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**Preparatory Prayer**

My Lord Jesus Christ, Thou hast made this journey to die for me with love unimaginable, and I have so many times unworthily abandoned Thee; but now I love Thee with my whole heart, and because I love Thee, I repent sincerely for ever having offended Thee. Pardon me, my God, and permit me to accompany Thee on this journey. Thou goest to die for love of me; I wish also, my beloved Redeemer, to die for love of Thee. My Jesus, I will live and die always united to Thee. Amen.

Optional Closing Prayer

**Prayer After the Way of the Cross**

Lord Jesus Christ, Redeemer of the world, I want to thank You for helping me to make this Way of the Cross. I am indeed sorry for all my sins, since they have caused You such terrible grief, pain, and suffering. I am resolved not to sin again. Thank You for the lessons You have taught me again in this Way of the Cross. In the generosity of Your most Sacred Heart, and through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, help me, I pray You, to live my life for You by always doing Your will. Amen.

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