THE APPEALS OF OUR LADY APPARITIONS AND MARIAN SHRINES IN THE WORLD

Apparitions of the Virgin Mary at HEEDEE

GERMANY, 1937-1940

From the evening of November 1, 1937, to November 25, 1984, the Virgin Mary appeared to four girls in the small German town of Heedee, near the borders with Luxembourg and Belgium. The four girls were Anna Riedel, Frieda Stegmann, Ina Gling and Ina Haas. Our Lady manifested herself in the form of Our Lady of Fatima, as she had appeared to three shepherd children in Portugal.

Our Lady explained that historically before the start of the Second World War, she, the Virgin Mary, the Suffering of All Souls, in the Night of Her Nativity. The apparitions occurred during the last hours of December, a few days before Christmas, in the month of December. The Virgin Mary's appearance was a prophetic message, a sign of the times.

The girls were called upon to make known to the world the message of Our Lady of Heedee. They were told to prayerfully read and meditate on the message, which included the necessity of penance and purification of souls. The girls were also instructed to pray the Rosary daily, even if they were not able to recite all ten decades.

The Virgin Mary's message emphasized the importance of the Rosary, confession, and the need for the faithful to live a life of virtue and charity. She assured the girls that the Lord would help them in their mission and that they would not be alone in their efforts.

The girls were instructed to pray for the conversion of Russia, the end of wars, and peace in the world. The Virgin Mary also requested that the girls pray for the intention of the Holy Father, Pope Pius XI, and for the conversion of sinners.

The Virgin Mary's message was passed on to the Holy Father, Pope Pius XI, who was deeply moved by the apparitions. He responded with a letter, expressing his gratitude for the message and his desire to support the girls' mission.

The Virgin Mary's message was also passed on to Pope Pius XII, who showed great interest in the apparitions. He encouraged the girls to continue their prayers and to spread the message of the Virgin Mary to the world.

The girls' mission continued until November 25, 1984, when the last apparition took place. During this time, the girls experienced many challenges, including persecution and threats from certain quarters.

The Virgin Mary's message has had a profound impact on the lives of the girls and has inspired many others to pray and work for the conversion of sinners and for the restoration of moral values.

The Virgin Mary's message continues to be a source of inspiration and challenge to the faithful around the world. It serves as a reminder of the importance of prayer, penance, and the need for the faithful to live a life of virtue and charity.