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Our Lady of Medjugorje.  
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*(The Way To Peace)*

**LIVE THE MESSAGES**

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*Our Lady's Message is:  
Pray and Fast  
Frequent Mass  
Monthly Confession  
Daily Rosary  
Love People  
Use Blessed Objects*

## **Our Lady of Medjugorje's Message Given to Marija Pavlovic-Lunett December 25, 2023**

*"Dear Children! I am carrying my Son Jesus to you to fill your hearts with peace, because He is peace. Little children, seek Jesus in the silence of your hearts that He be born anew. The world needs Jesus, therefore, seek Him through prayer, because He gives Himself daily to each of you".*

Today Our Lady came solemnly dressed with little Jesus in her arms. Jesus extended His hand in a sign of blessing as Our Lady prayed over us in Aramaic.

## **Commentary on the December 25, 2023 Message**

*"Peace, I leave with you, my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your heart be troubled and do not be afraid".*

*John 14:27*

Every Christmas our churches and our homes are adorned with the manger scene. We pray before this heartfelt image of the birth of Jesus, the newborn king – the long-awaited Messiah has come. Our Lady has carried her son within her womb for nine months for our salvation.

On this Christmas day, we see that Our Lady has come to each of us carrying Jesus in her arms. She has filled our heart with the greatest Christmas gift we will ever receive. She is bringing us Jesus who is peace!

Mary has called and formed us for such a time as this. Our Dear Mother Mary has come among us to help us form within our heart, metaphorically, a tabernacle where we can rest in Jesus -a tabernacle where we can hide from the evil of this world. In the silence of our heart/tabernacle "Jesus will be formed anew" through prayer and reception of the Sacraments.

In the world that desperately needs peace, we need Jesus to be born anew in our heart! How can this happen? Our Lady tells us. She calls us to seek Jesus through prayer. He is waiting for us in the silence of our heart. Mary tells us this month that Jesus gives Himself daily to each of us. He is waiting patiently for us to draw near to Him. He desires to give us peace because He IS peace! Jesus is the Prince of Peace and the only one who can bring us peace through the intercession and the mediation of Our Lady, Queen of Peace.

Marija saw Our Lady carrying little Jesus. In that vision, she saw little Jesus extend His hand to all of us in a sign of blessing. He blessed us with Hope, Love, and Peace because He is the Prince of Peace and the only one who can bring us His peace – the peace that the world can never understand. Jesus brings us His peace through our mother Mary so that we will endure and persevere in faith, hope, and love our journey through this vale of tears.

Let us open the tabernacle of our heart to praise and thank God for the gift we have received in Jesus Christ our Lord and our Savior. MERRY CHRISTMAS.

## **Our Lady of Medjugorje's Message Given to Jakov Colo \* December 25, 2023**

"Dear children, today with my Son in my arms, I desire to call all of you to pray to the little Jesus for the healing of your heart.

Children, often in your hearts sin rules which destroys your life and you can not feel God's presence.

That is why, on this day of grace, when grace is spreading throughout the whole world, surrender your life and your heart to the Lord, so that the Lord may heal them with His grace.

Only with pure hearts will you be able to experience the birth of Jesus anew in you, and the light of His birth will illuminate your life.

I bless you with my motherly blessing.

Thank you for having responded to my call."

*\*At the last daily apparition to Jakov Colo on September 12th, 1998, Our Lady told him that henceforth he would have one apparition a year, every December 25th, on Christmas Day.*

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