

THE LITANY OF INFANT JESUS.

Lord have mercy on us,
 Christ, have mercy on us,
 Lord, have mercy on us.
 Christ, hear us,
 Christ, graciously hear us,
 God the Father of Heaven,
 God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
 God the Holy Ghost,
 Holy Trinity, one God,
 Infant Jesus Christ,
 Infant, true God,
 Infant, Son of the living God,
 Infant, Son of the Virgin Mary,
 Infant, begotten before the day star,
 Infant, the word made flesh,
 Infant, the wisdom of thy Father,
 Infant, the integrity of thy Mother,
 Infant, the only begotten of thy Father,
 Infant, the first born of thy Mother,
 Infant, the image of thy Father,
 Infant, the origin of thy mother,
 Infant, the brightness of thy Father,
 Infant, the honor of thy mother,
 Infant, equal to thy Father,
 Infant, subject to thy Mother,
 Infant, the delights of thy Father,
 Infant, the riches of thy Mother,
 Infant, the gift of thy Father,
 Infant, the treasure of thy Mother,
 Infant the Creator of man,
 Infant, the fruit of a virgin,
 Infant, the virtue of a God,
 Infant, the companion of man,
 Infant, our God,
 Infant, our brother,
 Infant, pilgrim on earth, yet in the fruition
 of glory,
 Infant, possessed of heavenly bliss, yet in
 the pilgrimage of mortality,
 Infant, a perfect man from thy Mother's
 womb,
 Infant, endowed with the wisdom of old age
 from thy childhood,
 Infant, the Father of ages,
 Infant of a few days,
 Infant, life in want of food,
 Infant, the word reduced to silence,
 Infant, crying in the crib,
 Infant, thundering in heaven,
 Infant, the terror of hell,
 Infant, the joy of paradise,
 Infant, formidable to tyrants,
 Infant, desired by the wise men,
 Infant, exile from thy people,
 Infant, king in thy exile,
 Infant, the overthrower of idols,
 Infant, zealous for thy Father's glory,

Have Mercy on us

Infant, strong in thy weakness,
 Infant, powerful in thy littleness,
 Infant, treasure of grace,
 Infant, light of glory,
 Infant, fountain of love,
 Infant, source of sanctity,
 Infant, the restorer of lost heaven,
 Infant, the repairer of the earth,
 Infant, the head of angels,
 Infant, the root of patriarchs,
 Infant, the word of the prophets,
 Infant, the desire of nations,
 Infant, the joy of the shepherds,
 Infant, the light of sages,
 Infant, the salvation of infants,
 Infant, the expectation of the just,
 Infant, the teacher of the wise,
 Infant, the first fruit of all saints,

Have mercy on us

Be merciful.—Spare us, Infant Jesus.
 Be merciful.—Hear us, Infant Jesus.

From the yoke of slavery imposed on the
 children of Adam,
 From the captivity of the devil,
 From the wickedness of the world,
 From the concupiscence of the flesh,
 From the pride of life,
 From inordinate curiosity,
 From blindness of mind,
 From a perverse will,
 From our sins
 Through thy most pure conception,
 Through thy tears,
 Through thy most painful circumcision,
 Through thy most glorious manifestation
 Through thy most devout presentation,
 Through thy most innocent conversation,
 Through thy most divine life,
 Through thy poverty,
 Through thy sufferings,
 Through thy travels and labors,

Infant Jesus deliver us

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the
 world.—Spare us, O Infant Jesus.
 Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the
 world.—Hear us, O Infant Jesus.
 Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the
 world.—Have mercy on us, O Infant Jesus.
 Jesus Infant, hear us,
 Jesus Infant, graciously hear us.

Let us pray:

O Lord Jesus! who didst vouchsafe to de-
 base the sublimity of thy incarnate divinity, and
 of thy most sacred humanity, to the humble
 state of birth and infancy, mercifully grant that
 acknowledging thy divine wisdom in thy infan-
 cy, thy power in thy weakness, thy majesty in