SAINT GERARD PRAYER FOR CONCEPTION

O glorious St. Gerard, powerful intercessor before God & wonder worker of our day, I call upon you & seek your help. You who always fulfilled God’s will on earth, help those desiring to conceive to do God’s holy will. Intercede with the Giver of Life from whom all parenthood proceeds, that they may conceive & raise children who will please God in this life & be heirs to the Kingdom of Heaven. Amen.

SAINT RITA PRAYER FOR CONCEPTION

Glorious St. Rita, O holy patroness of those in need, your intercession with our Lord is most powerful. Through the favors obtained by your prayers, you have been called the Advocate of the Hopeless & even of the Impossible. St. Rita, humble & pure; patient compassionate lover of Christ Crucified! We have confidence that everyone who has recourse to you, will find comfort & relief. Listen to our petitions & show your power with God on our behalf. Obtain our petitions for us, if they are for the greater glory of God, & for our good. We promise, if our petitions are granted, to make known your favor, & to glorify God for His gift. Relying on your merits & power before the Sacred Heart of Jesus, we ask of you (here mention your request).
Obtain for us our Request by the singular merits of thy childhood, by thy perfect union with the Divine Will, by thy heroic sufferings during thy married life, by the consolation thou didst experience at the conversion of thy husband, by the sacrifice of thy children rather than see them grievously offend God, by thy miraculous entrance into the convent, by thy severe penances & thrice daily bloody scourgings, by the suffering caused by the wound thou didst receive from the thorn of the Crucified Savior, by the divine love which consumed thy heart, by that remarkable devotion to the Blessed Sacrament, on which alone thou didst exist for four years, by the happiness with which thou didst part from thy trials to join thy Divine Spouse, by the perfect example thou gavest to people of every state of life. Pray for us, O holy St. Rita, that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ. Let us Pray, Heavenly Father! In Your infinite love & mercy, you heed the prayer of Your beloved servant, Saint Rita. You graciously grant favors through her intercession, which are considered impossible to human foresight, skill & efforts. Relying on her compassionate love, we ask You to assist us in our trials & difficulties. Let unbelievers know that you are recompense helper of the humble, the defense of the helpless, & the strength of those who trust in You. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.