**PRAYER OF THE ASSOCIATES**

**Blessed Trinity, Father, Son and Spirit, we adore you, we give you thanks for the love you have bestowed on your humble servant Marie Rivier.**

**Help us understand as she did the grace of our baptism and our personal call to holiness.**

**Through her prayer, let faith, hope and love grow in us. Pour in our hearts the abundance of your gifts that we may commit ourselves wholly to the service of the Church and the world, for the glory of your world, for the glory of your Name. In Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**PRAYER FOR PROTECTION**

**I sign myself with the sign of the Cross the sign of victory. I cover myself with the precious blood of the Lamb. I surround myself with the light of Jesus Christ, in the name of Jesus, nothing can break through this wall of protection to harm me. Amen.**

**PRAYER FOR THE CANONIZATION OF BLESSED ANNE MARIE RIVIER**

**God, our Father, you fashioned in Marie Rivier a heart impassioned for your glory and for the salvation of the world. We bless you. Place in us her ardent love for Jesus Christ, her faith in the power of prayer, her apostolic boldness, her compassion for all suffering. Through the intercession of Mary, our Mother and Guardian, grant us the favor of her canonization. We beseech you.**

**Leader: Blessed Anne Marie Rivier**

**All: Obtain for us your spirit, and your virtues and the grace of your canonization.**

**THE ACT OF FAITH**

**O My God, I firmly believe that you are one God in three Divine Persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. I believe that your Divine Son became man and died for our sins, and that He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe these and all the truths which the Holy Catholic Church teaches, because you have revealed them, who can neither deceive now be deceived.**

**PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS**

**Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Have mercy on us. Sweet heart of Jesus, I put my trust in You.**

**ACT OF HOPE**

**O My God, relying on your almighty power and infinite mercy and promises, I hope to obtain pardon for my sins, the help of your grace and the life everlasting, through the merits of Jesus Christ, my Lord and redeemer.**

**BLESSED MOTHER RIVIER**

**Sr. Mary Blaise Castillo, p.m.**

**1. Blessed, O Blessed Marie Rivier, Marie Rivier.**

**Blessed, O Blessed Marie Rivier, marvel of faith.**

**Your child-like faith has won you the cure you**

**prayed so long. Your dreams fulfilled to make**

**Christ known. Marie Rivier, marvel of faith.**

**2. Blessed, O Blessed Marie Rivier, Marie Rivier.**

**Blessed, O Blessed Marie Rivier, marvel of zeal.**

**Your zeal is like the fire, inflamed with love for**

**the souls. Your dreams fulfilled to cross the seas.**

**Marie Rivier, marvel of zeal.**

**3. Blessed, O Blessed Marie Rivier, Marie Rivier.**

**Blessed, O Blessed Marie Rivier, marvel of**

**prayer. Our heritage of prayer has moved us**

**from within to pray with living faith and trust.**

**Marie Rivier, marvel of prayer.**

**Marie Rivier, marvel of prayer.**

**MARIE RIVIER, BELOVED**

**DAUGHTER OF THE CHURCH**

**1. O Blessed Anne-Marie Rivier, Woman of marvels**

**Lead us your daughters in our quest to do great**

**things. O Blessed Anne-Marie Rivier, Woman of**

**marvels, beloved daughter of Mother Church.**

**2. O Blessed Anne-Marie Rivier, Woman of**

**greatness. Fill our hearts with great desires for**

**plenitude. O Blessed Anne-Marie Rivier, Woman**

**of greatness, beloved daughter of Mother Church.**

**WOMAN APOSTLE**

**Refrain:**

**Mother Rivier, Woman Apostle,**

**enkindle living faith in our hearts.**

**Let them be burning as your own**

**and animated by your fervor.**

**1. Your soul is a sanctuary of charity**

**and of pure love. From your heart**

**always arose humble prayers. ®**

**2. O bless our dear Province wherein we learn**

**to love you. Where we respect and learn**

**your teachings, Mother Rivier. ®**

**MARIE RIVIER**

**Sr. Albina Agad, p.m.**

**1. Marie Rivier, your life was centered on Christ**

**A life with burning desire, Of passion for Jesus Christ**

**A true disciple, a woman apostle,**

**With heart full of love for all.**

**Refrain:**

**You have chosen to love Jesus Christ**

**With all your heart, with all your soul**

**With all your mind, all your strength**

**In all things that you do.**

**“All for God, all through Holy Love”**

**Is your beautiful, great motto.**

**2. Marie Rivier, your life was prayer and zeal**

**With simple and upright heart,**

**To God your spirit unite**

**You love the poor, the orphans, the humble,**

**Afire with love for souls. ®**

**3. Marie Rivier, pray for us your daughters/children**

**Help us to cling to Jesus, to think as He thought**

**To know, to love Him, make Him known and**

**loved. “All for God, through Holy love.” ®**

**MOTHER RIVIER, IKAW ANG IDOL KO**

**1. Sa buhay mo kami ay napahanga.**

**Maliit ka man ngunit ang puso’y mataba.**

**Blessed Mother Rivier kong ikay tawagin.**

**Ang pag-ibig mo sa amin narito pa rin.**

**2. Nalumpo ka man ngunit di ka sumuko.**

**“Mama Mary, Mama Mary” lagi ang tawag mo.**

**Hanggang isang araw ika’y pinagbigyan**

**ng isang milagrong makalakad kahit saan.**

**Refrain:**

**Mother Rivier, ikaw ang idol ko. Kabataan ay nasa puso mo, upang lahat kami kay Kristo ay tutungo at Mama Mary ang tulay at gabay ko.**

**3. Sa pagsubok ay di ka nagpatalo.**

**Kumbento mo’y pilit mong itinayo.**

**Walang-wala ngunit di nabahala.**

**Panalig mo kay Kristo’t Mary nakamamangha.**

**CONSECRATION TO THE**

**SACRED HEART OF JESUS**

**Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, we consecrate ourselves to Your Most Sacred Heart. Take possession of our beings, transform us into Yourself. Make our hands Your hands, our feet Your feet, our hearts Your heart. Let us see with Your eyes, let us listen with Your ears, speak with Your lips, love with Your Heart, understand with Your mind, serve with Your will, and be dedicated unreservedly. Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, send us Your Holy Spirit to teach us to love You and to live.**

**O Holy Spirit of love, take possession of our faculties of body and soul. Regulate all our passions; feelings and emotions. Give us an abundance of Your efficacious graces, the fullness of all the virtues, enrich our faith, strengthen our hope, increase our trust, and inflame our love.**

**We implore you to keep every living member of the Sisters of the Presentation of Mary Congregation, our Marie Rivier Association and our families in Your tenderness and compassion, and to grant eternal peace to all those who have gone before us.**

**Most loving Heart of Jesus, protect Your Church and give to all people justice and peace. From one end of the earth to the other, may everyone proclaim in one voice:**

**BLESSED BE TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS, GOD OF TENDERNESS AND COMPASSION, RICH IN KINDNESS AND FAITHFULNESS! TO HIM BE GLORY FOREVER. AMEN.**

**PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT**

***O Spirit of Wisdom,* Preside over all my thoughts, words, and actions from this hour till the moment of my death.**

***Spirit of Understanding,* Enlighten and teach me.**

***Spirit of Counsel,* Direct me in my inexperience.**

***Spirit of Fortitude,* Strengthen me in my weakness.**

***Spirit of Piety,* Make me fervent in good works.**

***Spirit of Fear,* Restrain me from all evil.**

***Spirit of Peace,* Give me Your Peace.**

***Heavenly Spirit,***

**Make me persevere in the service of God, and enable me to act on all occasions with goodness, benignity, patience, charity and joy, longanimity, mildness and fidelity. Let the heavenly virtues of modesty, continency and chastity adorn the temple You have chosen for your abode.**

***O Spirit of Holiness,* By Your all powerful grace, preserve my soul from the misfortune of sin. Amen.**

**PRAYER BEFORE READING THE BIBLE**

**O God, our Father, give us Your Holy Spirit. Make us read Your Word with Faith. Treasure it in our hearts with Hope, Experience it in our lives with Love. So we may truly know, love and live Your Divine Word that leads to salvation, through Jesus Christ, Your Son our Lord. Amen.**

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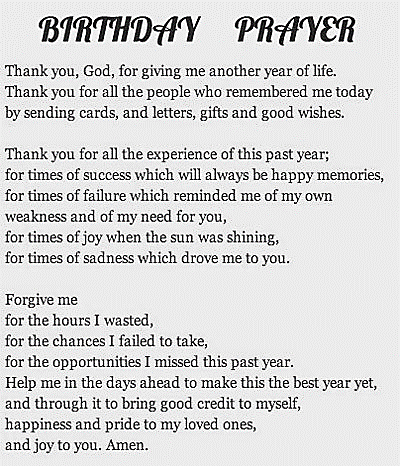
**BIRTHDAY PRAYER**

***(Extend your hand on the birthday celebrators)***

**Heavenly Father, Please bless the birthday celebrators for this month of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(mention the month). Please protect and guide them as they continue with their journey along the path you’ve chosen for them especially for their being MRAs. Give them the courage to follow in your light, and feel your love wherever they go.**

**Make them strong and give them the strength to make  
good decisions in the coming year. Keep them free from illness and sadness, for they are truly good persons and faithful MRAs who deserve happiness and success in all aspects of life.**

**We know that life is like a book. With each new  
chapter, we learn and grow towards what you would  
have us be. Bless *(mention the names of the birthday celebrators)* now on this day, and in the future. In your name we pray, Amen.**

**PRAYER OF THE BIRTHDAY CELEBRATORS**

**PRAYER FOR THE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

**Lord our God, please bless these MRAs and adorers who are celebrating their wedding anniversary this month of \_\_\_\_\_.**

**They are your work of art. When they pronounced their marriage vows with the presence of the priest,** **you called them to take part in your plan of salvation by becoming pro-creators with you.** **God, grant them the graces they need especially for good health, healthy relationship and a happy family.** **May they remain faithful to one another as you are to them.** **We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

**PRAYER OF THOSE WHO ARE CELEBRATING THE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

**O Lord, omnipotent and eternal God, we give you thanks and we bless your holy name. You created man and woman in your image and blessed their union so that each would be for the other a help and support. Remember us today. Protect us and grant that our love may be in the image of the devotion and love of Christ for his Church. Grant us a long and fruitful life together, in joy and in peace, so that, through your Son and in the Holy Spirit, our hearts may always rise to you in praise and goods works. Amen.**