

A Prayer to St. Joseph, the Worker

In the name of the Father, and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen.
Glorious St. Joseph, model of all those who are devoted to labour,
obtain for us the grace to work conscientiously,
putting the call of duty above our many sins;
to work with thankfulness and joy,
considering it an honour to employ and develop,
by means of labour, the gifts received from God;
to work with order, peace, prudence and patience,
never surrendering to weariness or difficulties;
to work, above all, with purity of intention, and with detachment from self,
having always death before our eyes
and the account which we must render of time lost,
of talents wasted, of good omitted, of vain complacency in success
so fatal to the work of God.

All for Jesus, all for Mary, all after thy example,
O Patriarch Joseph.
Such shall be our motto in life and death.
Amen.

St. Joseph, Pray for us.

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