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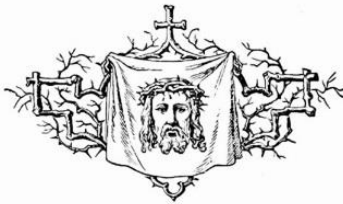
NB: *This list is not an exhaustive list, due to the wealth of books and materials in other languages; and other devotional books related to the Holy Face in English. Thanks to several antiquarian publishers the Rev. Pierre Janvier books are back in print and readily available either **directly from the various publishers** or via Amazon.com. Several of the Rev. Janvier books are available in pdf format online at www.theholysacreddevotion.com are also available in print.*

IMPORTANT UPDATE:

Sizable majorities of these books are now available in paperback, hardback and leather bound editions by **GYAN books** of India. All books are sewn bound, which is a superior binding. The price of the book includes shipping. The price of these books is extremely reasonable and the quality of the binding is old-world quality, not found in the US.

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- To find a Holy Face book, in the search field, type in Holy Face, or Leon Dupont or Sister Saint Pierre.



Life of Sister Mary St. Peter, Carmelites of Tours, [Written by Herself] Arranged and Completed with the Aid of Her Letters and the Annals of Her Monastery, By M. L'Abbe [Pierre Desire] Janvier, Director of the Priests of the Holy Face, with the approbation of the Archbishop of Tours, Translated from the French, **1885**.

- **NB:** *This edition is the same as the 1884 edition being reprinted by GYAN books and Repressed Publishing and other Publishers.*
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Life of Sister Mary St. Peter, Carmelites of Tours, [Written by Herself] Arranged and Completed with the Aid of Her Letters and the Annals of Her Monastery, By M. L'Abbe [Pierre Desire] Janvier, Director of the Priests of the Holy Face, with the approbation of the Archbishop of Tours, Translated from the French, Revised Edition, **1884**.

- **Modern reprint available** from GYAN books and Repressed Publishing LLC, www.repressedpublishing.com Copyright 2014 ISBN: 978-1-5042-4919-5 // **and** from other antiquarian publishers **via Amazon.com**
- <https://www.gyanbooks.com/>

Sister Saint Pierre and the Work of Reparation, A Brief History by The Very Rev. P. Janvier, Director of the Priests of the Holy Face, Translated by Miss Mary Hoffman, [...] Published for the Benefit of the Discalced Carmelites of New Orleans, with an appendix of Prayers and Devotion for the Confraternities of the Holy Face; New York, The Catholic Publication Society, Burns and Oates, London, 1885.

- **Modern reprint available** from GYAN books and Repressed Publishing LLC,
- <https://www.gyanbooks.com/>
- www.repressedpublishing.com Copyright 2014 ISBN: 978-1-4622-3392-2 // **and** from other antiquarian publishers **via Amazon.com**

The Holy Man of Tours; The Life of Leon Papin-Dupont, Who Died at Tours in the Odor of Sanctity, March 18, 1876, Translated from the French of M. L'Abbe Pierre Desire Janvier, Priest of the Holy Face; Baltimore, Published By John Murphy & Co., 1882.

- **Modern reprint available** from GYAN books; Repressed Publishing directly and/or other antiquarian publishers **via Amazon.com**
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Manual of the Archconfraternity of the Holy Face, Followed by the Little Office of the Holy Name of God, by The Rev. Abbe Janvier, Dean of the Metropolitan Chapter of Tours, priest of the Holy Face, with the approbation of Mgr the most Rev. Archbishop of Tours, Translated from the French by Mrs. A.R. Bennett. Tours, The Oratory of the Holy Face, 8 rue Bernard – Palissy, 1887.

- **NB** – Available online in pdf format – www.theholysacreddevotion.com
- **NEWLY available from** <https://www.gyanbooks.com/>
- **NEWLY available from** <https://www.martinians.org/holy-face-manuals>

The Manual of the Holy Face - Paperback – June 17, 2018

- The Manual of the Holy Face contains traditional information on the devotion to the Holy Face of Our Lord, Jesus Christ. The spiritual treasures contained in the 1885 Manual of the Confraternity of the Holy Face and the 1887 Manual of the Archconfraternity of the Holy Face have been rediscovered! A true devotion for our times, this book contains: The Life of Sister Marie de Saint Pierre; Historical notices of the Confraternity and Archconfraternity of the Holy Face; Traditional prayers, meditations, and pious exercises of reparation; The Little Office of the most Holy Name of God Information on the medal of the Holy Face and more! These spiritual graces are needed for our times, and this timeless devotion is a call to pray for the salvation of countries and souls!
- \$16.99 via Amazon

Manual of the Archconfraternity of the Holy Face, The Oratory of the Holy Face, 8 rue Bernard – Palissy, Revised Edition 1977.

- **Available from the Archconfraternity of the Holy Face, Tours, France.**

Le Culte De La Sainte Face A Saint-Pierre Du Vatican (1883) (French Edition) (Hardcover) by Pierre Desire Janvier.

- **Modern reprint available** from Amazon.com; Kessinger Publishing (10 Sept. 2010)

Recommended: Noted sanctuaries of the Holy Face: Or, The Cultus of the Holy Face, as practiced at St. Peter's of the Vatican and other celebrated shrines; by Pierre Désiré Janvier, 1883 (English Edition) –

- **NB** – Available online in pdf format – www.theholymadeface.com
- **Newly available** from <https://www.gyanbooks.com/>

The Message of Sister Mary of St. Peter, Louis Van Den Bossche, Translated from the French by Mary G. Durham, Carmel of Tours, France, 1953

- **Available from the Archconfraternity of the Holy Face, Tours, France.**
- **NB** – Available online in pdf format – www.theholymadeface.com

Veronica's Veil [formerly published as *Golden Arrow: The Revelations of Sr. Mary of St. Peter*], The Life & Revelations of Sr. Mary of St. Peter (1816-1848) on Devotion to the Holy Face of Jesus. At Tours, France, she received this devotion from Our Lord 1) to fight Communism, 2) to make reparation, 3) to be an unfailing tool of prayer. Approved worldwide. Impr. 256 pgs, Translated by Rev. Emeric Scallan, Edited by Doris Sheridan. 1954, 4th printing 1975.

- **Available from Tan Books and Publishers, Inc., under the title of *Golden Arrow: The Revelations of Sr. Mary of St. Peter.*; and Amazon.com; and The Holy Face Association; and EBAY [Ebay has more economical pricing]**

The Holy Man of Tours, the Life of Leo Dupont, Apostle of the Holy Face Devotion (1797-1876) by Doris Sheridan, Edited by Rev. Emeric Scallan, copyright 1952; Tan Books and Publishers, Inc., 1990.

- **Available from Tan Books and Publishers, Inc., and Amazon.com; and The Holy Face Association**
- <https://www.gyanbooks.com/>

The Holy Face in the Documents of the Church, Stefano Pedica OSB, Translated from the Italian by Mary G. Durham, Published with Ecclesiastical Authority, Holy Face Monastery, Clifton, NJ, Originally Published by Marietti Editori Ltd.; Italy 1960; Edited and Bound in the USA by Alba House, New York, 1975, 3rd Edition – **Out of Print**

- **NB** – Available online in pdf format – www.theholymadeface.com

Life of Sister Marie De St. Pierre of the Holy Family, Carmelite of Tours, 1816-1848, A Forerunner of St. Therese of Lisieux, by Sister M. Emmanuel, O.S.B., London, Burns Oates and Washbourne Ltd., Publishers to the Holy See, 1938. **Out of Print.**

Missionary or Messenger of the Holy Face, Sister Maria Pierina de Micheli, by Sister Maria Ildelfonsa Rigamonti, Daughter of the Immaculate Conception, (Soc. A.B.E.T.E. Roma 1958).

- **Available from The Holy Face Association**

Pamphlet of the Life of Mother Maria Pierina, [Missionary of the Holy Face and Sponcer of the Holy Face Medal], by Sister Maria Ildefonsa Rigamonti, Translated from the Italian by M.G. Durham, 1972

- **Available from the Holy Face Association.**

Seeking the Face of Jesus, Abbot H. Gregori, Sister M. Pierina and Dolores I. Gili found Jesus in their obedience to God, even unto death, by Fr. Hilary Conti, O.S.B. Holy Face Monastery, N.J., 1990.

The Holy Face in the Way of the Cross, by Father Page C.S.C., Etchings by Hippolyte Lazerges, 8th Edition, St. Columban's Foreign Mission Society, 1940.

- **Available from Amazon.com**

My Sister Therese of the Holy Face. Céline Martin. (1997) [ISBN 0-89555-598-0](https://www.amazon.com/dp/0895555980)

- **Available from Amazon.com**

"**The Holy Face and the Paradox of Representation**: Papers from a Colloquium at the Bibliotheca Hertziana, Rome and the Villa Spelman, Florence, 1996" by Herbert L. Kessler and Gerhard.

- **NB** – This is NOT a devotional book. It is a scholarly research book in several languages including English on various aspects of the cult of the Holy Face. Each article is similar to the work produced by the *International Institute for Research on the Face of Christ*, founded in Rome by Cardinal Fiorenzo Angelini.
- **Available from Amazon.com**

Veronica's Veil: Poems, Prayers, and Promises of the Holy Face Devotion

by Donna Sue Berry (Author)

- **Recommend**
- **Available from Amazon.com**

Veronica, or the Holy Face of Our Lord Jesus Christ: Historical Notice of This Signal and Most Holy Major Relic of the Basilica of the Vatican (Classic Reprint) Hardcover – April 5, 2018

- **Available from Amazon.com**
- <https://www.gyanbooks.com/>

Manuals of the Confraternities of the Holy Face in the USA:

The Little Manual of the Confraternity of the Holy Face, **1960** edition; Buffalo, New York, Discalced Carmelites, imprimatur of Bishop Burke, August 29, 1960; **Revised Edition 2000**.

The Little Manual of the Confraternity of the Holy Face, revised edition **1973**; Detroit, Michigan, Discalced Carmelites, imprimatur of Bishop Gallagher, December 28, 1936.

Manual of the Devotion of Reparation to the Holy Face [...], **1958** edition; Dallas, Texas, Discalced Carmelites, imprimatur of Bishop Gorman, [1958].

Manual of the Devotion of Reparation to the Holy Face [...], 1947 edition; New Orleans, Discalced Carmelites, imprimatur of Archbishop Rummel, Nov. 18, 1947. - Out of Print

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The Holy Face Association, http://www.holyface.com/orders_books.htm

- NB – The Holy Face association probably has the best all-around source for modern publications on the Holy Face.

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- NB – Type in “Sister Saint Pierre” in the search field; and “Leo Dupont”

Tan Books and Publishers, Inc., <https://www.tanbooks.com/>

Google Books has several 19th century and older books on the Holy Face devotion, mainly in French, several in English.

www.Amazon.com – Holy Face items and books can be found

www.ebay.com – Holy Face books and items can be found; buy with caution.

NEW SITE: <https://holysidedevotion.org/>

<https://theholyside.com/> - IRELAND

<http://www.holysidedevotion.com/articles.htm>

E-Books

PLEASE NOTE: As mentioned in the articles above, none of the books with imprimatur below (or any other books we can find on the Holy Face) make any mention of Sister Pierina or the image of Manoppello.

NEW! [Veronica; or Holy Face of Our Lord Jesus Christ \(1872\)](#)

[NEW! The Devotion to the Holy Face at St. Peter's of the Vatican and in Other Celebrated Places \(Rev. Abbe Janvier, 1888\)](#)

[NEW! Little Office of the Holy Face \(1889\)](#)

[NEW! The Holy Face in the Documents of the Church \(Pedica, 1958 and 1975\)](#)

[NEW! The Message of Sr. Mary of St. Peter \(Louis Van Den Bossche, Secretary of State to Pope Pius XII, 1953\)](#)

[Month of the Holy Face \(1891\)](#) (NOTE: Very large document; best to save locally first by right clicking and choosing "Save Link As" before viewing)

[Manual of the Archconfraternity of the Holy Face \(1887\)](#)

[The Life of Leo Dupont \(1882\)](#)

[The Holy Man of Tours \(1882\)](#)

[Devotions to the Holy Face Booklet \(1890\)](#)

[The Life of Sister Mary of St. Peter \(1884\)](#)

[The Work of Reparation \(1885\)](#)