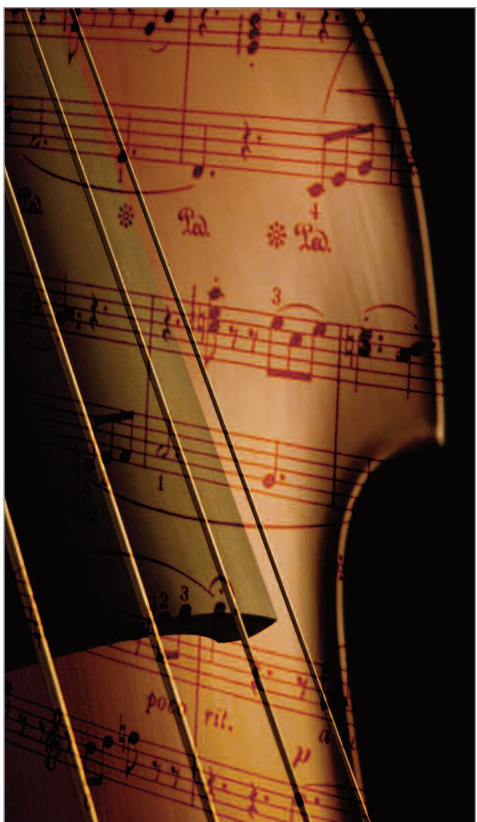


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The Music Collection

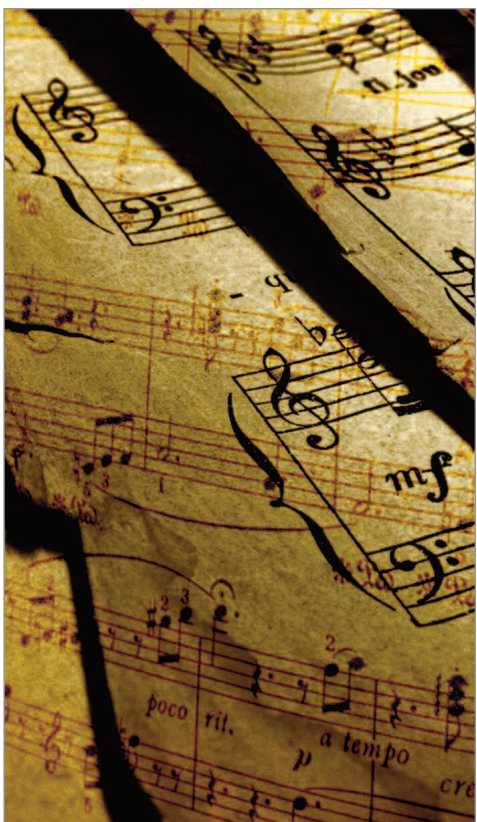




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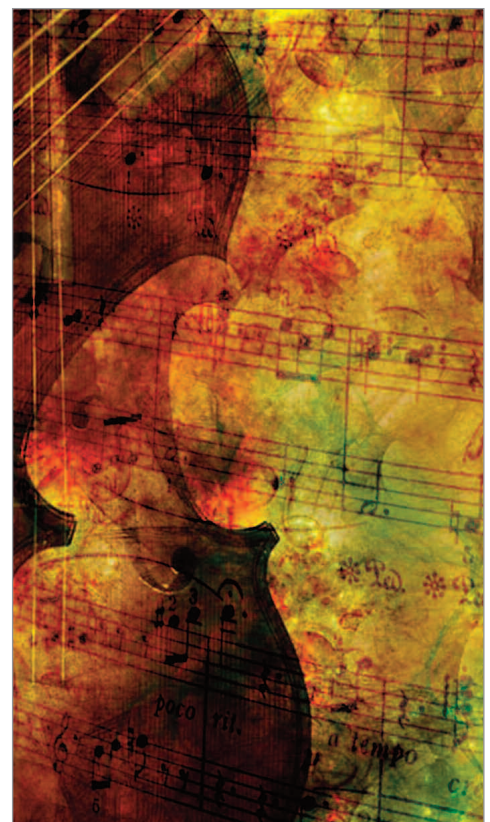
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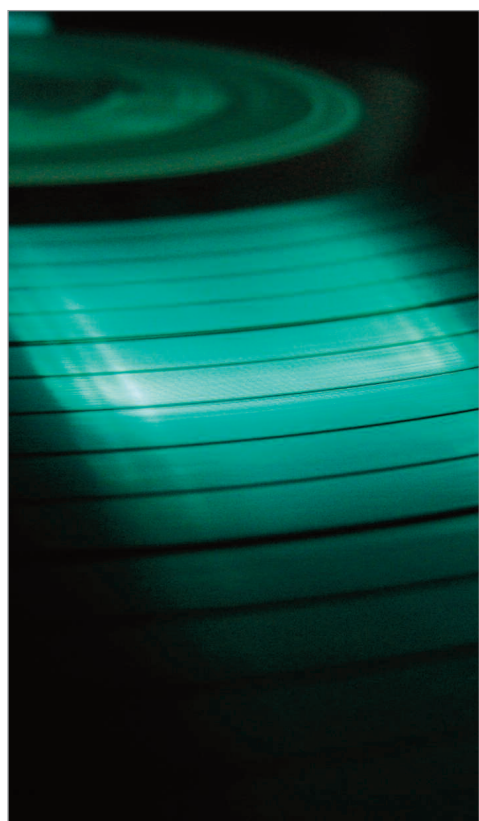
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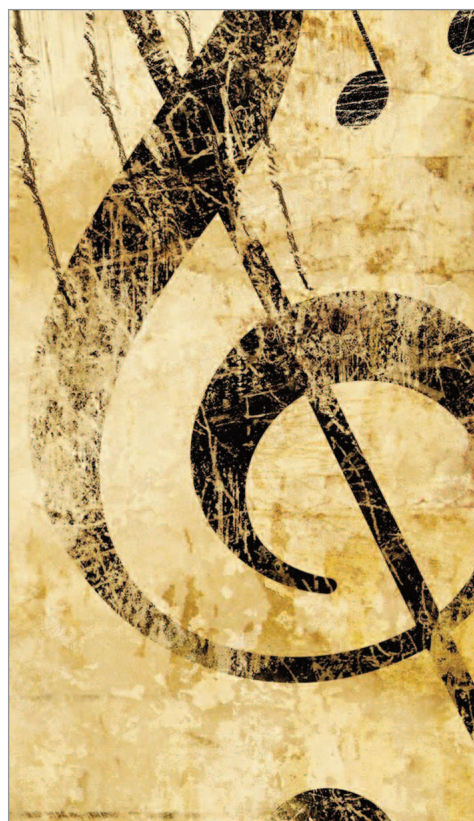
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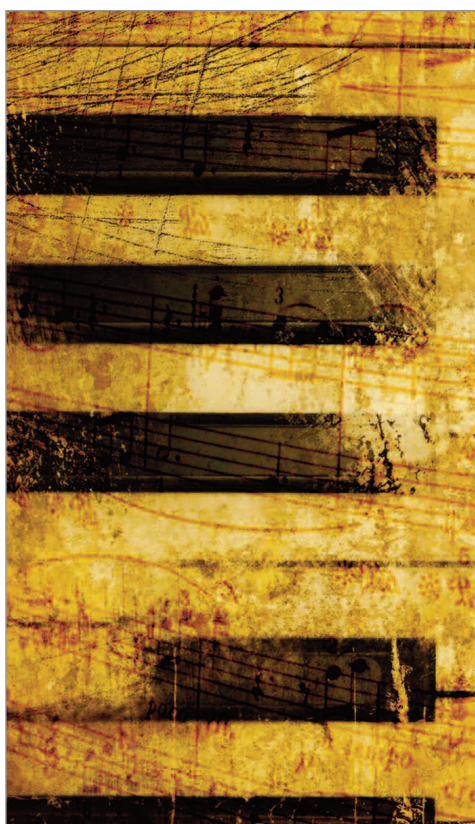
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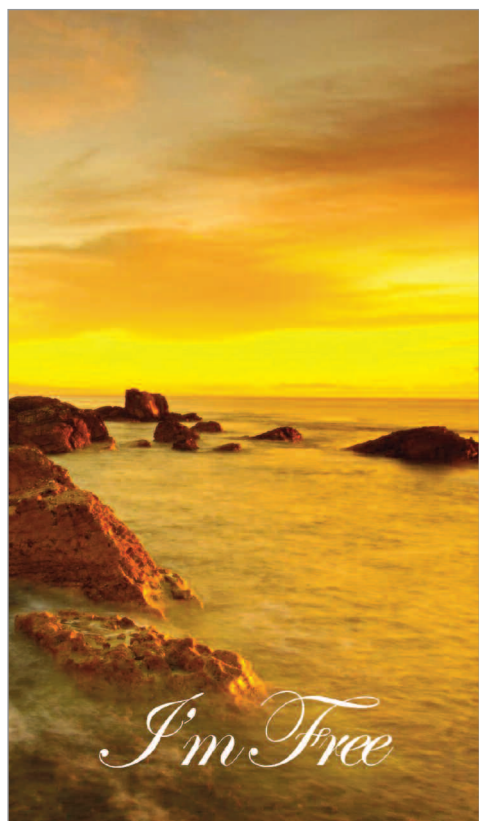


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The Landscape Collection





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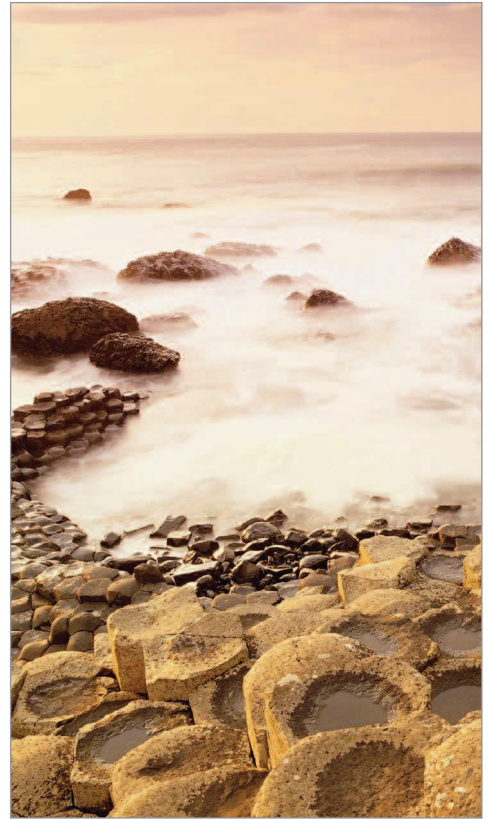
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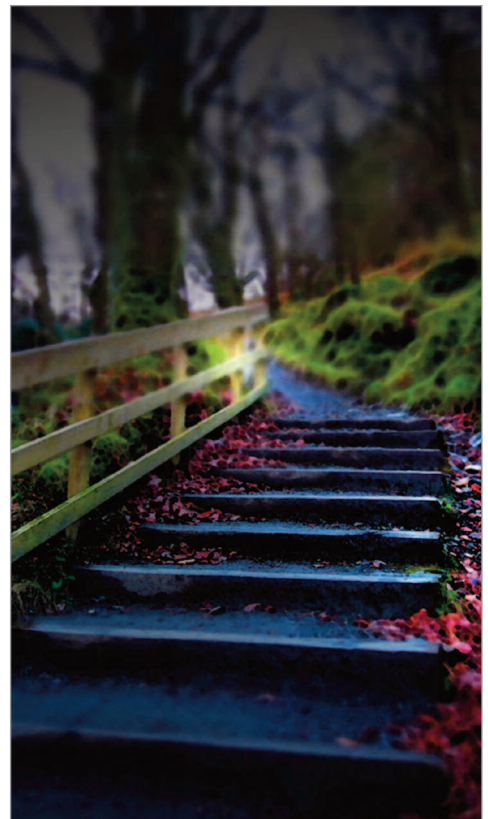
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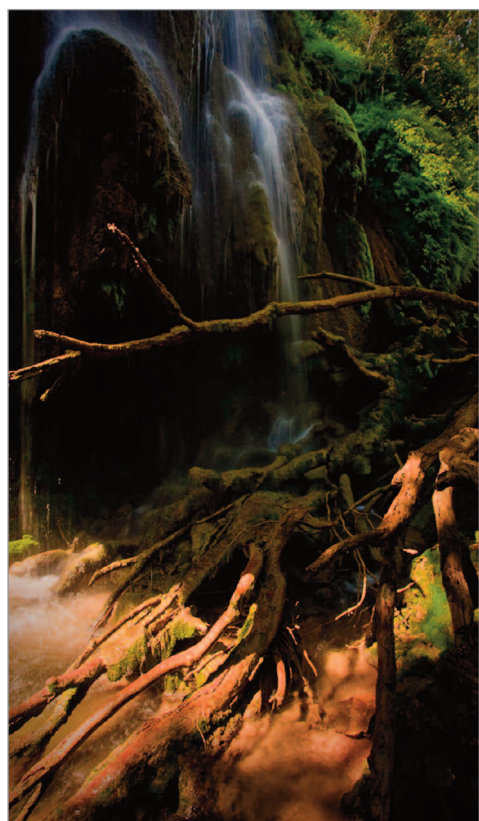
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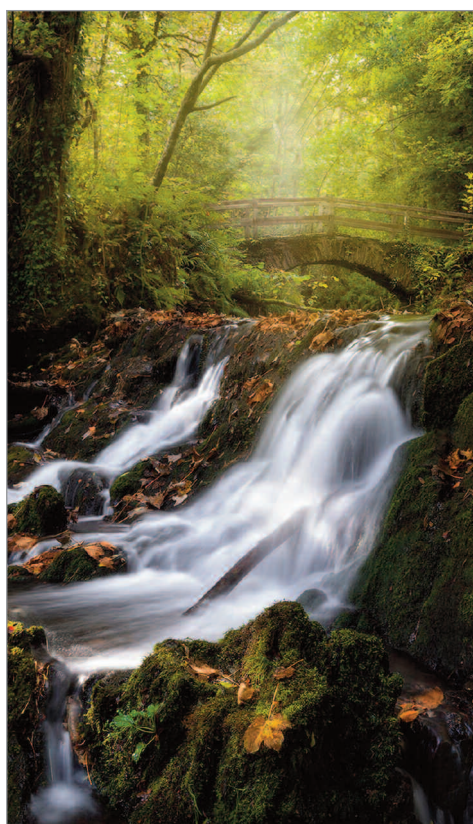
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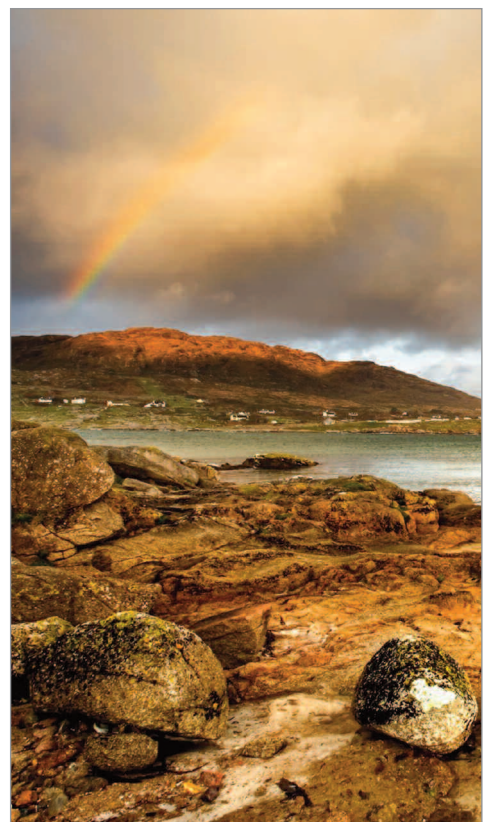
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Front: H 65



Poems & Prayers



Prayer to Saint Martin de Porres

Most glorious Martin De Porres
 whose burning charity embraced
 not only thy needy
 brethren, but also the very animals of
 the field, splendid example of charity,
 we hail thee and invoke thee! From
 that high throne which thou dost
 occupy, deign to listen to the
 supplications of thy needy brethren
 that, by imitating thy virtues,
 we may live contented in
 that state in which God has placed us
 and carrying with strength
 and courage our cross,
 we may follow in the footsteps of
 Our Blessed Redeemer and
 His most afflicted Mother, that
 at last we may reach the Kingdom of
 Heaven through the merits of
 Our Lord Jesus Christ.
 Amen.

Front: E 68

God Grant Me

God grant me
 the Serenity to
 Accept the things
 I cannot change...
 Courage to change
 the things I can, and
 Wisdom to know
 the difference.

Front: F 68

The Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin
 Mary that never was it known that
 anyone who fled to Thy protection,
 implored Thy help or sought Thy
 intercession, was left unaided. Inspired
 by this confidence I fly unto Thee, O
 Virgin of Virgins, my Mother; to Thee
 do I come, before Thee I kneel sinful
 and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word
 incarnate, despise not my petitions, but
 in Thy clemency hear and answer me.
 Amen.

Front: G 68

Just a prayer from

Just a prayer from
 the family
 who loved you,
 Just a memory
 fond and true,
 In our hearts you
 will live forever,
 Because we thought
 the world of you.

Front: H 68



Miss Me But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road
and the sun is set for me,
I want no rites in a gloom filled room
Why cry for a soul set free?
Miss me a little-but not too long
and not with your head bowed low,
Remember the love that
we once shared,
Miss me-and let me go.
For this is a journey we all must take
and each must do it alone,
It's all a part of the Master's plan
a step on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick of heart
go to the friends we know,
Bury your sorrows in doing
good deeds,
Miss me-but let me go.

Front: E 69

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took His hand when I heard Him call,
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play,
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at close of day.
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy,
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full,
I've savoured much,
Good friends, good times,
A loved one's touch.
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.

Front: F 69

Hail Mary

Hail Mary,
Full of Grace,
The Lord is with Thee,
Blessed art Thou
among women,
And blessed is the fruit
of Thy womb Jesus.
Holy Mary,
Mother of God,
Pray for us sinners,
Now and at the hour
of our death.
Amen.

Front: G 69

Father, Hear Our Prayers

Father,
hear our prayers and
console us, as we
renew our faith in
Your Son, whom You
raised from the dead.
Strengthen our hope
that all our departed
loved ones will share
in His Resurrection.

Front: H 69



Happy the Peacemakers

Happy
the
Peacemakers
for they
shall be
called
Sons of God

Front: A 70

We lost a mother with a heart of gold

We lost a mother with a heart of gold,
How much we miss her can never be told,
She shared our troubles and helped us
along.

If we follow her footsteps
we will never go wrong.

We miss you from your fireside chair,
Your loving smile and gentle air,
Your vacant place no one can fill,
We miss you mother and always will.

She was a mother so very rare,
Content in her home and always there,
On earth she toiled, in Heaven she rests,
God bless you mother
you were one of the best.

Each time we look at your picture,
You seem to smile and say,

Don't be sad but courage take
And love each other for my sake.

O sweet Jesus, for the sake of Thy Bitter
Passion and the sorrows of Thy Immaculate
Mother have mercy on her soul,
and let the light
of Thy countenance shine upon her.

Front: B 70

Our Lord's last promise

"Let not your heart be troubled.
You believe in God,
believe also in me.
In my Father's house, there
are many mansions.
If not I would have told you,
because I
go to prepare a place for you,
And if I shall go, and prepare
a place for you,
I will come again, and will
take you to myself;
That where I am, you also may be.
And whither I go you know,
and the way you know.
I am the way, the truth and the life."

Front: C 70

O My Jesus

O my Jesus,
forgive us our sins,
save us from the
fires of Hell and
lead all souls
to Heaven, especially
those who have
most need of Thy Mercy.

Front: D 70



The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in heaven,
hallowed by Thy name; Thy king-
dom come, Thy Will be done on
earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this
day our daily bread; and forgive us
our trespasses, as we forgive those
who trespass against us; and lead us
not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.
Amen.

Front: A 71

Prayer to St Anthony

O gentle and loving Saint
Anthony, you whose heart
was ever full of human
sympathy, whisper my prayer
to the ears of the infant
Jesus, who loved to linger in
your arms. One word from
you and my prayer will be
granted. Speak that word
and the gratitude of my heart
will ever be yours.

Front: B 71

Footprints

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he
was walking along the beach with the LORD.
Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For
each scene he noticed two sets of footprints in
the sand; one belonging to him, and the other to
the LORD.

When the last scene of his life flashed before
him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand.
He noticed that many times along the path of his
life there was only one set of footprints. He also
noticed that it happened at the very lowest and
saddest times in his life.

This really bothered him and he questioned the
LORD about it.

“LORD, you said that once I decided to follow
you, You’d walk with me all the way. But I have
noticed that during the most troublesome times
in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I
don’t understand why when I needed You most
You would leave me”.

The LORD replied, “My precious, precious
child, I love you and I would never leave you.
During your times of trial and suffering, when
you see only one set of footprints, it was then
that I carried you”.

Front: C 71

Resurrection Prayer

Most Merciful Father, we commend our
departed into Your hands.

We are filled with
the sure hope that our departed will rise
again on the last day with all who have
died in Christ. We thank you for all the
things you have given during
our departed’s
earthly life.

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O Father in Your great mercy, accept our
prayer that the gates of paradise may be
opened for your servant. In our turn, may
we too be comforted by the words of
faith until we greet Christ in glory and ar
united with you and our departed.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Front: D 71



They say there is a reason

They say there is a reason,
They say that time will heal,
But neither time nor reason,
Will change the way we feel.
No one knows the heartache,
That lies behind the smiles,
No one knows how many times,
We have broken down and cried.
We want to tell you something,
So there won't be any doubt,
You're so wonderful to think of,
And so hard to be without.

Front: A 72

Her heart was true

She never failed to do her best,
Her heart was true and tender,
She worked, and toiled for those she loved,
And left them to remember.
We sat beside your bedside,
Our hearts were crushed and sore:
We did our duty to the end
'Til we could do no more.
In tears we watched you fade away:
And though our hearts were breaking.
We knew you could not stay.
You left behind some aching hearts
That loved you most sincere:
We never shall and never will
Forget you, Mother dear.

Front: B 72

It was a sudden parting

It was a sudden parting,
Too bitter to forget,
Those who loved you dearly,
Are the ones who can't forget.
We often sit and think of you,
And think of how you died;
To think you could not say goodbye
Before you closed your eyes.
Your life was one of kindly deeds,
A helping hand for others needs,
Sincere and true in heart and mind,
Beautiful memories left behind.
The blow was hard, the shock severe,
To part with one we loved so dear;
Our loss is great, we'll not complain
But trust in God to meet again.
Two tired eyes are sleeping,
Two willing hands are still,
The one who worked so hard for us,
Is resting at God's will.
Our family chain is broken,
Nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us one by one
The links shall join again.

Front: C 72

There is a home that lies beyond

There is a home that lies beyond
And past it's golden door,
Awaits the one who's now away,
Not lost-just gone before,
And in that home that lies beyond,
The Master will prepare
A place for you, and when He calls
You'll meet your loved one there.
They say there is a reason,
They say that time will heal,
But neither time or reason,
Will change the way we feel.
No one knows the heartache,
That lies beyond the smiles,
No one knows how many times,
We have broken down and cried.
We want to tell you something,
So there won't be any doubt,
You're so wonderful to think of,
And so hard to be without.
There is no night without a dawning,
No winter without a spring,
And beyond death's dark horizon
Our hearts once more will sing.
For those who leave us for a while
have only gone away,
Out of a restless careworn world
into a "brighter day".

Front: D 72



We sat beside your bedside

We sat beside your bedside,
Our hearts were crushed and sore;
We did our duty to the end,
'Til we could do no more.
In tears we watched you sinking,
We watched you fade away,
And though our hearts were breaking
We knew you could not stay.
You left behind some aching hearts,
That loved you most sincere.
We never shall and never will
Forget you, Mother dear.
For many years the family chain
Was closely linked together,
But oh! That chain is broken now,
The main link gone forever.
The sunshine of our happy home,
Must always clouded be,
But Thou O Lord has sent this cross,
We bear it all for Thee.

Front: E 73

Memorare

Remember, O most gracious
Virgin Mary that never was it
known that anyone who fled to
Thy protection, implored Thy
help or sought Thy intercession,
was left unaided. Inspired by this
confidence I fly unto Thee,
O Virgin of Virgins, my Mother;
to Thee do I come, before Thee I
kneel sinful and sorrowful.
O Mother of the Word incarnate,
despise not my petitions, but in
Thy clemency hear and answer me.
Amen.

Front: F 73

O Lord Jesus Christ

O Lord Jesus Christ,
when the shadows fade
and the sorrows of
life are over,
grant to those we love,
holy rest and the beauty
of Thy Peace. Amen.
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Our Lady of Lourdes,
pray for her.

Front: G 73

A Prayer of Saint Francis of Assisi

Lord, make me an instrument
of Your peace.
Where there is hatred,
let me sow love.
Where there is injury, pardon,
Where there is doubt, faith,
Where there is despair, hope,
Where there is darkness, light,
and where there is sadness, joy.
O Divine Master, grant that I may
not so much seek to be consoled,
as to console;
To be understood, as to understand;
To be loved, as to love;
For it is in giving that
We receive —
It is in pardoning that we are
pardoned;
And it is in dying that we are
born to eternal life.

Front: H 73



There comes a time for all of us

There comes a time for all of us
When we must say good-bye,
But faith and hope and
love and trust,
Can never, never die.
Although the curtain falls at last,
Is that a cause to grieve?
The future's fairer than the past,
If only we believe.
Trust in God's eternal care-
So when the Master calls,
Let's say that life is still more fair
Although the curtain falls.

Front: A 74

They Say there is a reason

They say there is a reason,
They say that time will heal,
But neither time nor reason,
Will change the way we feel.
No one knows the heartache,
That lies behind the smiles,
No one knows how many times,
We have broken down and cried.
We want to tell you something,
So there won't be any doubt,
You're so wonderful to think of,
And so hard to be without.
We cannot bring the old days back,
When we were all together,
The family chain is broken now,
But memories are forever.

Front: B 74

Lord, make me an instrument

Lord, make me an instrument of
your peace; where there is
hatred, let me sow love; where
there is injury, pardon; where
there is doubt, faith; where there
is despair, hope; where there is
darkness, light; and where there
is sadness, joy.
Lord that I may seek to console
rather than to be consoled, to
understand rather than to be
understood; to love rather than
to be loved. For it is giving that
we receive, in self forgetfulness,
that we find our true selves, in
forgiving that we are raised up
to life everlasting.

Front: C 74

Padre Pio Prayer

O Jesus, full of grace and charity,
victim for sinners, so impelled by love
for us that you willed to die on the
cross, I humbly beseech you to glorify
in heaven and on earth the Servant of
God, Padre Pio of Pietrelcina, who
generously participated in Your
sufferings, who loved Thee so much
and laboured so faithfully for the
glory of Your heavenly Father and for
the good of souls. With confidence, I
beseech Thee to grant me, through his
intercession, the grace of ... which I
ardently desire.

Front: D 74



Day is Done

DAY IS DONE

the light of God shines

WORK IS OVER

rest with God has come

JOURNEY HAS ENDED

a home in God is found

Front: E 75

Angel of God,

my guardian dear,

To whom God's love

commits me here,

Ever this day,

be at my side,

To light and guard,

Rule and guide.

Amen.

Front: F 75

Prayer to St. Joseph

Oh! St. Joseph, whose protection is so great, so strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I place in you all my interests and desires. Oh! St. Joseph do assist me by your powerful intercession, and obtain for me from Your divine Son, all spiritual blessings, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. So that having engaged here below Your Heavenly power, I may offer my thanksgiving and homage to the most loving of Fathers. Oh! St. Joseph, I never weary of contemplating you, and Jesus asleep in your arms; I dare not approach while He reposes near your heart. Press Him in my name and kiss His fine head for me, and ask Him to return the kiss when I draw my dying breath. St. Joseph, Patron of departing souls, Pray for me.

Front: G 75

Our Lady of Knock

I come to Thee, my Mother, to lay before Thy feet, my fears, my hopes, my longings, my bitter hours and sweat. O take them Mother Mary, and place them by God's throne, your hands will give them value, they're worthless on their own. As I kneel before you, speak to your Son for me, though poor and small my offering, I know 'tis dear to thee. For you your Son at Cana, changed water into wine, the needs of bride and bridegroom, were small compared to mine. And so, my Mother Mary, I lay before Thy feet, my fears, my hopes, my longings, my bitter hours and sweat.

Front: H 75



Little White Guest

You have come to my heart,
 dearest Jesus,
 I am holding You close to my breast;
 I'm telling You over and over,
 You are welcome,
 O Little White Guest.
 I love You, I love You my Jesus,
 O please do not think I am bold;
 Of course, You must know that
 I love You,
 But I'm sure that You like to be told.
 I'll whisper "I love You, my Jesus",
 And ask that we never may part;
 I love You, O kind, loving Jesus
 And press You still near my heart.
 And when I shall meet You in Heaven,
 My soul then will lean on Your breast,
 And You will recall our fond meetings,
 When you were my Little White Guest.

Front: A 76

After Glow

I'd like the memory of me
 To be a happy one.
 I'd like to leave an After Glow of
 smiles when life is done.
 I'd like to leave an echo
 Whispering softly down the ways.
 Of happy times and laughing times
 And bright and sunny days.
 I'd like the tears of those who
 grieve,
 To dry before the sun.
 Of happy memories that I leave
 When Life is done.

Front: B 76

A Last Goodbye

Though happily each year had begun,
 I had to die whilst very young.
 It is so long since our last touch,
 And I miss your presence there so much.
 Of many things I needed to learn,
 So to this place, God made me turn.
 Yet with so many things to do,
 I have taken this moment to speak to you.
 The life that was, was not to be mine,
 Yet within this world it has worked out
 fine.
 Where I am now, I have found new friends,
 In a place called Heaven, where the spirit
 ascends.
 Straight to this world, few pass it by,
 And no one here can really die.
 Although this child, you cannot see,
 I know you'd be so proud of me.
 I look forward to when I'll see you,
 So until it's your time to come,
 Enjoy your life, and please don't cry,
 I just came to say a last goodbye.

Front: C 76

God's Garden

God looked around His garden
 And found an empty place.
 He then looked down
 upon the earth,
 And saw your tired face.
 He put His arms around you
 And lifted you to rest,
 God's garden must be beautiful
 He always takes the best.
 He knew that you were suffering.
 He knew you were in pain.
 He knew that you would never
 Get well on earth again.
 He saw the road was getting rough,
 And the hills were hard to climb.
 So He closed your weary eyelids,
 And whispered "Peace be Thine".
 It broke our hearts to lose you
 But you didn't go alone
 For part of us went with you
 The day God called you home.

Front: D 76



Hail Holy Queen

Hail, Holy Queen,
 Mother of Mercy,
 Hail our Life, our Sweetness,
 and our Hope.
 To Thee do we cry,
 poor banished children of Eve.
 To Thee do we send up
 our sighs mourning
 and weeping in this
 valley of tears.
 Turn then, most
 gracious Advocate,
 Thine Eyes of Mercy
 toward us, and after this
 our exile show us the Blessed
 Fruit of thy Womb, Jesus.
 O clement, O loving,
 O sweet Virgin Mary.
 Pray for us O Holy Mother of God
 That we may be made worthy
 of the promises of Christ.

Front: E 77

Some people just can't help
 making a difference in our lives.
 By simply being who they are,
 they make the world
 a little brighter,
 a little warmer,
 a little gentler,
 and when they're gone
 we realise how lucky we are
 to have known them.

Front: F 77

When tomorrow starts without me

When tomorrow starts without me,
 And I'm not there to see,
 If the sun should rise and find your eyes
 All filled with tears for me;
 I wish so much you wouldn't cry
 The way you did today,
 While thinking of the many things,
 We didn't get to say.
 I know how much you love me,
 As much as I love you,
 And each time that you think of me,
 I know you'll miss me too;
 But when tomorrow starts without me,
 Please try to understand,
 That an angel came and called my name,
 And took me by the hand,
 And said my place was ready,
 In heaven far above,
 And that I'd have to leave behind
 All those I dearly love.
 So when tomorrow starts without me,
 Don't think we're far apart,
 For every time you think of me,
 I'm right here, in your heart.

Front: G 77

Her heart was true

She never failed to do her best,
 Her heart was true and tender,
 She worked and toiled for those she loved,
 And left them to remember.
 We sat beside your bedside,
 Our hearts were crushed and sore;
 We did our duty to the end,
 Til we could do no more.
 In tears we watched you fade away:
 And though our hearts were breaking,
 We knew you could not stay.
 You left behind some aching hearts,
 That loved you most sincere;
 We never shall and never will,
 Forget you, Mother dear.

O Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious
 Blood of Jesus Christ in all the masses being
 offered all over the world or that will be offered
 for the soul of Thy servant.
 Amen.

O Jesus in Thy infinite mercy and through the
 prayers of the Blessed Mother of Sorrows,
 have compassion on the poor suffering souls
 in Purgatory: Oh! bring comfort to them in
 their pains, shorten their exile, and conduct
 them finally into Thy Saints and Angels they
 shall praise and glorify Thee for all eternity.
 Amen.

Front: H 77



You toiled So Hard for those you Loved

You toiled so hard for those you loved,
 You said goodbye to none,
 Your spirit flew before you know,
 Your work on earth was done.
 We miss you now, our hearts are sore,
 As time goes by we miss you more.
 Your loving smile, your gentle face:
 No one can fill your vacant place.
 Your life was love and labour.
 You love your family true.
 You did your best for all of us.
 we will always remember you.

Front: A 78

The Broken Chain

We little knew that day,
 God was going to call your name.
 In life we loved you dearly,
 In death, we do the same.
 It broke our hearts to lose you.
 You did not go alone.
 For part of us went with you,
 The day God called you home.
 You left us beautiful memories,
 Your love is still our guide.
 And although we cannot see you,
 You are always at our side.
 Our family chain is broken,
 And nothing seems the same,
 But as God calls us one by one,
 The chain will link again.
 Perhaps my time seemed all too brief
 Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
 If my parting has left a void
 Then fill it with remembered joy.
 Be not burdened with times of sorrow
 I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

Front: B 78

Those We Love Must Someday Pass

Those we love must someday
 pass beyond our present sight...
 Must leave us and the world
 we know without their radiant light.
 But we know that like a candle
 their lovely light will shine
 to brighten up another place
 more perfect... more divine.
 And in the realm of Heaven here
 they shine so warm and bright.
 Our loved ones live forever more
 in God's eternal light.

Front: C 78

Bridge of Love

There is a bridge of memory
 from earth to heaven above.
 It keeps you always near us,
 It's called the bridge of love.
 May you always walk in sunshine
 and God's love around you flow,
 for happiness you gave us,
 no one will ever know.
 It broke our hearts to lose you,
 but you did not go alone,
 for part of us went with you.
 The day God called you home.

Front: D 78



He only takes the best

God saw you getting tired,
 And a cure was not to be;
 So he put his arms around you,
 And whispered, "Come to me".
 With tearful eyes we watched you,
 And saw you pass away;
 Although we loved you dearly,
 We could not make you stay.
 A golden heart stopped beating,
 Hard working hands to rest.
 God broke our hearts to prove to us,
 He only takes the best.

Front: E 79

Irish Blessing

May the road rise to meet you,
 may the wind be always
 at your back.
 May the sun shine upon your face,
 the rains fall soft upon your fields,
 and until we meet again,
 may God hold you
 in the palm of His hand.

Front: F 79

My Precious Child

There's not a day that passes
 That I don't sit and cry,
 And look to Heaven for a reason
 But still I don't know why.
 Couldn't he have waited
 Another year or two,
 Until you were a little older
 And I'd had more time with you.
 Forgive me, Lord, I then say,
 All these thoughts are wrong,
 There had to be a reason,
 And I know I must be strong.
 You're in the arms of Jesus now
 And I know that you'll be fine,
 But I wish with all my heart,
 That those arms could be mine.

Front: G 79

Its not the tears

It's not the tears that
 are shed at the time
 That tell of the hearts
 that are broken;
 But the silent tears
 in the after years,
 When our loved one's
 name is spoken.

Front: H 79



Safely Home

I am home in heaven, dear ones;
oh, so happy and so bright!
There is a perfect joy and
beauty in the everlasting light.
All the pain and grief is over,
every restless tossing passed;
I am now at peace forever,
safely home in heaven at last.
There is work waiting for you,
so you must not idly stand,
do it now, while life remainth-
you shall rest in God's own land.
When that work is completed,
He will gently call you home;
oh, the rapture of that meeting
oh, the joy to see you come!

Front: A 80

Going To Heaven

When I am gone, release me, let me go
I have so many things to see and do.
You mustn't tie yourselves to me with tears,
just be happy that we had some years.
I gave you
my love, you can only guess how much you
gave to me in happiness. I thank you for the
love you each have shown,
but now it's time
I travelled alone. Do grieve a while for me
if you must then let your grief be comforted
by trust. It's only for a while that we must
part, so keep your memories within your
hearts. I won't be far away, for life goes on,
so if you need me call and I will come.
Though you can't see or touch me I'll be
near, and if you listen with your heart you
will hear, all of my love around so soft and
dear. And then when you must come this
way alone, I'll greet you with a smile
and say "Welcome Home".

Front: B 80

Life is but a stopping place

Life is but a stopping place,
a pause in what's to be,
a resting place along the
road of sweet eternity.
We all have different journeys,
different paths along the way,
we all were meant to learn some
things, but never meant to stay.
Our destination is a place
far greater than we know,
for some, the journey's quicker,
for some the journey's slow.
And when the journey finally ends,
we'll claim a great reward,
and find an everlasting peace,
together with the Lord.

Front: C 80

If Tears Could Build A Stairwell

If tears could build a stairwell
and memories were a lane,
I would walk right up to Heaven
and bring you home again.
No farewell words were spoken,
no time to say good-bye...
You were gone before I knew it,
and only God know's why.
my heart still aches with sadness
and secret tears still flow,
What it means to lose you
no one will ever know.

Front: D 80



I'm There Inside Your Heart

Right now I'm in a different place,
And though we seem apart,
I'm closer than I ever was,
I'm there inside your heart.

I'm with you when you greet each day
And while the sun shines bright,
I'm there to share the sunsets too,
I'm with you every night.

I'm with you when the times are good,
To share a laugh or two,
And if a tear should start to fall,
I'll still be there for you.

And when that day arrives,
That we are no longer apart,
I'll smile and hold you close to me,
Forever in my heart

Front: E 81

Brighter Day

There is no night
without a dawning,
No winter without a Spring,
And beyond death's
dark horizon
Our hearts once
more will sing -
For those who leave us
for a while
have only Gone Away
Out of a restless,
careworn world
Into a "Brighter Day".

Helen Steiner Rice

Front: F 81

The Rose Beyond the Wall

A rose once grew,
where all could see,
sheltered beside a garden wall,
And, as the days passed
swiftly by,
it spread its branches,
straight and tall ...

One day, a beam of light
shone through a crevice
that had opened wide -
The rose bent gently
towards the warmth
then passed beyond
to the other side ...

Now, you who deeply feel its loss,
be comforted -
the rose blooms there -
its beauty even greater now,
nurtured by God's own loving
care.oh, the joy to see you come!

Front: G 81

Beautiful Memories

A bouquet of beautiful memories,
Sprayed with a million tears,
Wishing God could have spared you,
If just for a few more years.

It does not take a special day,
For us to think of you,
Each mass we hear, each prayer we say,
Is offered up for you.

We cannot bring the old days back,
When we were all together,
The family chain is broken now,
But memories live forever.

May she rest in peace, dear Jesus,
In Thy heavenly home above,
With the Sacred Heart of Jesus,
In His own eternal love.

Along the road to yesterday,
That leads us straight to you,
Are memories of happy days,
Together we once knew.

A silent grief that's in our hearts,
No human eye can trace,
For many a broken heart is hid,
Beneath a smiling face.

Front: H 81



The Glory Be

Glory be to the Father,
and to the Son,
and to the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning,
is now,
and ever shall be,
world without end.
Amen.

Front: A 82

Road to Eternity

Life is but a stopping place,
A pause in what's to be,
A resting place along the road,
To sweet eternity.
We all have different journeys,
Different paths along the way,
We all were meant to learn some
things,
But never meant to stay...
Our destination is a place,
Far greater than we know,
For some the journey's quicker,
For some the journey's slow.
But when the journey finally ends,
We'll claim a great reward,
And find an everlasting peace,
Together with the Lord.

Front: B 82

Remember Me

Don't remember me with sadness,
Don't remember me with tears,
Remember all the laughter,
We've shared throughout the years.
Now I am contented
That my life it was worthwhile,
Knowing as I passed along the way
I made somebody smile.
When you are walking down the street
And you've got me on your mind,
I'm walking in your footsteps
Only half a step behind.
So please don't be unhappy
Just because I'm out of sight,
Remember that I'm with you
Each morning, noon and night.

Front: C 82

Memories

Death leaves heartache
No one can heal,
Memories are treasures
No one can steal,
Some may forget you
Now that you are gone,
But we will remember
No matter how long.
You will always stay
loved and remembered,
In every way,
No tears, no verse,
Can ever say how much
we miss you every day.

Front: D 82



If I Should Go

If I should go tomorrow
It would never be goodbye,
For I have left my heart with you,
So don't you ever cry.
the love that's deep within me,
Shall reach you from the stars,
You'll feel it from the heavens,
And it will heal the scars.

Front: E 83

May you Always Walk In Sunshine

May you always walk in sunshine
and God's love around you flow,
for the happiness you gave us,
no one will ever know.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
that day God called you home.
A million times we needed you,
a million times we've cried.
If love could only have saved you,
you never would have died.
the Lord be with you and
may you rest in peace.

Front: F 83

Fill Not Your Hearts

Fill not your hearts with pain and
sorrow, but remember me in every
tomorrow. Remember the joy, the
laughter, the smiles. I've only gone
to rest a while. Although my leaving
causes pain and grief, my going has
eased my hurt and given me relief.
So dry your eyes and remember me,
not as I am but as I used to be.
Because, I will remember you all and
look on with a smile. Understand in
your hearts, I've only gone to rest
awhile. As long as I have love
of you, I can live my life in the
hearts of all of you.

Front: G 83

Indian Prayer

Do not stand at my grave and weep,
I am not there, I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow,
I am the diamond glint on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened
grain, I am the gentle autumn rain.
When you wake in the morning hush,
I am the swift uplifting rush of quiet
birds
in circling flight. I am the
soft starlight at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry,
I am not there, I did not die.

Front: H 83



Those We Hold

Those we hold most dear
 never truly leave us,
 they live on in the kindness
 they showed,
 the comfort they shared,
 and the love they brought
 into our lives

Front: A 84

Perhaps

Perhaps you sent a lovely card,
 Or sat quietly in a chair;
 Perhaps you sent beautiful
 flowers, If so, we saw
 them there.
 Perhaps you sent or
 spoke kind words
 As any friend could say;
 Perhaps you were not
 there at all
 Just thought of us that day.
 Whatever you did to
 console the heart
 We thank you so much,
 Whatever the part.

Front: B 84

The Lord is my Shephard

The lord is my shepherd
 I shall not want.
 He maketh me to lie down in
 green pastures,
 He leadeth me beside the still waters.
 He restoreth my soul;
 He leadeth me in the paths of
 righteousness for His Name's sake.
 Yea, though I walk through the valley
 of the shadow of death
 I will fear no evil
 for Thou art with me;
 Thy rod and Thy staff
 they comfort me...
 Surely goodness and mercy
 Will follow me
 all the days of my life,
 And I will dwell
 in the House of the Lord forever

Front: C 84

To Those I love Most Dear

Those we hold most dear
 never truly leave us,
 they live on in the
 kindness
 they showed,
 the comfort they shared,
 and the love they brought
 into our lives.

Front: D 84



Serenity Prayer

God grant me the
Serenity
to accept the things I
Cannot change
Courage to
Change the things I can
and the Wisdom to
know the difference.

Front: E 85

O Lord Support Us All Day Long

O Lord, support us all the day long,
until the shades lengthen and the
evening comes, and the busy
world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.
Then Lord, in Your mercy grant
us a safe lodging and a Holy Rest,
and Peace at the Last.
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Front: F 85

What She Suffered She Told But Few

What she suffered she told but few,
She did not deserve what she went
through,
Tired and weary she made no fuss,
But tried so hard to stay with us.
Two tired eyes are sleeping,
Two willing hands are still;
The one who worked so hard for us,
Is resting at God's Will.
Our lips cannot speak how
we loved her,
Our hearts cannot tell what to say;
But God only knows how we miss her,
In our home that is lonely today.
She bade no one a last farewell,
She raised her hand to none;
Her spirit flew before she knew,
That she from us had gone.
Your life was love and labour,
Your love for your family true;
You did your best for all of us,
We will always remember you.

Front: G 85

Legacy Of love

A wife, a mother, a grandma too,
This is the legacy we have from you.
You taught us love and how to fight,
You gave us strength,
you gave us might.
A stronger person would
be hard to find,
And in your heart,
you were always kind.
You fought for us all in one
way or another,
Not just as a wife not just as a mother.
For all of us you gave your best,
Now the time has come for you to
rest.
So go in peace,
you've earned your sleep,
Your love in our hearts,
we'll eternally keep.

Front: H 85



Lonely is the home without you,
Life to us is not the same;
All the world would be like heaven,
If we could have you back again.

A light from the household gone,
A voice we loved is still,
A place is vacant in our home,
That never can be filled

May the God of Love and mercy,
Care our loved one who is gone,
And bless with consolation,
Those left to carry on.

The happy hours we once enjoyed,
How sweet their memory still,
But death has left a vacant place,
His world can never fill.

How dearly we loved you,
And prayed you might live,
But Jesus just beckoned,
And we had to give.

God gave us strength to bear it,
And courage to fight the blow,
What it has meant to lose you,
God alone will never know.

Front: A 86

My Lord And My God

The Lord is my shepherd, I'll not want,

He makes me down to lie,

In pastures green he leadeth me,

The quiet waters by.

My soul he doth restore again,

And me walk doth make,

Within the paths of righteousness,

E'en for his own name's sake.

Yea though I walk in death's dark vale,

Yet will I fear none ill,

For thou art with me in thy rod

And staff me comfort still.

Goodness and mercy all my life,

Shall surely follow me,

And in God's house for evermore,

My dwelling place shall be.

Front: B 86

What is Dying?

I am standing on the seashore. A ship
at my side spreads her white sails to
the morning breeze and starts for the
blue ocean. She is an object of beauty
and I stand and watch her until at
last she fades on the horizon. Then
someone at my side says, 'There, she
has gone' - Gone where? Gone from
my sight that is all. She is just as
large in mast, hull and spar as she
was when she left my side. The
diminished size and total loss of
sight is in me and not in her, and just
at that moment when someone by my
side says, 'She's gone,' others take
up the glad shout - 'There she
comes.' And that is dying.

Front: C 86

When I Must Leave You

When I must leave you for a little while,

Please do not grieve and shed wild tears

And hug your sorrow to you through the years,

But start out bravely with a gallant smile,

And for my sake and in my name,

Live on and do all things the same.

Feed not your loneliness on empty days,

But fill each waking hour in useful ways,

Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer,

And I in turn will comfort yo

and hold you near,

And never, never be afraid to die,

For I am waiting for you in the sky.

(Helen Steiner Rice)

Front: D 86



When I leave

Family and friends, I am about to leave, my last breath does not say 'goodbye' for my love for you is truly timeless. I leave myself to your memory of love. I leave my thoughts, my laughter, my dreams to you whom I have treasured. I give you what no thief can steal, the memories of our times together; the tender, love-filled moments, the music, song and dance, the successes we have shared, the hard times that brought us closer together and the roads we have walked side by side. I also leave you a solemn promise that after I am home in the bosom of God, I will still be present in the communion of Saints, whenever and wherever you call on me. My spirit will be drawn to you by the magnet of our love. Whenever you are in need, call me; I will come to you, with my arms full of wisdom and light to open up your blocked paths, to untangle your knots and to be your avenue to God, and all I take with me as I leave is your love and the millions of memories of all that we have shared. So fear not nor grieve at my departure, you whom I have loved so much, for my roots and yours are forever intertwined.

Front: E 87

Look at life
with eyes that see,
the good and not
the bad.

Cherish in
your memory
the glad times
not the sad.

Front: F 87

Distance takes us far apart
And darkens my today.
I have to keep remembering-
You're just a thought away.

When the world is too confusing,
Times are hard to bear,
I pull your precious meaning,
your bright spirit, from the air.

If I sometimes drift into
A lonely state of mind,
I gather up the memories
Of days we left behind.

And though you're not beside me,
I can tap into my heart
And draw upon the warmth and love
That lives when we're apart.

And with these fond reflections
On the times when you were near,
I sense a little bit of what
It's like to have you here.

Front: G 87

Solace

They are not gone-
these loved ones whom
we mourn,
we must not think of them as far away.
unto a fuller life have
they been born.
Laying aside the vesture
of this clay.
yet near us still they
watch, and love and know;
We are the blind ones
who no longer see
familiar forms that we so
dearly loved,
Waiting reunion in eternity.

Front: H 87





Photo Verses

Extra verses for underneath your loved ones photo. If you would like to personalise your card with a verse, poem or prayer that you have chosen yourself please contact a member of staff for more details.



Verse 1

Each time we look at your picture
 You seem to smile and say,
 Don't be sad but courage take,
 And love each other for my sake.

Verse 2

In the shelter of Thy Sacred Heart,
 Dear Jesus, may she rest;
 We love her well but still we know,
 God's Holy Will is best.

Verse 3

Fold him O Jesus, in Thine arms,
 And let him henceforth be,
 A messenger of love between
 Our human hearts and Thee.

Verse 4

"All I ask is that wherever you may be
 you will remember me at Holy Communion
 and at the foot of the Altar."
 St. Monica

Verse 5

Christ has died;
 Christ is risen
 Christ will come again.

Verse 6

Oh! you whom I have loved so much on earth, pray
 for me and live in such a manner that we may be re-
 united in a Blessed Eternity.
 St. Bonaventure.

Verse 7

Two tired eyes are sleeping,
 Two willing hands are still;
 The one who worked so hard for us
 Is resting at God's Will.

Verse 8

It does not take a special day,
 For us to think of you;
 Each Mass we hear, each prayer we say,
 Is offered up for you.

Verse 9

We cannot bring the old days back,
 When we were all together;
 The family chain is broken now
 But memories last forever.

Verse 10

O sweet Jesus for the sake of Thy Bitter Passion and
 the sorrows of Thy Immaculate Mother, have mercy
 on his soul, and let the light of Thy countenance
 shine upon him. Amen.

Verse 11

Jesus, Mary and Joseph I give you my
 heart and soul; Jesus, Mary and Joseph assist me in
 my last agony; Jesus, Mary and Joseph may I breathe
 forth my soul in peace with you. Amen.

Verse 12

A silent grief that's in our hearts,
 No human eye can trace;
 For many a broken heart is hid
 Beneath a smiling face.

Verse 13

The Lord bless you and keep you;
 Show His face to you and have mercy
 on you; Turn His countenance to you
 and give you peace.

Verse 14

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



Verse 15

We have loved her in life, let us not
forget her in death. St. Ambrose

Verse 16

Those who die in grace go no further from
us than God, and God is very near.

Verse 17

God gave us the strength to bear it,
And courage to fight the blow;
What it has meant to lose you
God alone will ever know.

Verse 18

Your life was love and labour,
Your love for your family true,
You did your best for all of us
We will always remember you.

Verse 19

Just a prayer from the family who loved you,
Just a memory fond and true,
In our hearts you will live forever,
Because we thought the world of you.

Verse 20

God grant me the Serenity to
Accept the things I cannot change...
Courage to change the things I can,
and Wisdom to know the difference.

Verse 21

Angel of God, my guardian dear,
to whom God's love commits me here,
ever this day, be at my side
to light and guard, to rule and guide.

Verse 22

If tears could build a stairway,
and memories a lane,
I'd walk right up to Heaven
and bring you back again.

Verse 23

Our hearts still ache with sadness,
and secret tears still flow.
What it meant to lose you -
No one can ever know.
Loving you is easy,
We do it every day,
Missing you is a heartache,
That never goes away.

Verse 24

God saw the road was getting rough,
The hill was hard to climb,
He gently closed your weary eyes,
And whispered "Peace be thine".

Verse 24

Sacred Heart of Jesus
I place all my trust in Thee.



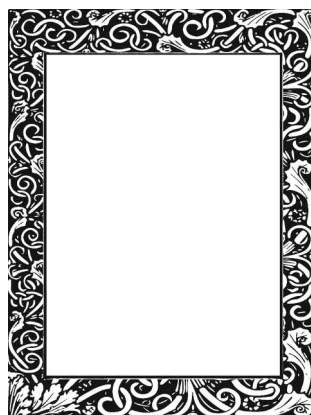


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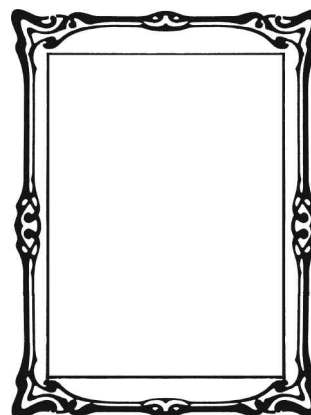




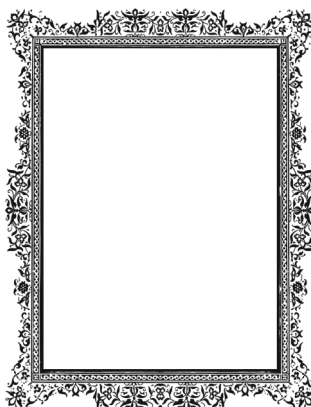
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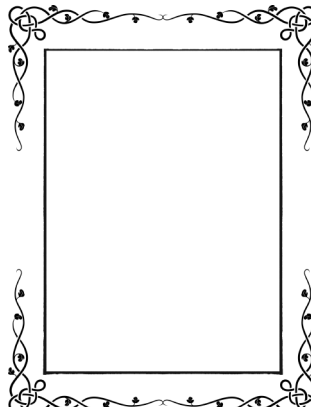
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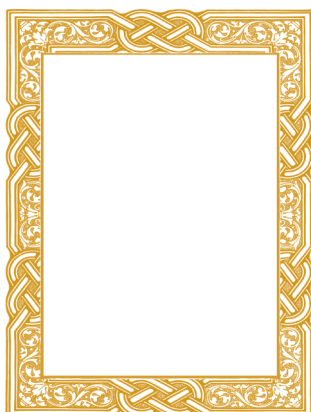
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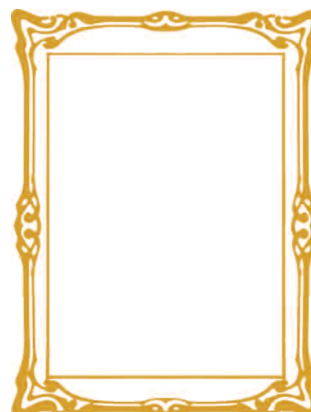
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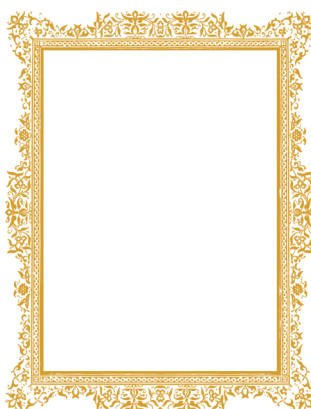
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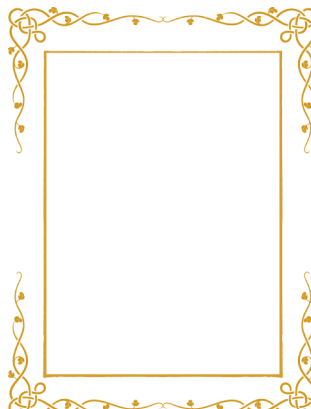
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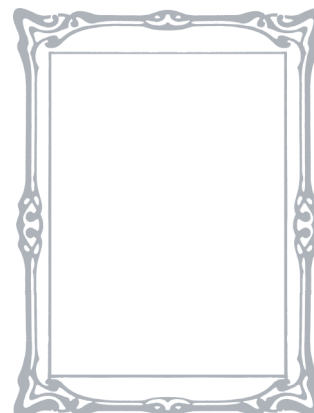




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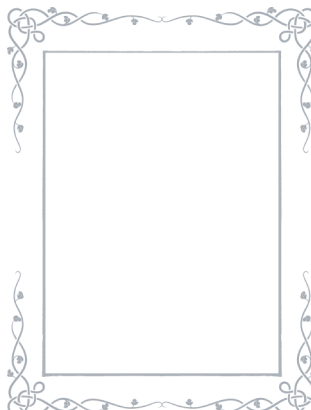
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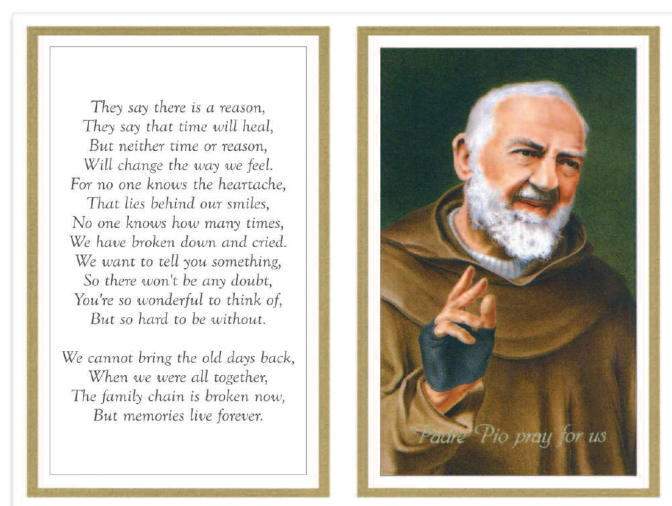




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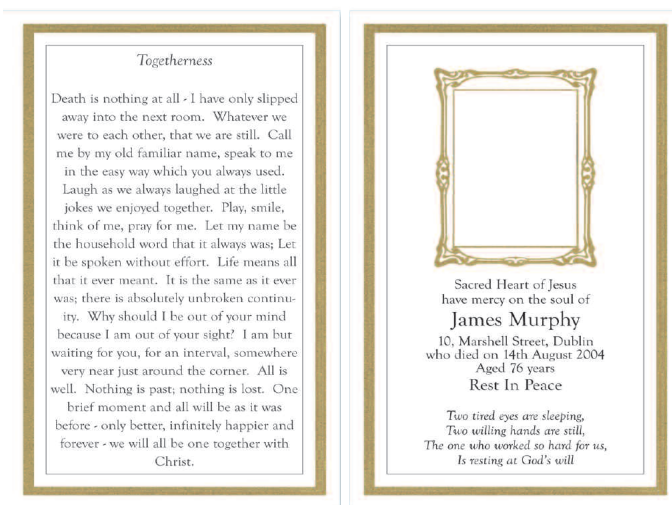


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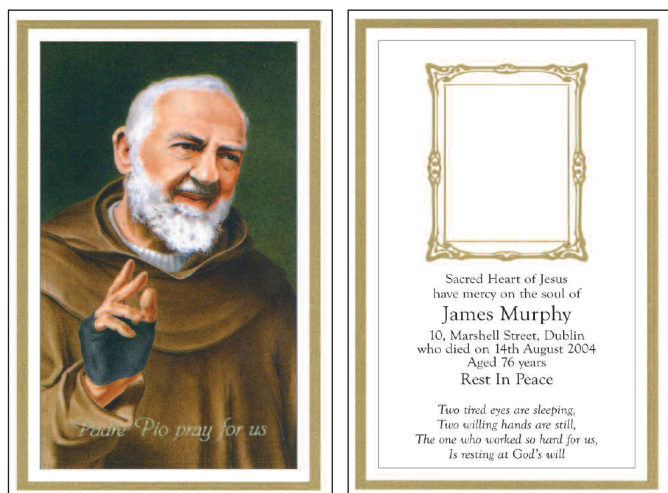
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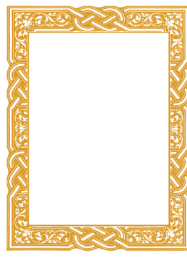
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DESIGNING YOUR BOOK MARKER



Sacred Heart of Jesus have mercy
on the soul of

Linda Ann Cronin

Cedar Grove, New Jersey
Who died on March 11 2016
Aged 46 years

Rest In Peace

*God saw the road was getting rough,
The hill was hard to climb,
He gently closed your weary eyes,
And whispered "Peace be thine".*

I am the sunlight

Do not stand at my grave
and weep,

I am not there, I do not sleep,
I am a thousand winds that blow,
I am the diamond glints on snow,
I am the sunlight on ripened grain,

I am the gentle autumn rain,
When you waken in the
morning's hush,

I am the swift uplifting rush,
Of quiet birds in circled flight,
I am the soft stars that shine

at night.

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CHECK LIST

1. Have you chosen the main image for the front of your card
2. Have you supplied your loved ones Photo for scanning
3. Have you filled in your loved ones details
4. Have you chosen a small "photo Verse"
5. Have you chosen a prayer
6. Have you chosen a prayer for the reverse

NOTE

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