



As you read this group of 6 unique prayer cards (from 1 through 6), you will learn how they explain about Our Blessed Mother's Soul. We are given our immortal soul at the moment of our conception.

ST. CATHERINE LABOURÉ AS A YOUNG PERSON

St. Catherine Labouré was born on May 2, 1806 in Burgundy, France and Baptized the next day.

Her mother died when she was 9 years old.

St. Catherine missed her mother terribly and adopted Mary the Mother of Jesus, saying, "Now you will be my mother". Being the eldest at home, she now helped her father with the household chores and raising the other children. Daily,

St. Catherine fed the hundreds of pigeons in the Labouré dovecote. This was the one recreation of her long, hard day. The birds swooped down upon her, disheveling her hair and clothes!

St. Catherine delighted in the friendly attention.

Dear Friend, we ask all who read these most important prayer cards to share its contents with others – in particular young people – to help educate them in the work and the mission of the Several Sources Shelters.

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