



“The Annunciation of the Angel Gabriel to Mary”...

FROM THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO - LUKE -:

“The angel Gabriel was sent from God, to a virgin... And entering to her he said: ‘Rejoice, O you who are full of grace! The Lord is with you.’ At these words, she was troubled, and she asked herself what the meaning of such a greeting might be.” (Luke 1:26-29)¹

MEDITATION ON THE MYSTERY:

Give us the Grace, Lord, to know how to interpret everything according to the Spirit of your Word summed up in the Gospel, since you really teach us through your Living Word that **the Announcement of the Angel can happen in many ways**: as it is written, ‘God speaks in one way or in another, but we do not pay attention’ (Job 33:14). (SLC, p. 64)

FROM THE TEACHINGS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH:

- In regards to angels and Announcements, the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* says: “Angels announce this salvation from afar or near and serve the accomplishment of the divine plan.” (CCC 332)

¹ from the Italian Jerusalem Bible (CEI) 2008, unpublished translation by pfgsm

FREE AND PERSONAL MEDITATION

(for a personal contribution to give to those who listen):

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Then follows ...

- 1 Our Father ...
- 5 Hail Mary ...
- 1 Glory be to the Father ... (Sung)

- Praised be,,,
- O my Jesus, forgive us...
- Mary, Queen of Peace ...

- Then, a quick song relevant to the mystery / or one sings : “ Aveeeee, Aveeeee, Ave Maria ...”

Then one goes on to the next Mystery which (like this one) if possible must not take more than 5-7 minutes ...