

Mother's Day Novena  
begins Tuesday

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Questions From The Questionnaire.

55. How can one respect modern girls?

Ans. If you stay away from them for a while and commend them to God in prayer you will find that insensibly you will acquire the right attitude.

56. What is the torture of hell?

Ans. 1. The loss of God; you will know then what that means. 2. The pain of sense: "each vice will then have its own proper torment," says Thomas a Kempis.

57. How do we know that there are souls in hell?

Ans. We know from the words of Christ that there will be souls in hell for all eternity. The following passages are typical: "Depart from Me, ye cursed, into everlasting fire." (St. Matthew, 25:41) "The exterior darkness, where there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth." (id., 8:12) "And they shall go into everlasting punishment." (id., 25:46) "Their worm dieth not, and the fire is not extinguished." (St. Mark, 9:45)

58. Please give a good proof of the divinity of the Catholic Church.

Ans. It has lasted nineteen hundred years, in spite of the human weakness of its members.

59. Why didn't Lazarus leave a story of what death is like?

Ans. Why should he? Our Lord said: "They have Moses and the prophets; if they will not believe them they will not believe one risen from the dead." Our Lord told us that if we die in mortal sin we shall certainly go to hell; that's enough for anyone to know about death. How many people order their lives according to that truth?

60. Why does religion change?

Ans. The religion God gave us doesn't change. Man-made religions may change as men may change their minds - like the weather-vane the Pilgrim Fathers put on their churches instead of a cross.

61. Pan those pseudo-scientists.

Ans. Bring them on. We've tried to hit every head that stuck up above the mob so far this year. Send in your clippings.

62. Would it be possible to treat the students less like babies?

Ans. Certainly. There are schools that try it. You'll find their names in the headlines on the squirrel page regularly.

63. What would you consider an early marriage?

Ans. Too early, or just early? A marriage between a freshman and a forty-year-old grass widow would be too early. You can start from that and work out to an early marriage. Just as soon as the couple doesn't have to live on some other husband's alimony is early enough.

64. What is required to be married here?

Ans. 1. A Catholic girl; 2. Two baptismal certificates; 3. A letter from the bride's pastor stating that the banns have been announced or dispensed and designating the priest who is to perform the ceremony here; 4. Delegation from the pastor here if a priest other than the pastor is to perform the ceremony; 5. Permission from the President of the University; 6. A marriage license. Marriage is a parochial right; the bride's pastor must waive that right if the ceremony is to be performed elsewhere than in her parish. The University does not wish to interfere in any way with the rights of pastors.

PRAYERS: A deceased friend; three friends ill; four special intentions; one thanksgiving for a return to the faith (a Church Unity Octave case - No. 2 for this year).