Our Lady's Intercession for the New Pope

Report of the description of the apparition to Medjugorje visionary Marija the day the Pope was elected..

The following was originally published on Medjugorje.com on March 14, 2013. When the Cardinals gathered in the Conclave to elect Pope Benedict XVI's successor, their names and faces were presented to Our Lady through the Community of Caritas and Medjugorje visionary, Marija. The first question that was in everyone's heart was if the new Pope would be a Marian pope. Certainly, from what follows, one can see

Francis' appointment. Medjugorje places in the hearts of its followers a greater love and dedication to the Catholic Church.

Description of Marija?s March 13, 2013

Apparition from the Community of Caritas in Medjugorje:

Today, Wednesday, March 13, 2013, the
Community of Caritas brought over to
Marija three posters with the 115 cardinal
electors on it. Marija and those around who
first looked at them, stated how beautiful
they are. Marija had a couple hundred
pilgrims present in the apparition tonight.
She immediately took the three poster boards
and placed them right in front of the altar
where Marija would receive her apparition.

minutes. She pointed out to everyone the three boards and explained that these were the cardinals gathered in the conclave to elect the new Pope. She emphasized the importance of praying for each of the cardinals, for when the conclave is finished, one of them would be our new Pope.

The group of pilgrims were then led in praying the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary, with meditation and singing between each decade. Marija then came to the front of the altar and knelt down. She started praying the seven Our Father?s, Hail Mary?s, and Glory Be?s. Our Lady appeared during these prayers. Marija?s apparition lasted about 4 ½ minutes long. She seemed to be speaking several times to Our Lady. After the apparition, Marija explained that

all of us and all our intentions to Our Lady.

Our Lady prayed over all of us and She

blessed all of us and our religious articles.

Replacing the temporary pictures of the cardinals made the day before with the laminated boards of the cardinals, Marija, after today?s apparition, took the pictures of the cardinals that were in last night?s apparition and cut the individual cardinals out. She then placed them in envelopes and had everyone there randomly pick a cardinal to keep in prayer in a special way during this time.

From A Friend of Medjugorje

Shortly after the apparition today, white smoke was seen at the Vatican. Crowds of people poured into St. Peter?s square amidst pouring rain. Cardinal Jorge Mario Bergoglio was chosen and took the name of St. Francis I. Of Cardinal Bergoglio?s election to the Seat of Peter, Fr. Lombardi, of the Vatican Press Office said, ?I am absolutely convinced that we have a Pope who wants to serve. His election was the election of a rejection of power.? There is significance also in the date of the election. The number 3 is always representative of God, the Holy Trinity, perfect and complete. Also, in Medjugorje the number 3 plays an important role in Our Lady?s

messages where She so often uses the phrase, ?pray, pray, pray? which is the inspiration behind the devotion, of what we at Caritas initiated in the 1980?s, of the prayer of the 3 Hail Mary?s. Yesterday was March 13, 2013. March is the third month of the year, so the date was 03-13-13. What does it mean to be connected so close to Heaven that we have a direct line to Heaven through Marija, as in the two days of the conclave that we all can appeal directly to Our Lady of Medjugorje to choose Her Cardinal? Our Lady said:

May 25, 1996

??Little children, I also wish that you all become active during this time that is through me connected to Heaven in a special way?"

Our Lady has also told us that Heaven has never been so near.

November 25, 2000

??Today when Heaven is near to you in a special way??

We live in a wondrous time in which we can be so united to Heaven that we can literally appeal to its Queen to influence and impact the universal Church. This is a gift of which we cannot comprehend. Our Lady said:

November 8, 1984

??If you only knew how great are the graces God is granting you, you would be praying without ceasing??

Yes, the world is sick and much of the Church is sick. But we have the Nurse whose motherly care has not abandoned us. Our Lady said:

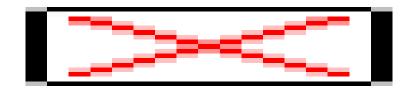
January 2, 2011

??I will not leave you alone on this path??

We should all rejoice over our new Pope
Francis. And we should rejoice all the more
being able to see behind the scenes of the
Queen of Peace?s intercession to heal the
Church, to heal the world. Please

remember the Caritas mission and community in your prayers as we press onward to fulfill the many projects we are involved in including the retooling, the New Communities Conference, April 18-20, and the hosting of the Queen of Heaven, July 1-5, 2013 A.D. for five apparitions wedded to five days of prayer.

In the Love of Our Lady,



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Some of the community gathers, while waiting on the other Having just returned home after Rosary in the Field in who Community of Caritas honors the time of Our Lady?s daily

on our knees, a call came in from Medjugorje from one of community members who had just learned that the white son the roof of the Vatican. As word spread throughout the members began to gravitate towards our founder?s writing gathering around the radio to listen who would be named to Christ over the world.

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Who do you think will be our next Pope? The excitement of was felt not only by the adults of the community, but the chalso enthusiastic even if they did not fully understand the sour gathering together. The fact that we had left our office left our work stations, and the Caritas youth were let out of Lady of Victory Schoolhouse' to come together told them, words could have, that something big was happening. The cardinals were pondered by the Caritas children, as we expended the course of these would be our next Holy Father.

The poster being held by some of the children and women community is a replica of what we sent to Marija?s that wa the apparition that led up to the election of Pope Francis, y March 13, 2013 A.D. With community members in Medjug with members back in Alabama, the poster boards were cr Lady?s apparitions and transferred to Medjugorje where t printed and mounted on foam board, and then transported home. Marija was very pleased, and the worker that was w simply said, ?bellissima? when the posters were brought in Victoria is proud to have the privilege to point out our new out of the 115 faces that were presented to Our Lady in the yesterday

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Keeping with the humility that characterized his life as Car Bergoglio, before he would give his first blessing as Pope F asked the faithful gathered in St. Peter?s Square to first pr asking the Father to bless him. He then asked for silence are bowed during this prayer of the faithful on his behalf. ?No to impart the blessing, but first, first I ask a favor of you. Bef blesses the people, I ask that you pray to the Lord that He ble prayer of the people asking a blessing for their bishop. Let us silence, this your prayer for me.? After the moment of silence Francis said, ?Now I will impart the blessing to you and all the men of good will.? Fr. Lombardi, said of this gesture, ?It is spirituality to ask the people?s blessing for him before giving

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