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*To make known the Message of  
Our Lady at Medjugorje.  
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message, which is in harmony  
with the Church's Magisterium.*

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*(The Way To Peace)*

## LIVE THE MESSAGES

given at

## MEDJUGORJE

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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

**May 25, 2013**

*"Dear children! Today I call you to be strong and resolute in faith and prayer, until your prayers are so strong so as to open the Heart of my beloved Son Jesus. Pray little children, pray without ceasing until your heart opens to God's love. I am with you and I intercede for all of you and I pray for your conversion. Thank you for having responded to my call."*

### Commentary on the May 25, 2013 Message

On Faith:

"Amen, I say to you, if you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there, and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you.'" (Matt. 17:20)

Jesus addressed these words to his disciples with an edge of frustration. They had been traveling the country side with Jesus witnessing all that he was accomplishing among the people. On the surface, it would seem, they had the faith and the desire to share his ministry among the sick, possessed and lame. Just before Jesus said these words referring to faith the size of the smallest of seeds, the disciples had failed to heal

the boy possessed with a demon. Jesus was strong in His words, "O faithless and perverse generation, how long will I be with you?" When the disciples asked why they had failed in their attempt to heal the boy, Jesus point blank told them it was because of their little faith.

They saw what Jesus did. They heard what He said. They had enough enthusiasm for the ministry. But something was lacking! Perhaps their faith did not take them beyond their human understanding. Maybe they could not accept the theology of the Cross – no pain/no gain.....or...did not understand the Cross which is a portrait of God's love beyond all telling! Perhaps they had not set their face like flint toward Jerusalem and the way of the cross. They lacked trust and their faith was not 'resolute'.

In this message, Our Lady calls us to be strong and resolute in faith and prayer. By now, most of us may be able to say that we have the prayer part down pat. Maybe? But how determined are we to stay the course? How unwavering is our faith in times of trial?

Actually, Our Lady is proposing that it IS possible that our prayers can reach supernatural proportions. Our prayers can be strong enough to literally knock down mountains of obstacles to our goal. She already told us that the Rosary can prevent wars and natural disasters. Now she is telling us that our prayers can be so strong as to fling open the Heart of Her Beloved

Son! Our prayers can open the door of Heaven!

It would seem that our prayer punch has not yet reached these proportions. I believe the reason why is hidden in the next sentence: "Pray little children, pray without ceasing until your hearts open to God's love." Perhaps we are praying as logical adults; and not like little children whose trust is unwavering. Maybe it is because we pray a little and play a lot; or pray a little and work a lot. Perhaps our prayer lacks the power to move mountains because our hearts are still held captive by so many other gods: addictions, attachments, worries, and on and on... Perhaps we do not yet understand the love of our God!

Like Peter, we sink in the waters of faith when confronted with the unprecedented iniquities and natural disasters of our age. (Gosnell abortion clinic murders, Boston bombing, Oklahoma disaster....) Today is the day when our faith and prayers need to be supernaturally strong and resolute. We cannot walk these waters alone. We need Our Lady as our guide, protector and help. If She were not with us, we would, like Peter, sink!

We must pray for the gift of an unwavering, strong faith and persistent prayer as we continue to journey with Mary through the purification, sanctification of all creation and finally, triumphantly to the unification of all God's children. I believe the Triumph of the Immaculate Heart alluded to at Fatima is the final covenant God will make with His chosen ones. I believe many on the earth today will live to experience this glorious event.

Mary, intercede for us so that we may be counted among those in the Book of Revelation whose robes have been washed in the Blood of the Lamb....and triumphantly march through the gates of Heaven.

### Message Given to Mirjana Dragicevic-Soldo May 2, 2013

*"Dear children; Anew, I am calling you to love and not to judge. My Son, according to the will of the Heavenly Father, was among you to show you the way of salvation, to save you and not to judge you. If you desire to follow my Son, you will not judge but love like your Heavenly Father loves you. And when it is the most difficult for you, when you are falling under the weight of the cross do not despair, do not judge, instead remember that you are loved and praise the Heavenly Father because of His love. My children, do not deviate from the way on which I am leading you. Do not recklessly walk into perdition. May prayer and fasting strengthen you so that you can live as the Heavenly Father would desire; that you may be my apostles of faith and love; that your life may bless those whom you meet; that you may be one with the Heavenly Father and my Son. My children, that is the only truth, the truth that leads to your*

*conversion, and then to the conversion of all those whom you meet - those who have not come to know my Son - all those who do not know what it means to love. My children, my Son gave you a gift of the shepherds. Take good care of them. Pray for them. Thank you."*



### The 32nd Anniversary of the Apparitions of Our Lady at Medjugorje will be celebrated

Tuesday - June 25, 2013  
at

St. Mary's Church  
25 Center Street  
Waterloo, NY

6:00 p.m. Most Holy Rosary

Confessions will be heard  
during the Rosary

7:00 p.m. Benediction

7:15 p.m. Mass

Celebrant: Rev. Paul Bonacci

A healing service will  
follow the Mass

### ***Queen of Peace Prayer Cenacles***

**Queen of Peace Night:** Third Wednesday of every month. All are invited. St. Dominic's Church, 6 Canandaigua Street, Shortsville, NY. 7:00 pm Rosary, 8:00 pm Mass followed by healing prayer. The celebrant for June 19 is Father Coffas. The celebrant for July 17 is Father Dennis Bonsignore. **Marian Cenacle:** Every Wednesday evening. St. Mary's Church, Waterloo, NY. All are welcome. 6:45 pm, Divine Mercy Chaplet, 7:00 pm complete Rosary. Contact Darlene Duprey 315-539-9010.

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