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# 1996 - Medjugorje Monthly Messages

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January 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Today I invite you to decide for peace. Pray that God give you the true peace. Live peace in your hearts and you will understand, dear children, that peace is the gift of God. Dear children, without love you cannot live peace. The fruit of peace is love and the fruit of love is forgiveness. I am with you and I invite all of you, little children, that before all else forgive in the family and then you will be able to forgive others. Thank you for having responded to my call.”**

February 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Today I invite you to conversion. This is the most important message that I have given you here. Little children, I wish that each of you become carrier of my messages. I invite you, little children, to live the messages that I have given you over these years. This time is time of grace. Especially now, when the Church also is inviting you to prayer and conversion. I also, little children, invite you to live my messages that I have given you during the time since I appear here. Thank you for having responded to my call.”**

March 25, 1996

**“Dear children! I invite you to decide again to love God above all else. In this time, when due to the spirit of consumerism, one forgets what it means to love and to cherish true values, I invite you again, little children, to put God in the first place in your life. Do not let satan attract you through material things but, little children, decide for God who is freedom and love. Choose life and not death of the soul, little children, and in this time when you meditate upon the suffering and death of Jesus, I invite you to decide for life which blossomed through the Resurrection, and that your life may be renewed today through conversion that shall lead you to eternal life. Thank you for having responded to my call.”**

April 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Today I invite you again to put prayer in the first place in your families. Little children, when God is in the first place, then you will, in all that you do, seek the will of God. In this way your daily conversion will become easier. Little children, seek with humility that which is not in order in your hearts. Conversion will become daily duty that you will do with joy. Little children, I am with you, I bless you all and I invite you to become my witnesses by prayer and personal conversion. Thank you for having responded to my call.”**

May 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Today I wish to thank you for all your prayers and sacrifices that you, during this month which is dedicated to me, have offered to me. Little children, I also wish that you all become active during this time that is through me connected to Heaven in special way. Pray in order to understand that you all, through your life and your example, ought to collaborate in the work of salvation. Little children, I wish that all people convert and see me and my Son, Jesus, in you. I will intercede for you and help you to become the light. In helping the other, your soul will also find salvation. Thank you for having responded to my call.”**

June 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Today I thank you for all the sacrifices you have offered me these days. Little children, I invite you to open yourselves to me and to decide for conversion. Your hearts, little children, are still not completely open to me and therefore, I invite you again to open to prayer so that in prayer the Holy Spirit will help you, that your hearts become flesh and not of stone. Little children, thank you for having responded to my call and for having decided to walk with me toward holiness.”**

July 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Today I invite you to decide every day for God. Little children, you speak much about God, but you witness little with your life. Therefore, little children, decide**

**for conversion, that your life may be true before God, so that in the truth of your life you witness the beauty God gave you. Little children, I invite you again to decide for prayer because through prayer, you will be able to live the conversion. Each one of you shall become in the simplicity, similar to child which is open to the love of the Father. Thank you for having responded to my call.”**

August 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Listen, because I wish to speak to you and to invite you to have more faith and trust in God, who loves you immeasurably. Little children, you do not know how to live in the grace of God, that is why I call you anew, to carry the Word of God in your heart and in thoughts. Little children, place the Sacred Scripture in a visible place in your family, and read and live it. Teach your children, because if you are not an example to them, children depart into godlessness. Reflect and pray and then God will be born in your heart and your heart will be joyous. Thank you for having responded to my call.”**

September 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Today, I invite you to offer your crosses and suffering for my intentions. Little children, I am your Mother and I wish to help you by seeking for you the grace from God. Little children, offer your sufferings as a gift to God so they become the most beautiful flower of joy. That is**

**why, little children, pray so that you may understand that suffering can become joy and the cross the way of joy. Thank you for having responded to my call.”**

October 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Today I invite you to open yourselves to God the Creator, so that He changes you. Little children, you are dear to me. I love you all and I call you to be closer to me and that your love towards my Immaculate Heart be more fervent. I wish to renew you and lead you with my Heart to the Heart of Jesus, which still today suffers for you and calls you to conversion and renewal. Through you, I wish to renew the world. Comprehend, little children, that you are today the salt of the earth and the light of the world. Little children, I invite you and I love you and in special way implore: Convert! Thank you for having responded to my call.”**

November 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Today, again, I invite you to pray, so that through prayer, fasting, and small sacrifices you may prepare yourselves for the coming of Jesus. May this time, little children, be time of grace for you. Use every moment and do good, for only in this way will you feel the birth of Jesus in your hearts. If with your life you give an example and become sign of God’s love, joy will prevail in the hearts of men. Thank you for having responded to my call.”**

December 25, 1996

**“Dear children! Today I am with you inspecial way,  
holding little Jesus in my lap and I invite you, little  
children, to open yourselves to His call. He calls you to joy.  
Little children, joyfully live the messages of the Gospel,  
which I am repeating in the time since I am with you. Little  
children, I am your Mother and I desire to reveal to you  
the God of love and the God of peace. I do not desire for  
your life to be in sadness but that it be realized in joy for  
eternity, according to the Gospel. Only in this way will  
your life have meaning. Thank you for having responded  
to my call.”**

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