

## “Jesus Scourged at the Column”...



### FROM THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO – *MATTHEW* – :

*“While [Pilate] was still seated on the bench, his wife sent him a message, ‘Have nothing to do with that righteous man. I suffered much in a dream today because of him.’ The chief priests and the elders persuaded the crowds to ask for Barabbas but to destroy Jesus.” (Matt. 27:19-20)<sup>1</sup>*

### MEDITATION ON THE MYSTERY:

Lord, give us the grace to imitate (in some way) the wife of Pontius Pilate, who recognized the Righteous Man – so clearly that she also had the courage to call to account one of the powerful rulers of the earth. (cf. *SLC*, p. 284)

### FROM THE TEACHINGS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH:

- In regards to correction, the Second Council of Constantinople affirms: *“Not only is the wicked man condemned, but also the one who could have corrected the others and failed to do so.”*

(Cf. COUNCIL OF CONSTANTINOPLE II, 553 A.D., part 1)

<sup>1</sup> NABRE (USCCB)

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### 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 ...