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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 January 25, 2023**

*"Dear children!*

*Pray with me for peace because Satan wants war and hatred in hearts and peoples. Therefore, pray and sacrifice your days by fasting and penance, that God may give you peace. The future is at a crossroads, because modern man does not want God. That is why mankind is heading to perdition. You, little children, are my hope. Pray with me, that what I began in Fatima and here may be realized. Be prayer and witness peace in your surroundings, and be people of peace.*

*Thank you for having responded to my call."*

## **Commentary on the January 25, 2023**

"What sorrow awaits you, Korazin and Bethsaida! For if the miracles I did in you had been done in wicked Tyre and Sidon, their people would have repented of their sins long ago clothing themselves in burlap and throwing ashes on their heads to show their remorse." (Matthew 11:21)

Is our country and our whole world at the point of no return? Is it time for "sackcloth and ashes" in order to show our remorse?

In the January message our mother wants peace for her children despite the sorrow that may come upon us. She invites us to pray with her for peace. We are living in perilous times! We are witnessing one troubling incident after another. Our culture is quickly falling away from God. We have become a culture of death both

physically and spiritually. Abortion is called “health care”. False messiahs are already among us. Our history is being extinguished. Gender is a choice. Worshiping God in schools and public places is banned.

Our Lady reminds us that “Satan” wants war and hatred in hearts”. The war in Ukraine threatens to explode into a third world war. This century has been marked with war, killings. Shootings are reported nearly every day! Christians are being persecuted. Throughout covid we were hearing anti-church rhetoric identifying churches as “non essential”.

America is rapidly losing their soul. For too long we have remained silent and have been transformed into a post Christian society. The source of our blessing has been denied. All reference to God in the public square and throughout the world has been banished! Millions of children have been killed in the womb. Same sex marriage and transgenderism have been normalized. Evil has become good and good became evil.

If God has said “woe to Bethsaida what will He say to America? Scripture tells us that the devil prowls the world seeking the ruin of souls. Satan has over-played his hand. His destruction has become more obvious in government, technology, education, entertainment, and the modern culture. We have been immersed in the pandemic and fear!

Mary is serious now! “The future is at a crossroads”. “Mankind is heading to perdition.”

There is a growing sense of urgency in the times we are living. We can feel it in the air! Our Lady is calling us to recognize the urgency of this present moment in time. She is asking us to pray with her for peace, fast and sacrifice. She wants us to BE prayer and witness. She asks us to be people of peace.

Our Lady’s call is clear! We are standing on the precipice of judgement. Our godless culture

must meet with holiness, truth, and the power of the Holy Spirit. The Kingdom of God is near through our witness. We must pray to the Holy Spirit to revive our heart and soul so that we may be instruments of renewal. The call is clear. We, Our Lady’s children must frame our lives around holiness and peace. We must be light bearers through our personal relationship with God. We must present Jesus to our world in desperate need of revival before the “great and terrible day of the Lord”. The alternative is unspeakable! Our Lady in this message has told us that we are at a crossroads and that mankind is heading toward perdition! What more do we need to hear?

Dear Blessed Mother, may the hope that you gave to the world in Fatima, the Triumph of your Immaculate Heart, now be realized. Amen.

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