



Faith and Light international

Look at With the eyes of God On the way to Easter

*My soul is overwhelmed with sorrow to the point of death. Stay here and keep watch with me.
(Mt 26,38)*

Lord Jesus,

I look at the world with all its problems and difficult situations, I am overwhelmed and upset.
What suffering, what pain!

I look at so many human beings who are ignored, despised, imprisoned, judged and condemned without appeal, without reason.

I look at the victims of war, especially children and the defenceless, unprotected.

I look at the homeless who live on the streets and sleep wherever they can, many of whom are mentally ill.

I look at those who are persecuted in schools, those who are harassed, those who are exploited in so many ways.

I look at so many enslaved and submissive women, silent and resigned to being what others ask them to be in so many countries and cultures.

I look at so many lonely people, without friends, without family, without a hug, without a word of affection, without a merciful look.

I look at those who are addicted to drugs, networks and technology.

I look at those who cannot find meaning in their lives, those who consider suicide as a way out of their situation... And I am overwhelmed, Lord.

What to do? What to say?

I can only ask you to look at the pain with your eyes, contemplate the suffering with your eyes and not with mine.

Only in this way will I understand Easter and rediscover that suffering does not have the last word and that death is only a step towards eternal life. Only by looking at the Passion through your eyes will I be able to experience the Resurrection.

Only by looking at the Cross with your eyes will I be able to prepare myself for your final victory.

My gaze is so short, so fragile, so petty...

Give this gift to all your sons and daughters in the Faith and Light family.

Give us your gaze. From you. With you.

Happy Easter!

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