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"Dear children! With great hope in the heart, also today I call you to prayer. If you pray, little children, you are with me and you are seeking the will of my Son and are living it. Be open and live prayer and, at every moment, may it be for you the savour and joy of your soul. I am with you and I intercede for all of you before my Son Jesus. Thank you for having responded to my call." Our Lady's message to the world on 25th June 2012 through Marija - 31st anniversary of apparitions

<u>Annual apparition to Ivanka - June 25th, 2012</u>. The apparition, which lasted 7 minutes, took place at Ivanka's family home. Only Ivanka's family was present at the apparition. After the apparition, Ivanka said: Our Lady spoke to me about the 5th secret and at the end said: "I am giving you my motherly blessing. Pray for peace, peace, peace."

Apparition to Ivan, June 22nd 2012 on 'Apparition Hill' (Mt. Podbrdo) 'Tonight, Our Lady came to us very happy and joyful and greeted us all with the greeting Praised be Jesus my dear children. After this, Our Lady prayed for a long time with extended hands over all of us in her own Aramaic Language. She blessed us all and everything we brought to be blessed especially all the sick that were present here tonight.' After this, Our Lady said: "Dear Children, Today anew, I invite you to decide for Jesus. Decide and go together with him towards the future. I am with you dear children because my Son has allowed me to stay together with you, because I want to guide you, teach you, raise you. I desire to lead you all to my Son. I want to lead you all to Heaven. Therefore, I invite you anew, decide for Him. Put Him in the first place in your lives. Dear Children, this world in which you live passes by. Therefore, decide, decide for peace, live peace. Decide for prayer. pray dear children, pray, pray. Thank you dear children for having responded to my call."

Message to Mirjana, 2nd July 2012 "My children; Again, in a motherly way, I implore you to stop for a moment and to reflect on yourselves and on the transience of this your earthly life. Then reflect on eternity and the eternal beatitude. What do you want? Which way do you want to set out on? The Father's love sends me to be a mediatrix for you, to show you with motherly love the way which leads to the purity of soul; a soul unburdened by sin; a soul that will come to know eternity. I am praying that the light of the love of my Son may illuminate you, so that you may triumph over weaknesses and come out of misery. You are my children and I desire for all of you to be on the way of salvation. Therefore, my children, gather around me that I may have you come to know the love of my Son and thus open the door of eternal beatitude. Pray as I do for your shepherds. Again I caution you: do not judge them, because my Son chose them. Thank you."

<u>Past messages:</u> June 25, 2006 "Dear children! With great joy in my heart I thank you for all the prayers that, in these days, you offered for my intentions. Know, little children, that you will not regret it, neither you nor your children. God will reward you with great graces and you will merit eternal life. I am near you and thank all those who, through these years, have accepted my messages, have poured them into their life and decided for holiness and peace. Thank you for having responded to my call."

July 25, 1989 "Dear children! Today I am calling you to renew your hearts. Open yourselves to God and surrender to him all your difficulties and crosses so, God may turn everything into joy. Little children, you cannot open yourselves to God if you do not pray. Therefore, from today, decide to consecrate a time in the day only for an encounter with God in silence. In that way you will be able, with God, to witness my presence here. Little children, I do not wish to force you. Rather freely give God your time, like children of God. Thank you for having responded to my call."

June 25, 1990 "Dear children! Today I desire to thank you for all your sacrifices and for all your prayers. I am blessing you with my special motherly blessing. I invite you all to decide for God, so that from day to day you will discover His will in prayer. I desire, dear children, to call all of you to a full conversion so that joy will be in your hearts. I am happy that you are here today in such great numbers. Thank you for having responded to my call."

July 25, 1994"Dear children! Today I invite you to decide to give time patiently for prayer. Little children, you cannot say you are mine and that you have experienced conversion through my messages if you are not ready to give time to God every day. I am close to you and I bless you all.

Queen of Peace Prayer Group (Medjugorje) - Holy Family Parish - 9th July 2012 \sim Page 2 of 2 Little children, do not forget that if you do not pray you are not close to me, nor are you close to the Holy Spirit who leads you along the path to holiness. Thank you for having responded to my call."

May 25, 2003 "Dear children! Also today I call you to prayer. Renew your personal prayer, and in a special way pray to the Holy Spirit to help you pray with the heart. I intercede for all of you, little children, and call all of you to conversion. If you convert, all those around you will also be renewed and prayer will be a joy for them. Thank you for having responded to my call."

July 25, 2003 "Dear children! Also today I call you to prayer. Little children, pray until prayer becomes a joy for you. Only in this way each of you will discover peace in the heart and your soul will be content. You will feel the need to witness to others the love that you feel in your heart and life. I am with you and intercede before God for all of you. Thank you for having responded to my call."

June 25, 2006 "Dear children! With great joy in my heart I thank you for all the prayers that, in these days, you offered for my intentions. Know, little children, that you will not regret it, neither you nor your children. God will reward you with great graces and you will merit eternal life. I am near you and thank all those who, through these years, have accepted my messages, have poured them into their life and decided for holiness and peace. Thank you for having responded to my call."

October 25, 2008 "Dear children! In a special way I call you all to pray for my intentions so that, through your prayers, you may stop Satan's plan over this world, which is further from God every day, and which puts itself in the place of God and is destroying everything that is beautiful and good in the souls of each of you. Therefore, little children, arm yourselves with prayer and fasting so that you may be conscious of how much God loves you and may carry out God's will. Thank you for having responded to my call."

July 25, 2010 "Dear children! Anew I call you to follow me with joy. I desire to lead all of you to my Son, your Saviour. You are not aware that without Him you do not have joy and peace, nor a future or eternal life. Therefore, little children, make good use of this time of joyful prayer and surrender. Thank you for having responded to my call."

via IIPG e-mail www.iipg-queenofpeace.org ... Our Lady's words: ... Our Lady's message (2nd July 2012) to Mirjana was certainly powerful. But, rather than comment on her message, I once again find myself almost in awe of how her words can not only speak to multitudes of people around the world as a whole, but also how she has this amazing supernatural ability, (maybe it's an anointing on her words) to speak to each one of us individually. How many of us have read not only today's message, but also her words from the past and a small segment, or a word or two hits us directly in our hearts? It's like a particular message was meant just for us. No coincidence, God and Our Lady know each of us individually and they know our needs and what moves our hearts, or grabs our attention. So the next time we read a message from the Blessed Mother and think she was directing her words to us in particular, rest assured, she was. God Bless. Tom. July 03 2012

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Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for July 2012:

General Intention: Work Security. That everyone may have work in safe and secure conditions. **Missionary Intention:** Christian Volunteers. That Christian volunteers in mission territories may witness to the love of Christ.

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<u>Footnotes:</u> 1. "A life making mistakes is not only more honourable but more useful than a life spent doing nothing." ~ George Bernard Shaw

- 2. "Do not be discouraged at your faults; bear with yourself in correcting them, as you would with your neighbour. Lay aside this ardour of mind, which exhausts your body, and leads you to commit errors. Accustom yourself gradually to carry prayer into all your daily occupations. Speak, move, work, in peace, as if you were in prayer, as indeed you ought to be." ~ Francois Fenelon
 - 3. "A fault, once denied, is twice committed." ~ Thomas Fuller
 - 4. "When looking at faults, use a mirror, not a telescope." ~ Yazid Ibrahim
- **5.** "Never let mistakes or wrong directions, of which every man falls into many, discourage you. There is precious instruction to be got by finding where we were wrong." ~ Thomas Carlyle
- **6.** "Behold those little pieces of straw which the world tramples under its feet. They are the virtues practiced by the Saviour...for which He Himself has set an example: humility, meekness, poverty, penance, patience, and mortification." ~ Saint Anthony of Padua (1125-1231) Doctor of the Church, Feast Day June 13
- 7. "Bless a thing and it will bless you. Curse it and it will curse you. If you bless a situation, it has no power to hurt you." ~ Emmet Fox, spiritual leader (1886-1951)