- V. Dread and trembling have laid hold on me, and I fear exceedingly because of the judgment and of the wrath to come.
- **R**. When the heavens shall be moved ...
- V. On that day, that day of wrath, of sore distress and of all wretchedness, that great day and exceeding bitter.
- **R**. When Thou shalt come to judge ...
- V. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.
- **R**. Deliver me, O Lord, from death eternal ... Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Our Father ... (silently).

- V. And lead us not into temptation.
- **R**. But deliver us from evil.
- V. From the gate of hell.
- **R**. Deliver their souls, O Lord.
- ℣. May they rest in peace.
- R. Amen.
- R. And let my cry come unto Thee.
- **℣**. The Lord be with you.
- **R**. And with thy spirit.

Let us pray. — Absolve, O Lord, we beseech Thee, the souls of Thy servants and handmaidens from every bond of sin, that they may be raised up in the glory of the resurrection and live amongst Thy Saints and Elect. Through Christ Our Lord. R. Amen.

- V. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.
- R. And let perpetual light shine upon them.
- R. Amen.
- W. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. R. Amen.

6

- V. Tremens factus sum ego, et tímeo, dum discússio vénerit, atque ventúra ira.
- R. Quando cœli movéndi ...
- V. Dies illa, dies iræ, calamitátis et misériæ: dies magna et amára valde.
- R. Dum venéris judicáre ...
- V. Réquiem ætérnam dona eis, Dómine, et lux perpétua lúceat eis.
- R. Líbera me, Dómine ...

Kýrie, eléison.

Christe, eléison.

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Pater noster ... (secreto).

- V. Et ne nos indúcas in tentatiónem.
- R. Sed líbera nos a malo.
- ℣. A porta ínferi.
- R. Érue, Dómine, ánimas eórum.
- R. Amen.
- V. Dómine, exáudi orationem meam.
- R. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.
- V. Dóminus vobíscum.
- R. Et cum spíritu tuo.

Orémus. — Absólve, quæsumus, Dómine, ánimas famulórum famularúmque tuárum ab omni vínculo delictórum: ut, in resurrectiónis glória, inter Sanctos et electos tuos resuscitáti respírent. Per Christum Dóminum nostrum. Ř. Amen.

- V. Réquiem ætérnam dona eis, Dómine.
- R. Et lux perpétua lúceat eis.
- ▼. Requiéscant in pace.
- R. Amen.
- V. Ánimæ eórum et ánimæ ómnium Fidélium defunctórum per misericórdiam Dei requiéscant in pace. R. Amen.





Proper Prayers of the Mass in the Extraordinary Form

Mass for the Dead: For Pope Benedict XVI on his Anniversary

Introit (4 Esdr. 2:34,35)

RÉQUIEM ÆTÉRNAM dona eis, Dómine: et lux perpétua lúceat eis. *Ps. 64:2-3*. Te decet hymnus, Deus, in Sion, et tibi reddétur votum in Jerúsalem: exáudi oratiónem meam, ad te omnis caro véniet. — Réquiem ætérnam ...

DEUS, qui inter summos Sacerdótes fámulum tuum Benedíctum ineffábili tua dispositióne connumerári voluísti: præsta, quæsumus; ut, qui Unigéniti Fílii tui vices in terris gerébat, sanctórum tuórum Pontíficum consórtio perpétuo aggregétur. Per eúndem Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum ...

ETERNAL REST grant unto them, O Lord; and may perpetual light shine upon them. *Psalm*. A hymn, O God, becometh Thee in Sion; and a vow shall be paid to Thee in Jerusalem: hear my prayer; all flesh shall come to Thee. — Eternal rest ...

Collect

O God, Who by Thine ineffable providence wast pleased to number Thy servant Benedict amongst the sovereign pontiffs: grant, we beseech Thee, that he who reigned as the vicar of Thy Son on earth, may be joined in fellowship with Thy holy pontiffs for evermore. Through the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord ...

Lesson (II Machabees 12:43-46)

IN DIÉBUS ILLIS: Vir fortíssimus Judas, facta collatióne, duódecim míllia drachmas argénti misit Jerosólymam, offérri pro peccátis mortuórum sacrifícium, bene et religióse de resurrectióne cógitans (nisi enim eos, qui cecíderant, resurrectúros speráret, superflúum viderétur et vanum oráre pro mórtuis): et quia considerábat quod hi, qui cum pietáte dormitiónem accéperant, óptimam habérent repósitam grátiam. In those days: The most valiant man Judas, making a gathering, sent twelve thousand drachmas of silver to Jerusalem for sacrifice to be offered for the sins of the dead, thinking well and religiously concerning the resurrection (for if he had not hoped that they that were slain should rise again, it would have seemed superfluous and vain to pray for the dead); and because he considered that they who had fallen asleep with godliness, had great grace laid

up for them. It is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from sins.

Sancta ergo, et salúbris est cogitátio pro defúnctis exoráre, ut a peccátis solvántur.

Gradual (4 Esdr. 2:34,35)

ETERNAL REST grant unto them, O Lord; and may perpetual light shine upon them. (Ps. 111:7.) The just shall be in everlasting remembrance; he shall not fear the evil hearing.

RÉQUIEM ÆTÉRNAM dona eis, Dómine: et lux perpétua lúceat eis. In memória ætérna erit Iustus: ab auditióne mala non timébit.

Tract

ABSOLVE, O Lord, the souls of all the faithful departed from every bond of sin. And by the help of Thy grace may they be enabled to escape the avenging judgment. And enjoy the bliss of everlasting light.

Sequence

2

THE DAY of wrath, that awful day, shall reduce the world to ashes, as David and the Sibyl prophesied. * How great will be the terror, when the Judge shall come to examine all things rigorously! * The trumpet, with astounding blast, echoing over the sepulchers of the whole world, shall summon all before the throne. * Death and nature will stand aghast, when the creature shall rise again, to answer before his Judge. * The written book shall be brought forth, containing all for which the world must be judged. * When, therefore, the Judge shall be seated, whatsoever is hidden shall be brought to light; nought shall remain unpunished. * What then shall I, unhappy man, allege? Whom shall I invoke as protector? when even the just shall hardly be secure. * O King of awful majesty, who of Thy free gift savest them that are to be saved, save me, O fount of mercy!

Absólve, Dómine, animas ómnium fidélium defunctórum ab omni vínculo delictórum. Et grátia tua illis succurrénte, mereántur evádere judícium ultiónis. Et lucis ætérnæ beatitúdine pérfrui.

DIES IRÆ, dies illa, Solvet sæc'lum in favílla: Teste David cum Sibýlla.

Quantus tremor est futúrus, Quando Judex est ventúrus, Cuncta stricte discussúrus!

Tuba, mirum spargens sonum, Per sepúlchra regiónum, Coget omnes ante thronum.

Mors stupébit, et natúra, Cum resúrget creatúra, Judicánti responsúra.

Liber scriptus proferétur, In quo totum continétur, Unde mundus judicétur.

Judex ergo cum sedébit, Quidquid latet, apparébit: Nil unúltum remanébit.

Ouid sum miser tunc dictúrus? Quem patrónum rogatúrus Cum vix Iustus sit secúrus?

Rex treméndæ majestátis, Qui salvándos salvas gratis, Salve me, fons pietátis.

beátæ resurrectiónis effúlsit: ut quos contristat certa moriéndi condítio, eósdem consolétur futúræ immortalitátis promíssio. Tuis enim fidélibus, Dómine, vita mutátur, non tóllitur: et dissolúta terréstris hujus incolátus domo, ætérna in cœlis habitátio comparátur. Et ídeo cum Ángelis et Archángelis, cum Thronis et Dominatiónibus, cumque omni milítia cœléstis exércitus, hymnum glóriæ tuæ cánimus, sine fine dicéntes: -Sanctus.

hope of a blessed resurrection hath beamed upon us: so that those who are saddened by the certainty of dying may be consoled by the promise of a future deathless life. For to Thy faithful people, Lord, life is changed, not taken away; and when the home of this earthly sojourn is dissolved, an eternal dwelling is made ready in heaven. And therefore with Angels and Archangels, with Thrones and Dominations, and with all the hosts of the heavenly army, we sing a hymn to Thy praise, evermore saying: — Sanctus.

Communion (4 Esdr. 2:35,34)

Lux ÆTÉRNA lúceat eis, Dómine: * Cum Sanctis tuis in ætérnum: quia pius es. V. Réquiem ætérnam dona eis, Dómine: * et lux perpétua lúceat eis: * Cum Sanctis tuis in ætérnum: quia pius es.

MAY LIGHT eternal shine upon them, O Lord, * With Thy Saints for evermore, for Thou art gracious. V. Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord; and may perpetual light shine upon them: * With Thy Saints for evermore, for Thou art gracious.

Prosit, quésumus, Dómine, ánimæ fámuli tui Benedíctus Summi Pontíficis, misericórdiæ tuæ imploráta cleméntia: ut eius, in quo sperávit et crédidit, ætérnum cápiat, te miseránte, consórtium. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum Fílium tuum ...

Postcommunion

WE BESEECH THEE, O Lord, that Thy mercy, which we implore, may avail the soul of the chief bishop, Thy servant Benedict: that, by Thy goodness, he may obtain eternal fellowship with Him, in whom he hoped and believed. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son ...



Form of the Rite of Absolution When the Body Is Not Present

5

R. LÍBERA ME, Dómine, de morte ætérna, in die illa treménda:

QUANDO CŒLI movéndi sunt et terra:

Dum venéris judicáre sæculum per ignem.

R. Deliver ME, O Lord, from death eternal in that awful day:

WHEN THE HEAVENS and the earth shall be moved:

WHEN THOU SHALT come to judge the world by fire.

last day; and this is the will of My Father that sent Me, that every one who seeth the Son, and believeth in Him, may have life everlasting; and I will raise Him up in the last day.

Offertory

O LORD Jesus Christ, King of glory, deliver the souls of all the faithful departed from the pains of hell and from the bottomless pit: deliver them from the lion's mouth, that hell swallow them not up, that they fall not into darkness, but let the standardbearer holy Michael lead them into that holy light; which Thou didst promise of old to Abraham and to his seed. We offer to Thee, O Lord, sacrifices and prayers: do Thou receive them in behalf of those souls of whom we make memorial this day. Grant them, O Lord, to pass from death to that life, which thou didst promise of old to Abraham and to his seed.

Secret

RECEIVE, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the sacrifice which we offer up on behalf of the soul of the sovereign pontiff, Thy servant Benedict: that by Thy command he whom in this world Thou didst raise to papal rank may be joined in fellowship with Thy Saints in the kingdom of heaven. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son: Who liveth and reigneth with Thee ...

Preface of the Dead

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