

to the holy will of God. In the midst of her greatest sufferings she was always the same considerate, patient, loving, grateful child, doing her utmost to lessen the trouble she fancied she gave to those around her.

Here also her great love of mortification showed itself more than ever, she refused the little delicacies offered her after taking those remedies most disagreeable to the taste, saying that as she had but a short time to remain on this earth she could not renounce such an easy way of gaining merit.

We were all aware that she would never recover, but when on the evening of the 19th inst. we were told that she would hardly pass the night we were taken by surprise, because we firmly hoped she would be spared some time longer for the edification of her family and her companions, because we frequently heard from her. On the following day Mother La Nativité, two other nuns, her teachers, and three of our companions went to see her; she was very happy