

Twelfth Station - Jesus Dies on the Cross

V: We adore You, O Christ, and we praise You.
 Â Â Â Adoremus te, Christe, et benedicimus tibi.

R: Because, by Your holy cross, You have redeemed the world.
 Â Â Â Quia per sanctam crucem tuam redemisti mundum.

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V: Consider how Jesus, after three hours of agony on the cross, is finally overwhelmed with suffering and, abandoning Himself to the weight of His body, bows His head and dies.

R: My dying Jesus,
 Â Â Â I devoutly kiss the cross on which You would die for love of me.
 Â Â Â I deserve, because of my sins, to die a terrible death;
 Â Â Â but Your death is my hope.
 Â Â Â By the merits of Your death,
 Â Â Â give me the grace to die embracing Your feet and burning with love of You.
 Â Â Â I yield my soul into Your hands.
 Â Â Â I love You with my whole heart.
 Â Â Â I am sorry that I have offended You.
 Â Â Â Never let me offend You again.
 Â Â Â Grant that I may love You always; and then do with me as You will.

(Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory be to the Father)

Let me mingle tears with thee,Â Â Â Â Â Â Â Â
 Mourning Him who mourned for me,Â Â Â Â Â Â Â Â
 All the days that I may live.Â Â Â Â Â Â Â Â Â Â Â

Fac me tecum pie flere,
 Crucifixo condolere,
 Donec ego vixero.

Thirteenth Station