

Day 9: Loving God, St. Thérèse never doubted that her life had meaning. Help me to see how I can bless and love everyone in my life. Especially...

I love your people, Lord. Help me to love them more!

I reflect you to the world, Lord. Help me to reflect you more clearly!

I rely on you, Lord. Help me to rely on you more!

I accept your will, Lord. Help me to accept your will every day!

I try to forgive, Lord. Help me to forgive 70 times 7 times!

I am humble, Lord. Give me more humility!

I see you, Lord. Help me to see you more!

I trust you, Lord. Help me to trust you more!

I love you, Lord. Help me to love you more!

Glory be to the Father...

Feast Day Novena Prayer for Peace

This prayer is used by the Carmelites during the Feast Day Novena

St. Thérèse, Flower of fervor and love, please intercede for us.

Fill our hearts with your pure love of God.

As we approach and celebrate your feast day, make us more aware of the goodness of God and how well He tends His garden.

Instill in us your little way of doing ordinary things with extra-ordinary love.

Give us the heart of a child who wonders at life and embraces everything with loving enthusiasm.

Teach us your delight in God's ways so that divine charity may blossom in our hearts.

Little Flower of Jesus, bring our petitions
(mention in silence here)

before God, our Father.

With your confidence, we come before Jesus as God's children,

because you are our heavenly friend.

As we celebrate the Feast Day of your homecoming in heaven, continue to shower roses and grace upon us.

Amen

My Novena Rose Prayer

O Little Thérèse of the Child Jesus, please pick for me a rose from the heavenly gardens and send it to me as a message of love.

O Little Flower of Jesus, ask God to grant the favors I now place with confidence in your hands...*(mention in silence here)*

St. Thérèse, help me to always believe as you did in God's great love for me, so that I might imitate your "Little Way" each day.

Amen



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ST. THÉRÈSE 9-DAY NOVENA



St. Thérèse of Lisieux Feast Day October 1st

This 9-Day Novena can be prayed at anytime of the year for nine consecutive days. Traditionally, it is prayed from September 22nd through September 30th, in anticipation of her feast day on October 1st.

How to say this Chaplet

Pray the *Beginning Prayers* with your intention for the novena every day. Add the *Daily Prayers* section for the particular day of the novena. End each day with the 'Glory Be'.

BEGINNING PRAYERS

Dearest Saint Thérèse of Lisieux, you said that you would spend your time in heaven doing good on earth.

Your trust in God was complete. Pray that He may increase my trust in His goodness and mercy as I ask for the following petitions...
(*State your intention clearly and confidently*)

Pray for me that I, like you, may have great and innocent confidence in the loving promises of our God. Pray that I may live my life in union with God's plan for me, and one day see the Face of God whom you loved so deeply.

Saint Thérèse, you were faithful to God even unto the moment of your death. Pray for me that I may be faithful to our loving God. May my life bring peace and love to the world through faithful endurance in love for God our savior.

ADD THE APPROPRIATE DAILY PRAYER:

Day 1: Loving God, you blessed St. Thérèse with a capacity for a great love. Help me to believe in your unconditional love for each of your children, especially for me.

I love you, Lord. Help me to love you more!

Glory be to the Father, to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Day 2: Loving God, you loved St. Thérèse's complete trust in your care. Help me to rely on your providential care in each circumstance of my life, especially the most difficult and stressful.

I trust you, Lord. Help me to trust you more!
I love you, Lord. Help me to love you more!

Glory be to the Father...

Day 3: Loving God, you gave St. Thérèse the ability to see You in the ordinary routine of each day. Help me to be aware of your presence in the everyday events of my life.

I see you, Lord. Help me to see you more!
I trust you, Lord. Help me to trust you more!
I love you, Lord. Help me to love you more!

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Day 4: Loving God, You taught St. Thérèse how to find You through the "little way" of humility and simplicity. Grant that I may never miss the grace hidden in humble service to others.

I am humble, Lord. Give me more humility!
I see you, Lord. Help me to see you more!
I trust you, Lord. Help me to trust you more!
I love you, Lord. Help me to love you more!

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Day 5: Loving God, You gave St. Thérèse the gift of forgiving others even when she felt hurt and betrayed. Help me to be able to forgive others who have wounded me, especially...

I try to forgive, Lord. Help me to forgive 70 times 7 times!
I am humble, Lord. Give me more humility!
I see you, Lord. Help me to see you more!
I trust you, Lord. Help me to trust you more!
I love you, Lord. Help me to love you more!

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Day 6: Loving God, St. Thérèse experienced every day as a gift from You. She saw it as a time to love You through other people. May I, too, see every day as an opportunity to say yes to You.

I accept your will, Lord. Help me to accept your will every day!
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I see you, Lord. Help me to see you more!
I trust you, Lord. Help me to trust you more!
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Day 7: Loving God, St. Thérèse offered to You her weakness. Help me to see in my weakness an opportunity to rely completely on you.

I rely on you, Lord. Help me to rely on you more!
I accept your will, Lord. Help me to accept your will every day!
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I trust you, Lord. Help me to trust you more!
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Day 8: Loving God, You loved St. Thérèse with a powerful love and made her a source of strength to those who had lost faith in You. Help me to pray with confidence for those in my life who do not believe they can be loved.

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