

Christ's word ... sufficient...

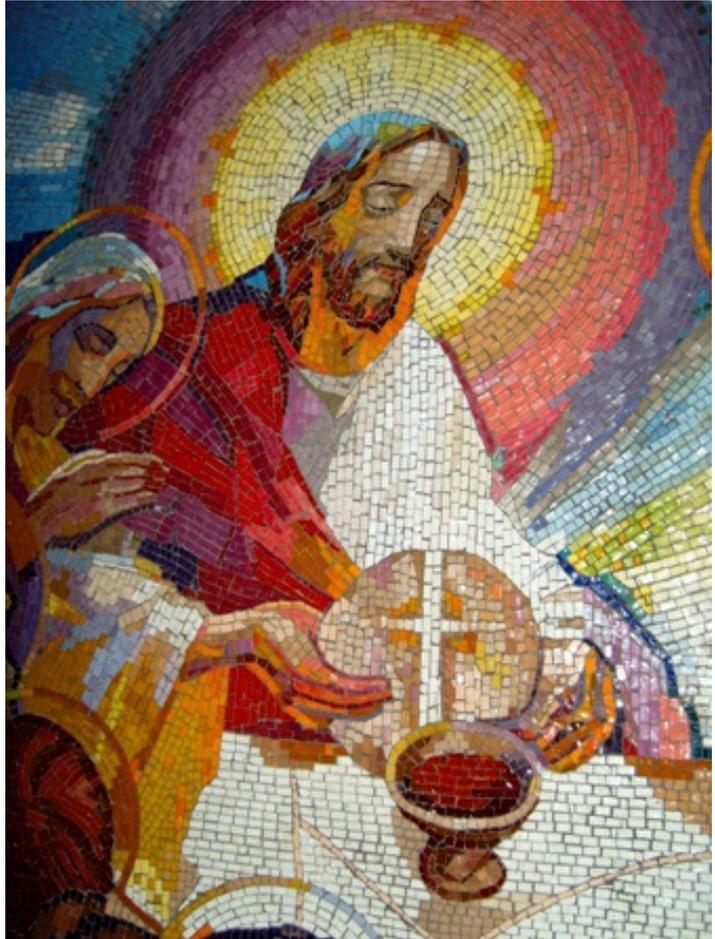
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... so is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it. - Isaiah 55:11

"In the person of St Louis IX were the qualities which form a great king, a hero of romance, and a saint! With his death, the century of knights ended.

One day a messenger, breathless with haste, burst in upon the king with surprising and exciting news. "Your majesty," he cried, "hasten to the Church! A great miracle is occurring there. A priest is saying holy Mass, and after the consecration, instead of the host there is visible on the altar Jesus Himself in His human figure. Everybody is marveling at it. Hurry before it disappears."

To the astonishment of the messenger, **the saintly monarch calmly replied:**



Let them go to see the miracle who have any doubt regarding the Real Presence of our Lord in the Holy Sacrament. As for me, even if I saw Jesus on the altar in His visible form, and touched Him with my hand, and heard His voice, I should not be more convinced than I now am, that He is present in the consecrated Host.

The word of Christ is sufficient for me.
I need no miracle."

Excerpt from: *Hidden Treasure, the Riches of the Eucharist, Louis Kaczmarek*

King St Louis IX

France ~ 1214-1270

Good and generous king, model father

Wife: Margaret of Provence

Father of eleven children

FEAST DAY - August 25



From St Louis' mother...

"Never forget that sin is the only great evil in the world. No mother could love her son more than I love you. But I would rather see you lying dead at my feet than know that you had offended God by one mortal sin."

[Click here: Last Words of Saint Louis IX, 1270 - YouTube \(7:44 mins\)](#)

[Click here: Louis IX - The Crusader King - YouTube \(15:44 mins\)](#)

King St Louis IX, pray for us!