

PRAYER TO OUR LADY OF PROMPT SUCCOR

*Patroness of New Orleans and the
State of Louisiana*



Our Lady of Prompt Succor, ever Virgin Mother of Jesus Christ, our Lord and God, you are most powerful against the enemy of our salvation. The divine promise of a Redeemer was announced right after the sin of our first parents; and you, through your Divine Son, crushed the serpent's head. Hasten, then, to our help and deliver us from the deceits of Satan. Intercede for us with Jesus that we may always accept God's graces and be found faithful to Him in our particular states of life. As you once saved our beloved City from ravaging flames and our Country from an invading army, have pity on us and obtain for us protection from hurricanes and all other disasters. (*Silent pause for individual petitions*) Assist us in the many trials which beset our paths through life. Watch over the Church and the Pope as they uphold with total fidelity the purity of faith and morals against unremitting opposition. Be to us truly Our Lady of Prompt Succor now, and especially at the hour of our deaths, that we may gain everlasting

life through the merits of Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. Amen

OUR LADY OF PROMPT SUCCOR,

HASTEN TO HELP US! (THREE TIMES)

HYMN TO OUR LADY OF PROMPT SUCCOR

Hail Mary, Queen of Heaven!

Hail Mary, Mother dear.

In Thee I find my Jesus,

In Thee I hold no fear.

CHORUS

Hail Mother of Prompt Succor!

Make haste, help me, Thy child!

Hail Mother of Prompt Succor!

Make haste, help me, Thy child.

Make haste, help me, Thy child!

Bright star, on life's vast ocean,

Thou whom the world admires

Hast freed our State and City

From sin, flood, war and fire.

CHORUS

Our Lady of Prompt Succor,

Help me forevermore

'til I meet Thee with my Jesus

Above on Heaven's shore!

CHORUS

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