

The suffering of Christ “can be considered in a twofold way: in the first place, as a **remedy** for sin, and secondly, as an **example** of how to act.”

– From the Office of Readings for the Feast of Saint Thomas Aquinas

Jesus' Word from the Cross	Mary's Example
<p>“Father forgive them, for they know not what they do.” ~Lk. 23:33-34</p>	<p>“...I know not man.” ~Luke 1:34</p>
<p>“Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise.” ~Luke 23:39-43</p>	<p>“Be it done unto me according to your word.” ~Luke 1:38</p>
<p>“Woman, behold your son...Behold, your mother.” ~John 19:25-27</p>	<p>Greeting Elizabeth... ~Luke 1:36-45</p>
<p>“My God, my God, why have you forsake me?” ~Mark 15:33-34</p>	<p>“My soul magnifies the Lord and my spirit rejoices in God, my savior...” ~Luke 1:46-55</p>
<p>“I thirst.” ~John 19:28-29</p>	<p>“Son, why have you done this to us? Behold, thy father and I have sought thee sorrowing.” ~Luke 2:48</p>
<p>“It is finished.” ~John 19:30</p>	<p>“They have no wine.” ~John 2:3</p>
<p>“Father, into your hands I commend my spirit”... ~Luke 23:44-46</p>	<p>“Do whatever He tells you.” ~John 2:5</p>