

Remembering our holy companions...

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"No evil shall befall you, nor shall affliction come near your tent, for to His Angels God has given command about you, that they guard you in all your ways. Upon their hands they will bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone." - Psalm 91: 10-12

Memorial of the GUARDIAN ANGELS **October 2**



Pietro Perugino

"It was during the Mass at 6:30 in the morning, at the moment of Consecration. A dazzling light suddenly shone forth...I had the feeling that this adorable splendor was that of the Presence of Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. Struck to the heart I could only repeat, *'My Lord and My God!'*

At the same moment there appeared the outline of the angels in prayer before the shining Host. They were kneeling all around the altar in a semi-circle, their backs toward us. There were eight of them... They did not have wings, but their bodies were enveloped in sort of a mysterious luminescence which clearly distinguished them from humans.

Amazed, not believing my eyes, I opened and closed them, rubbed them, but nothing changed. All eight were there to adore the Most Blessed Sacrament in an attitude of great devotion. ...

At the moment of Communion, my guardian angel approached me to invite me to advance

to the altar. At that moment, I clearly distinguished the guardian angels of each member of the community close to their left shoulders, and of the height a little smaller than each. Like my guardian angel they gave truly the impression of guiding and watching over them with sweetness and affection. This scene in itself opened my eyes to the profound meaning of the guardian angel, better than any theological explanation, even the most detailed. After dinner I gave a complete account of this vision to the Bishop... **Had they not chosen the Feast of the Guardian Angels to show the example of adoration and to reveal their readiness to lead us to the Lord?** ~ *Sr Agnes Sasagawa*

Excerpt from:
Akita, The Tears and Message of Mary
John M Haffert



Guardian angels ~ JHS Mann

**"Beside each believer stands an angel protector
and shepherd leading him to life." ~ *St Basil***

"God's universal providence works through secondary causes . . . The world of pure spirits stretches between the Divine Nature and the world of human beings; because Divine Wisdom has ordained that the higher should look after the lower, **Angels execute the Divine plan for human salvation: they are our Guardians, who free us when hindered and help to bring us home.**" ~St. Thomas Aquinas

"Let us affectionately love His angels as counselors and defenders appointed by the Father and placed over us. **They are faithful; they are prudent; they are powerful.** Let us only follow them, let us remain close to them, and in the protection of the God of heaven let us abide." ~St. Bernard of Clairvaux

**Angel of God, my guardian dear
to whom God's love commits me here.
Ever this day/night be at my side
to light, to guard, to rule and guide. Amen.**

See, I am sending an angel before you, to guard you on the way and bring you to a place I have prepared. -Exodus 23:20

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**[Sermon on the Holy Guardian Angels](#)
(St Bernard of Clairvaux)**

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**Celebrate the gift of your holy companion!
Attend Mass and spend time before
our Eucharistic Lord today -
what a blessing for your Guardian Angel -
to be with Our Lord - together!!**



Guardian angel ~ Domenichia