

# Novena to Saint Rita

## PATRONESS OF IMPOSSIBLE CASES

Feast Day May 22

O holy patroness of those in need, St. Rita, whose pleadings before thy Divine Lord are almost irresistible, who for thy lavishness in granting favours hast been called the Advocate of the hopeless & even of the impossible; St. Rita, so humble, so pure, so mortified, so patient & of such compassionate love for thy Crucified Jesus that thou couldst obtain from Him whatsoever thou askest, on account of which all confidently have recourse to thee expecting, if not always relief, at least comfort; be propitious to our petition, showing thy power with God on behalf of thy suppliant; be lavish to us, as thou hast been in so many wonderful cases for the greater glory of God, for the spreading of thine own devotion, & for the consolation of those who trust in thee.

We promise, if our petition is granted, to glorify thee by making known thy favour, to bless & sing thy praises forever. Relying then upon thy merits & power before the Sacred Heart of Jesus, we pray thee grant that...

*(Make your request here..)*

as soon as God deems fit. Amen.

This Novena must be said for nine consecutive days, & then must be published if your petition is granted.

