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TO THOSE AWAY
FROM THE CHURCH**

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Jesus

I call out to those who have left My Church. Come back, I say. Return to the safety of the sacramental walk. It will be best for you and I want only what is best for you. Be assured of My welcome. Be assured that I want your return. Do not think that you are unwelcome in your faith. How could this be when I, Jesus Christ, personally call out to you? My Church on earth represents Me. It is My Church and belongs to Me. When the people of My Church accurately represent Me, you feel cherished. I want to restore you to your Church and I want to restore your Church to you. You see, My friend, it is best for you, given your call to holiness, that you proceed on the path that is protected by My Church on earth. I have so many ways to help you if you are following your faith within the protection of My Church. My Church has suffered, it is true. My Church continues to suffer. Part of the reason My Church is suffering is because you are away from it. My Church needs you. My Church wants you. You must return.

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Beloved child, I am asking you, indeed, I am pleading with you to consider your circumstances. If there are reasons that inhibit a full return to the sacraments for you, I ask that you discuss these reasons with one of My priests. I will protect your desire to return to the sacraments. I will not reduce the standards of My Church for your circumstances but I will help you to adapt your circumstances to those standards. "What is Jesus saying?" you ask yourself. Let Me be more clear. This time on earth is a time when so many have compromised with standards of behavior that the compromised standards have become the norm. I cannot and will not accept this. I do not accept this. If I were to accept this, I would have to change all of heaven and all of those who have served in times before you. Also, I would have to jeopardize the future of all those who come after you. My friend, listen to Me. Hear My words because My words are truth. Reject the rebelliousness of My enemy. Accept that you are called to follow Me and raise your behavior to My standards. I will help you. You will be welcome in heaven if you accept that I am God. You will have to accept that I am God in order to gain

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heaven, of course. Will you not accept this fact now, before your time on earth is finished? Will you return to Me now given that ultimately you hope to do so? My heart longs for your peace. I see everything. If you have been hurt by those who claimed to represent My Church but who failed, I will heal you. Do not use this hurt as a reason why you step away from all that I offer for you through My Church. This has taken you in the wrong direction and others walk behind you. Please, come into My Church. It belongs to Me, after all. You are welcome, regardless of your sins.

December 11, 2006

St. Monica

I send my greetings to all of God's children. I speak today particularly to those who are Catholics but who are living away from their faith. You are invited by heaven to return to your faith. Heaven, God and all of the saints, urges you to consider returning to the sacraments. If you have been away from the Church for some time, you may want to have your Confession heard. This is a good place to start. Talk to a priest about this because graces are waiting for you in this sacrament. With these graces you can examine your life and determine how to proceed on a new path, a path that leads back to Jesus through the Church. You may reject this concept. You may reject the Church as the best route to Jesus Christ. My friend, that is your choice but do not be confused. We are trying to protect you. The words and graces in this work are a gift to you, personally. If you choose not to accept this gift, that is your decision. I want you to accept the gift of these graces because with them you will find greater peace. Jesus loves you. You know this. God accepts you. You must believe this. If you do not

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return to God's Church on earth, you will still be loved and accepted, given the proper spirit of repentance in your soul. We want more for you, though, and we need more from you. If you return to the Church, we can restore you to unity with the Communion of Saints working for the salvation of many at this time. You will be drawn into the mission of renewal and this benefits you and all of those people around you. I ask you to do something for me. Come to a church and sit in silence in front of the tabernacle. Jesus is there. Sit in silence and ask Jesus what He wants you to do. Do not be angry at Jesus for the sins of mankind. Do not blame Jesus for the mistakes of mankind. Jesus is trying to help you. You belong in His Church and His Church needs you. Bring any anger to Jesus and explain to Him what happened to make you feel that you should walk away from your Church.

Perhaps you have simply drifted. Please, drift back now. Come and sit with Jesus and talk to Him about your life. What are your worries? What are your joys? Tell Jesus about these things. Share these things with Jesus. You will find a welcome, I assure you. Jesus welcomes

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you and your family welcomes you. You belong in this Church and your home is in this Church. We will all help you.

St. Monica

Dear friend of heaven, there is great confusion in your world. The enemy of God, your enemy, seeks to divert attention away from the truth. To do this, satan has placed noise everywhere. How often do you work in silence? How often do you sit in silence and simply rest? God's poor little children are so distracted and overstimulated that they do not feel comfortable in quiet. Their minds and hearts cannot rest. This situation is unacceptable and it is for this reason that so many in the world feel agitated and unhappy. They are no longer comfortable in quietness. They do not understand how to feed themselves spiritually. Because of this they hunger, but they know not for what. God's children, and I am speaking of adults, say that they are bored in Mass. Dear friend of heaven, you are not paying attention if you are bored. Seek Jesus and you will not be bored. Jesus will always be found by those who seek Him. Those who do not seek Him could bump into Him and they would not recognize Him. I am sad about this state of affairs. I love Jesus and I know that Jesus is the answer for the pain of mankind, but there are so few who are willing to fight for

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their Savior. Think about your brothers and sisters in the world who have lived in the pain of isolation from heaven. Many have left this life unprepared for heaven because of the constant noise and distraction in their life. Stand with God, my friend. Take up your share of the weight of His cross and advance God's army as far as He wills for you. This is not a time to be superior to Jesus Christ and His Church. This superiority will end abruptly when you die and face Him. End it now. Do not be cynical about your Church. Return to your Church and walk into the mystery of your faith. Jesus will reveal Himself and heal all of your wounds if you do this. Your sins will be forgiven, of course, and the Church will help you to find your way to unity with the Body of Christ. I urge you to come back to your family. Please. We need your help.

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Turn your eyes to heaven, my friend. Look up. If you look up to heaven and rest in heaven's truths, you will not be as concerned with the mistakes made by humanity in God's Church. You will walk toward heaven in unison with those who have been called to allow the renewal to flow through them. You live in a time where Jesus returns to the world. This is the time of the Advent of the Second Coming. The triumphant return of Jesus Christ is a core belief for the faithful. It is nothing to argue about or attempt to refute. I am telling you today that the Lord has begun to return through all who welcome Him in their soul. If you are a Catholic, you can be most effective by serving from within the Church. If you return to the Church, God can fill you until His graces overflow. This overflow pushes out into the world, spreading light in place of darkness and truth in place of error. This is the plan, my friend. This is the renewal. The return of Jesus Christ today hinges upon your willingness to become holier. The return of Jesus Christ today hinges upon your willingness to say no to selfishness and yes to Jesus. God is asking for your

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help. I, Monica, am asking for your help. You may come to Jesus and request an abundant amount of graces for your return to faithfulness. Jesus will give you these graces. Jesus wants you back in the Church and He will send all that is necessary to assist you in this return. The only thing Jesus cannot supply is your willingness. Willingness must come from you. Dear child of God, the world does not love you. We love you. The world cannot protect you. We can protect you. The world does not offer you eternal safety and joy. Only heaven can offer this to you. Make a decision for Jesus today, understanding that the decision you make for Jesus is really a decision for yourself and your loved ones. Jesus will never let you go if you come to Him and through you He can begin to protect your family and loved ones. We, God's saints, will help you. Be brave and come back to your Church.

Blessed Mother

Welcome, my beloved child. I say welcome because I am anticipating your complete return to faithfulness. I know that your heart is open and it is for this reason that you have been given these words at this time. You feel a longing in your heart. My child, I am Mary, your heavenly mother. You long for truth and I bring you truth. Heaven is here. Heaven is filled with those who love you and seek your safety. Do not think that your sins are different from the sins of those who reside in heaven. Humanity struggles in predictable ways. Often the struggles of humanity are related to wounds inflicted by others who also struggle. We are called to forgive, of course, and this can be difficult. But you are one who seeks my Son so I will obtain for you an abundance of forgiveness. A mother's tender heart and sympathetic listening ear can soothe any bitterness. I am listening to you now, my little one. Tell me what hurts you. Tell me what has hurt you in the past. I will help you to heal and bring you back to Jesus in a spirit of newness. You see, the renewal of mankind is taking place one soul at a time. Today, I concern myself with the renewal in your soul. When we renew your soul, together, you and I will proceed to the place where Jesus needs you to serve the Kingdom. Often, this place of service is the place

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you are at right now. In other words, Jesus does not need you to do something different. He needs you to do the same things differently. Do you understand? Jesus wants you to serve in unity with Him and all of your brothers and sisters working for the renewal. You will serve in joy, not despair. You will serve in hope, not hopelessness. You will serve with the knowledge that you are making a difference to the world as you depart from the place of bitterness and hurt. At times, God's children have to move to another place of service. Regardless, they never proceed alone. I am your mother. You feel my presence, I know. Come into my arms and I will surround you with protection and grace while heaven renews your soul and brings you back to your Church.

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Heaven Speaks to Priests
Jesus Speaks to Sinners

Volume Six: Heaven Speaks to Families

Volume Seven: Greetings from Heaven

Volume Nine: Angels

Volume Ten: Jesus Speaks to His Apostles

Volumes Five and Eight will be printed at a later date.

Promise from Jesus to His Lay Apostles:

May 12, 2005

Your message to souls remains constant. Welcome each soul to the rescue mission. You may assure each lay apostle that just as they concern themselves with My interests, I will concern Myself with theirs. They will be placed in My Sacred Heart and I will defend and protect them. I will also pursue complete conversion of each of their loved ones. So you see, the souls who serve in this rescue mission as My beloved lay apostles will know peace. The world cannot make this promise, as only heaven can bestow peace on a soul. This is truly heaven's mission and I call every one of heaven's children to assist Me. You will be well rewarded, My dear ones.

Allegiance Prayer

Dear God in Heaven, I pledge my allegiance to You. I give You my life, my work, and my heart. In turn, give me the grace of obeying Your every direction to the fullest possible extent.

Morning Offering

O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer You the prayers, works, joys, and sufferings of this day, for all the intentions of your Sacred Heart, in union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world, in reparation for my sins, and for the intentions of the Holy Father. Amen.

Five Luminous Mysteries:

1. Jesus' Baptism in the Jordan
2. Jesus' Self-manifestation at the Wedding of Cana
3. Jesus' Proclamation of the Kingdom of God
4. Jesus' Transfiguration
5. Jesus Institutes the Eucharist

Lay Apostles of Jesus Christ the Returning King

We seek to be united to Jesus in our daily work, and through our vocations, in order to obtain graces for the conversion of sinners. We pledge our allegiance to God the Father. Through our cooperation with the Holy Spirit, we will allow Jesus to flow through us into the world, bringing His Light. We do this in union with Mary, our Blessed Mother, with the communion of saints, with all of God's holy angels, and with our fellow lay apostles in the world.

As Lay Apostles of Jesus Christ, the Returning King, we agree to adopt the following spiritual practices, as best we can.

1. Morning Offering, along with the Allegiance Prayer and a brief prayer for the Holy Father.
2. One hour of Eucharistic Adoration each week.
3. Participation in a monthly lay apostle prayer group, which includes the Luminous Mysteries of the Holy Rosary, and the reading of the monthly message.
4. Monthly Confession.
5. Further, we will follow the example of Jesus Christ, as set out in Holy Scripture, treating all others with His patience and kindness.

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