

*Santa Marija Goretti tipprovdi
ezempju etern ta' fidi u mahfra.*

*Hawn 7 affarijiet li ghandek tkun taf
u taqsam dwar Santa Marija Goretti:*



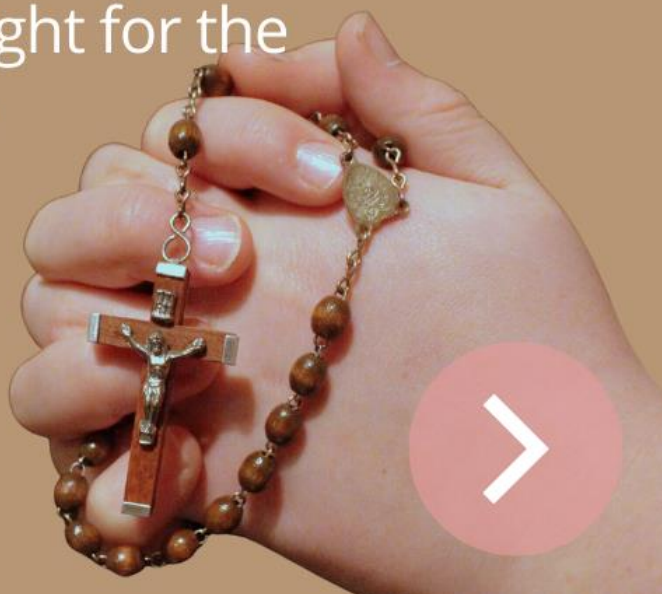
1. SAINT MARIA GORETTI WAS BORN IN 1890 IN CORINALDO, ITALY.

She was raised in a poor agricultural family. She was known for her cheerful and devout nature.



2. MARIA'S FATHER DIED WHEN SHE WAS YOUNG AND HER MOTHER HAD TO WORK TO SUPPORT THEIR SIX CHILDREN.

Maria took care of the younger children while her mother worked, and she prayed the Rosary every night for the repose of her father's soul.



1. Santa Marija Goretti twieldet fl-1890 gewwa Corinaldo, l-Italja. Hija trabbiet f'familja agrikola fqira. Kienet maghrufa ghan-natura ferriha u devota taghha.

2. Missier Marija miet meta hi kienet zghira u ommha hadmet biex izzomm is-sitt uliedha. Marija hadet hsieb hutha z-zghar waqt li ommha kienet tmur tahdem. Kienet titlob ir-Ruzarju kull lejl ghall-mistrieh ta' ruh missierha.

3. MARIA GORETTI DIED A MARTYR AT AGE 11.

On July 5, 1902, a neighbor named Alessandro Serenelli attempted to sexually assault her. She resisted, proclaiming that it was a sin and an offense against God. Alessandro stabbed her multiple times, resulting in her death the following day.

4. MARIA FORGAVE HER ASSAILANT BEFORE SHE DIED, EXPRESSING HER DESIRE TO SEE HIM IN HEAVEN.



3. Maria Goretti mietet martri ta' 11-il sena. Fil-5 ta' Lulju, 1902, gar taghha jismu Alessandro Serenelli pprova jattakkaha sesswalment. Hija rrezistiet, u widdbitu li kien dnuh u offiza kontra Alla. Alessandro taha daqqiet ta' sikkina, u dan irrizulta fil-mewt taghha l-ghada.

4. Maria hafret lill-aggressur taghha qabel ma mietet, u esprimiet ix-xewqa taghha li tarah fis-sema.

5. HER ATTACKER LATER EXPERIENCED A CONVERSION AFTER MARIA CAME TO HIM IN A DREAM WHILE IN PRISON.

He deeply regretted his actions. After serving a prison sentence, he attended Maria's beatification and became a lay brother in a monastery.

6. SHE IS WIDELY VENERATED AS THE PATRON SAINT OF PURITY, CHASTITY, YOUNG GIRLS, AND VICTIMS OF RAPE OR VIOLENCE.

7. PILGRIMS CAN VISIT HER SHRINE AT THE BASILICA OF SAINT MARIA GORETTI IN NETTUNO, ITALY, WHERE HER BODY IS PRESERVED.



5. L-attakkant taghha aktar tard esperjenza l-konverzjoni wara li Marija giet ghandu f'holma waqt li kienet il-habs. Huwa ddispjacih hafna mill-azzjonijiet tieghu. Wara li serva sentenza ta' habs, attenda ghall-beatifikazzjoni ta' Marija u sar ajk f'monasteru.

6. Hija meqjuma hafna bhala l-qaddisa patrana tas-safa, tal-kastità, tfajliet, u vittmi ta' stupru jew vjolenza.

7. Il-pellegrini jistghu jzuru s-santwarju taghha fil-Bazilika ta' Santa Marija Goretti f'Nettuno, l-Italja, fejn il-gisem taghha huwa ppreservat.



Dawn huma l-fdalijiet tal-qaddisa imlibbsa u pprezentati ghad-devozzjoni tal-fidili.

IL-BAZILIKA TA' SANTA MARIA
GORETTI F'NETTUNO:



BAZILKA
SANTA MARIJA
DEDIKATA
MADONNA
GRAZZJA KIF
MINN



TA'
GORETTI
LILL-
TAL-
JIDHER
GEWWA.

