

NOVENA to ST. NICHOLAS

℟. In the Name (✠) of the Father... ℟. Amen.

Raccolta No. 550

℟. Saint Nicholas, glorious Confessor of Christ,

℟. **Assist us in thy loving kindness.**

℟. Glorious St. Nicholas, our special patron, from thy throne in glory where thou dost enjoy the presence of God,

℟. **Turn thine eyes in pity upon me * and obtain for me from our Lord * the graces and helps that I need * in my spiritual and temporal necessities * and especially these favors,**

(here mention the spiritual or temporal favor to be prayed for)

℟. Provided that it be profitable to my salvation.

℟. **Be mindful likewise, O glorious and saintly Bishop, * of our Sovereign Pontiff, * of Holy Church, * and of all Christian people.**

℟. Bring back to the right way of salvation all those who are living steeped in sin and blinded by the darkness of ignorance, error and heresy.

℟. **Comfort the afflicted, * provide for the needy, * strengthen the fearful, * defend the oppressed, * give health to the infirm; * cause all men to experience the effects of thy powerful intercession * with the supreme Giver of every good and perfect gift. * Amen.**

Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be



℟. *Let us pray.* O God, who hast glorified blessed Nicholas, Thine illustrious Confessor and Bishop, by means of countless signs and wonders, and who dost not cease daily so to glorify him; grant, we beseech Thee, that we, being assisted by his merits and prayers, may be delivered from the fires of hell and from all dangers. Through Christ our Lord.

℟. Amen.

Invocation of the Saints

℟. St. Nicholas, bishop confessor,	℟. *
℟. St. Ambrose, bishop doctor,	℟. *
℟. St. Melchiodes, pope and martyr,	℟. *
℟. St. Damasus, pope confessor,	℟. *
℟. St. Eusebius, bishop martyr,	℟. *
℟. St. Thomas, apostle,	℟. *
℟. St. Vincent Ferrer, confessor,	℟. *

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Suggested Intentions:

- (1) *A holy and heroic bishop for El Paso and Las Cruces, molded in the likeness of the saints;*
- (2) *A restoration and growth of traditional Catholic parish life in El Paso & Las Cruces;*
- (3) *That Cardinal Burke will hear our petition and grant our request; and*
- (4) *That Fr. Rodriguez will return to El Paso, Texas.*

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