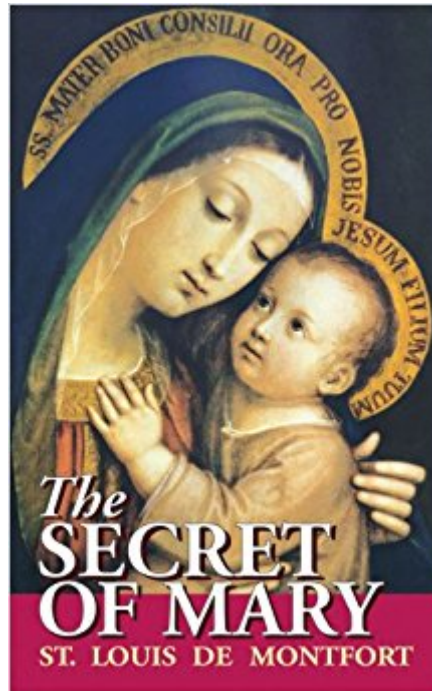




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The Secret Of Mary



Synopsis

A short, famous classic on "true devotion to Mary"--an excellent, easy means of attaining holiness and salvation, a way followed by Popes and Saints, but also perfect for lay people. It is at least every bit as good as his True Devotion to Mary! Small but powerful--seems almost divinely inspired!

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Customer Reviews

"An effective means for Christians to live faithfully their baptismal commitments." --Pope John Paul II, in *Redemptoris Mater*

The author of *The Secret of the Rosary* and the originator of total consecration to Mary, St. Louis-Marie Grignion De Montfort (1673-1716) remains one of the greatest apostles of Marian devotion the world has ever known. As a young priest, De Montfort dedicated himself to preaching to the people. This highly gifted orator's language was simple but full of divine love, much as you will find in *True Devotion to Mary*. De Montfort's whole life was marked by constant prayer, love for the poor and holy joy in humiliations and persecutions. De Montfort was canonized by Pius XII in 1947.

The book *Secret of Mary* is a follow-on book to another book entitled *True Devotion to Mary* written by St. Louis de Montfort between 1700 and 1716. The *Secret of Mary* is basically the *True Devotion to Mary* in short form - that is not to say that it replaces *True Devotion to Mary* in any way. A much more condensed book than *True Devotion to Mary*, it contains much of the material that is contained

in True Devotion but it is not in as much depth nor should it be used to replace True Devotion to Mary. I love the book The Secret of Mary and say daily and nightly prayers from it every single day. I carry it on any travels so that I will always have both Mary and St. Louis de Montfort with me at all times. I didn't mention but feel that I should - I am a follower of St. Louis de Montfort and have consecrated myself entirely to Jesus Christ through the Blessed Virgin Mary, His mother. I recommend this book to anyone who has a desire to be closer to Mary and, through her, to her Son Jesus. By the way, there really is a Secret of Mary somewhere in this book and those of us who are already consecrated are not permitted to speak of it. READ THE BOOK -- FIND THE SECRET OF MARY!

After reading "The Secret Of The Holy Rosary", I got a copy of another little book by Saint Louis Marie De Monfort entitled "The Secret Of Mary". This book provides the reader how to form the best relationship we could possibly have with the Blessed Virgin Mary in order to get closer to Jesus. It follows the basic principle of getting to Jesus through Mary. According to De Monfort, we can do this through prayer, getting to know oneself and improving ourselves into the best person we could possibly be by acquiring the virtues the Blessed Virgin possess such as faith, humility, spirituality, obedience and many others. The book offers advice on how to do this. Aside from that, this easy-to-read book will teach the reader various prayers to Mary as well as to Jesus himself through other Marian prayers that we could use in our daily prayers. Let every Catholic take hold of this book and acquire the basics of loving, veneration and devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary, the mother of Jesus. This is definitely a good companion to Saint Louis' other Marian book, "True Devotion To Mary" and the Holy Bible.

St. Louis De Montfort brings hope to anyone by bringing him or her to Our Lady of Divine Grace. For She is Our Hope in all turmoil. Consecrating yourself to the Sacred Heart of Jesus through Mary's Immaculate Heart is salvation. Our Lady has always kept Her promise. Also pray the Holy Rosary and wear the Brown Scapular daily and you will see a difference from what you knew before.

Mary truly helps. Her intercession is powerful. If you persevere in this devotion daily, you will find Mary and She will lead you to Jesus. Experience is the key. You must persevere. Thanks be to God, for in HIS mercy, HE has given us Mary. It's a small book, you can carry it in your pocket or your car and either put about 15 min aside to either read some of it, or pray some of the prayers. This Secret of Mary is Truly a jewel.

This is a golden book which should be on everyone nightstand, purse or desk. I find it very inspiring and helps me gain a better understanding of who we are as children of God.

Love her loved the book.

The book gave some insight into the history, but failed to talk about Mary on a personal level which is what I was looking for. I feel that she was an amazing woman of her time, and wanted to find out more about her.

only one problem for me. Book is fabulous but it has a different cover and not at nice. I understand why they made it all blue. The original cover is more to my taste and more dynamic

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