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# Join the Militia of the Immaculata

## Through Total Consecration to Mary

### What is Total Consecration to Mary?

Consecration means setting yourself aside for service to God. The Church has always advocated consecrating one's self to Jesus Christ through the Immaculata, the perfect model of discipleship. Mary will enlighten your mind, guide your will, inspire you to holiness and empower you to help build up the Church of the third millennium.

### Why should I join the MI?

By joining the MI you will have the spiritual support of a Vatican-approved international movement of renewal. You will have access to MI conferences and resources, to its national magazine, *Immaculata*, and to mailings from the national center on how to better live out your consecration.

### How do I enroll?

- 1) **SELECT** a date to have your name recorded in the register of the MI, preferably a Marian feast day.
- 2) **PREPARE** yourself by, if possible, daily Mass, the Rosary and receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation on or before the day of enrollment.
- 3) **RECITE** the official act of consecration written by St. Maximilian Kolbe.
- 4) **ASK** Our Lady and St. Maximilian to show you how you can best serve the Lord from this moment on.
- 5) **ENROLL** your name at the MI national center.

### What is the MI?

The MI is a worldwide movement of evangelization founded by St. Maximilian Kolbe in 1917. It encourages total consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary as a means of spiritual renewal for individuals and society.

### MI Consecration Prayer

Immaculata, Queen of heaven and earth, refuge of sinners and our most loving Mother, God has willed to entrust the entire order of mercy to you. I, N. . . , a repentant sinner, cast myself at your feet humbly imploring you to take me with all that I am and have, wholly to yourself as your possession and property. Please make of me, of all my powers of soul and body, of my whole life, death and eternity, whatever most pleases you.

If it pleases you, use all that I am and have without reserve, wholly to accomplish what was said of you: "She will crush your head," and, "You alone have destroyed all heresies in the world." Let me be a fit instrument in your immaculate and merciful hands for introducing and increasing your glory to the maximum in all the many strayed and indifferent souls, and thus help extend as far as possible the blessed kingdom of the most Sacred Heart of Jesus. For wherever you enter you obtain the grace of conversion and growth in holiness, since it is through your hands that all graces come to us from the most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

V. Allow me to praise you, O sacred Virgin.

R. Give me strength against your enemies.



### MI MEMBERS RECEIVE FREE:

- A frameable enrollee certificate
- A miraculous Medal
- Regular national center correspondence

Send form below to enroll • Or enroll online at [www.consecration.com](http://www.consecration.com) • Call 847-367-7800 for more information

**TO ENROLL:** ➔ Fill out and return this form to the MI National Center/Marytown  
1600 W. Park Avenue, Libertyville, IL 60048, 847-367-7800

Make your gift payable to the Militia of the Immaculata

- I have fulfilled the conditions above. Enroll me in the Militia of the Immaculata.  
Enrollment date: \_\_\_\_\_
- I wish to support the work of the MI movement with my donation of \$\_\_\_\_\_.
- I would like to subscribe to *Immaculata*, the national voice of the MI (\$14.95 for one year/6 issues).
- Do not enroll me at this time, but send me a FREE brochure about the MI.

Mr./Mrs./Ms./other \_\_\_\_\_

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