

# A Mother's Love

## A Prayer of Our Lady of Fatima

We praise you, Lord, and bless you,  
For in a time of horrific war  
And pandemic plague,  
You sent us your mother,  
Our Lady of Fatima.

We sing praises to you,  
For even in times of sorrow and fear  
The Earth is still touched by one such as she.  
And we are reminded,  
Knowing that whatever war visits itself upon us,  
Whatever deprivations,  
Whatever want,  
Whatever illness,  
Whatever calamity endured by humankind  
That may cause us to look to the sky and despair,  
That your children do not toil in this world apart from your grace,  
That our prayers are not unheard  
And we do not go forth without a mother's love.

Keep us devoted to you, O Lord,  
Devoted in our prayer, our words and our acts,  
That all souls in this world may know your compassion, peace and mercy,  
That all souls who have departed this world may find salvation.

Lucia, Jacinta and Francisco, pray for us.  
Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us.

**Amen**