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Spiritual Requests and Intentions deposited at the shrine(Tomb) of Blessed Columba, from 22d August to 3d October 2007

We commend the following intentions, chosen from among some 500, to the good prayers of our readers.

- I would like to see an end to all fights at school (G \dots 6 years old)

- Help us to be happy, L...and myself, and to want for nothing.

- Please look after my Mum, and thanks for having cured her after her accident. Even though there are some after-effects, we are grateful she is still with us.

- That I may be able to maintain my strength, for myself and those who have suffered on account of me, and that everything will be possible between S... and me.

- I believe in you, and I am proud of all the things you have provided for my people.

- Noble Columba, never forget that you are the greatest in Maredsous!

- Dom Marmion is always at my side; he is my guide, who enlightens and protects me. I owe him a big "Thanks".

- For my grand-daughter, aged 20, who is anorexic, and unable to look after herself, yet she is so intelligent and ill-at-ease, that it is a tragedy for her parents. Pray for her, and for us!

- This note is to ask you simply to help us in our future life.

- That I may be able to buy my business very soon, as I love my job.

- I would wish that my mother feels much better.

- I have come here, because I have done something very bad, and, as a result, have hurt some of my close relations. That is why I am here, to try, for the first time, t forgive myself and to ask pardon of others. I am 18 years old.

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- Dear Dom Columba, if you see Father R....a Jesuit, tell him that we always pray for him.

- That I might find someone whom I love and who loves me, and with whom I could be happy.

- For D... that he accepts having to do 18 months in prison.

- For the cure of my doctor.

- Help me, for I suffer on account of someone very close to me, and I do not know what I should do.

- That I may be able to earn a sum of money, just to repay a loan, as this is the only way I can keep my man – my husband, who is a gift of God.

- Please help me to find my way!

- That I may be able to have a lovely life with him, while still keeping my head on my shoulders.

- That my life after a time of imprisonment, may be happier than before (signed: *a prisoner*).

- That I may be able to work full-time at my job, which is my vocation. Help me to do things in such a way, that V... may learn his trade under the best conditions.

- Ought we to really love this life of suffering, or should we not rather turn our eyes to You and to Heaven, where we hope to be called in the end? Thank you for listening to me!