

## Part Three: Thoughts on the Papacy The Pope of the Third Millennium

By a soul

In two earlier postings, [Part One: The 2013 Conclave](#) and [Part Two: The Spiritual Advisors](#), I raised two important questions concerning Pope Francis. In this posting, I wish to explore more about the hidden priest-son whom Jesus and Mary have spoken about in Locutions To The World, who will be the Pope of Fatima. I have also discerned in a previous blog writing, [“The Two Witnesses”](#), that this hidden priest-son will also be one of the Two Witnesses of Revelation, Chapter 11.

Now, Jesus and Mary have given us a few clues in The Locutions about the identity of the future Pope of Fatima. These clues were given during the messages just prior to the 2013 Conclave. Firstly, on February 12, 2013, Jesus revealed that one of the electing Cardinals is His hidden priest-son. So, the future pope is currently a Prince of the Church—a Cardinal.

**(2/12/13)**

**Jesus:** *"Then suddenly, my messenger (a cardinal) will come to the temple, he whom I have sent. He will bring new light that is from me. He will raise new questions. He will ask, "What about Fatima? What about Our Lady's request for the consecration of Russia? Should not this also be a question? Why do we speak of human issues only, when this question is so urgent?" All will pause. Until then, no one had raised a voice. The important question was off the table but this messenger will raise it clearly."*

Secondly, on February 28, 2013, Jesus and Mary indicated that the future Pope of Fatima is familiar with the writings of Pope Benedict XVI (Cardinal Ratzinger), which he read in his younger days. Reflecting upon the words chosen by Jesus and Mary, I do not believe that this hidden priest-son studied directly under Cardinal Ratzinger.

**(2/28/13)**

**Jesus:** *"The end comes to the pontificate of Pope Benedict... I take him aside into a new and deeper solitude. Yet, he is at hand, ready to guide and help the one whom I will raise up... Someone whom he helped in his younger days by his writings, he will help in his final years by his presence and wisdom."*

**Mary:** *"He will be a guiding light to the new pope who will constantly seek out his wisdom."*

And thirdly, on March 1, 2013, the words of Jesus and Mary about the conclave choices seem to suggest that Their hidden priest-son is European.

**(3/1/13)**

**Jesus:** *"The field is not limited to Italians, or to Europeans. The cardinals are thinking of the world and asking the question, is it time for another part of the world to bring forth a*

*pope? This thinking is important because it will stretch out the timetables. These cardinals will refuse to give up their hopes."*

**Mary:** *"The scales are weighted in Europe's favor, yet the tide to move the papacy out of Europe is strong... Those who favor a non-European pope do not have the power to elect but they exert a great power to stop an election."*

Now, I wish to explore a little bit about this hidden priest-son of Jesus and Mary, the Pope of Fatima, being one of the Two Witnesses of Revelation, Chapter 11. Although I wrote extensively about my discernment of this fact in the aforementioned blog writing, I have come across more supporting evidence in The Locutions.

Firstly, we know from The Locutions that this priest-son will arise to the papacy in an extraordinary way, not chosen by men but by visible signs from Heaven, although how this will take place is still hidden from us on earth.

**(1/17/13)**

**Jesus:** *"He will arise by the most surprising way. Again, so there will be no mistake, this pope will not be chosen by men but by the clearest and most visible signs from heaven."*

**Mary:** *"Even now, he would gladly surrender these gifts to others, but I have not chosen another. He is well aware of that and knows that his ascending to the papacy is inevitable. Yet, he will make no move to promote himself and he will speak to no one about the revelations he has received... It is not for him to open these treasures or to decide the time and the circumstances. All remains in my hands."*

It is interesting, but Our Lady says in a locution on January 26, 2015, that She alone will choose exactly when and how She will raise up Her hidden priest-son. And She also says that how quickly this takes place depends upon the free-will decisions of others during the course of events on earth. Specifically, She mentions the free-will choices of world leaders, particularly, popes, etc. So, free-will decisions by Pope Francis and possibly Pope Benedict XVI will affect the timing and raising up of the Pope of Fatima.

**(1/26/15)**

**Mary:** *"He will be the great sign, so easy to see. I will raise him up in extraordinary ways... He knows that the time is very close for him to come on to the world scene. He will not hesitate because he will be totally prepared, as if he had been there for years... At the moment of great despair, suddenly I will raise him up so all will know that I have not abandoned the world but have prepared for this dark moment. How quickly I bring him on the scene depends upon the course of events. Each person is free. All make their decisions, world leaders and popes, terrorists and economists. Although world events are shaped by many hands, I, alone, will choose exactly when and how I will raise up my priest son."*

Secondly, in several Locutions, Jesus and Mary have indicated that the Pope of Fatima will not simply be just a pope, but will be a prophet. On February 27, 2013, in particular, Jesus calls him a “prophet to the nations” so all the world may come to believe.

**(2/27/13)**

**Jesus:** *"I can no longer just send messengers. I must send a pope who himself is the messenger... All the world will know that this pope is a prophet to the nations."*

**Mary:** *"Know that I am raising up much more than just a pope. I am lifting up a prophet to the nations... I will raise up this pope and prophet for my little ones who believe that I can speak directly to them."*

Finally, in an important Locution on February 8, 2015, Our Lady gave more supporting evidence that the Pope of Fatima will be one of the Two Witnesses of Revelation. Specifically, he will be martyred in Jerusalem with other bishops, priests, religious, and laity. She compares his martyrdom to a “new” Calvary of the greatest darkness before the light of the “resurrection” where he will take upon himself the “sins of the world” and will relieve the “great mystery of the Lamb of God.” I believe these words give more support that the Pope of Fatima will be resurrected after 3 ½ days as one of the Two Witnesses.

**(2/8/15)**

**Mary:** *"The only hope lies in the Church because there I will begin my intervention. I will enter this drama only through one door, the Roman Catholic Church. This will be evident to all. There will be signs from the very beginning, as clear as the sun rising. In the beginning, the world will only know that the Woman has begun to act. What I will do and how I will accomplish this will still be hidden... The vision has its time. The Fatima vision will be the culmination of the drama. The death of the pope, the bishops, priests, religious and laity in Jerusalem will be like a new Calvary, the greatest moment of darkness before the light of the resurrection. After the death of the pope, the forces of evil will be spent. The tides will be reversed and will flow in the opposite direction. I will have gained the victory, the purification of the human race in the most merciful way of all. The pope will take upon himself the sins of the world and relieve the great mystery of the Lamb of God."*

I sincerely pray that this three-part series of writings has been helpful to many people in their discernment.

**God bless!**

## **References (Heavenly Messages):**

### **Locutions To The World**

**January 17, 2013**

**“The Pope of the Third Millennium”**

#### **Jesus**

*He will be the “game changer” because he will walk on the scene when all seems hopeless, when people will be crying out, “Where is God in all this darkness?” The lights will dim and then go out but only so my action will be clearly seen by all.*

*There he will be, the pope of the third millennium. He will carry a new light, a light that he already possesses as a treasure kept in the greatest hiddenness. **He will arise by the most surprising way. Again, so there will be no mistake, this pope will not be chosen by men but by the clearest and most visible signs from heaven.** All will see that the Father has brought this about. Once he assumes the papal throne, my plan will begin to unfold, step by step. Little by little, the powers of darkness will be rolled back. Then, when Satan can no longer accept his defeats he will make the great mistake. Just as he erred in nailing me to the cross, so he will bring about this pope’s death, a true martyrdom, that will shake heaven and earth (as did my death). At that point, the true reign of my mother as the Woman Clothed With the Sun will begin. Hers will not be an immediate victory. However, all of her children will take heart and know that the victory will be theirs as they take up the sword of the Spirit.*

#### **Mary**

*I have held back these revelations until now but they can no longer be hidden. The words must be said and duly recorded. They are my words also and I would like to speak.*

*I have chosen this son from among many. He is the child of my choice and I have guided him since childhood. I gave him devout Catholic parents and a devout home. As a child, he walked with me, not even understanding the special graces I was placing in his heart. His parents taught him a deep love for the rosary and even opened up to him the beginnings of devotion.*

*You can see that he was always mine. Always I led and protected him, and he always cherished a special devotion to me. He was always marked by my seal. However, all that was contained in these seeds of devotion were hidden to him.*

*He always saw himself as one of many, and always tried to consider himself the least of all. Only as these years have gone by, has he realized who he was and what I had called him to be.*

***Even now, he would gladly surrender these gifts to others, but I have not chosen another. He is well aware of that and knows that his ascending to the papacy is inevitable. Yet, he will***

make no move to promote himself and he will speak to no one about the revelations he has received. All is hidden in his heart, like treasures deeply buried. It is not for him to open these treasures or to decide the time and the circumstances. All remains in my hands. He remains in my hands and I will never let him go. When he is revealed to the world, all will see that these words are true. There is nothing more to be said at this time. Later, I will speak again as the time grows closer and those who would doubt will need yet another sign.

**February 12, 2013**  
**The Cardinal Messenger**

**Jesus**

*Men will not oppose my will nor will I allow the Evil One to enter, although his deepest desires are to seat the Pope of his choice. I will quickly narrow the field and allow the cardinals to focus on the smallest possible number, even though many could be considered fit applicants. They will debate these names in a spirit of openness (even though behind the scenes different movements arise). Then suddenly, my messenger (a cardinal) will come to the temple, he whom I have sent. He will bring new light that is from me. He will raise new questions. He will ask, "What about Fatima? What about Our Lady's request for the consecration of Russia? Should not this also be a question? Why do we speak of human issues only, when this question is so urgent?" All will pause. Until then, no one had raised a voice. The important question was off the table but this messenger will raise it clearly.*

**Mary**

The Pope of the Promise

*I hold him in my heart. I have always held him in my heart. Now, I am about to show him to the whole world. I will place him on the chair of Peter. He has always been the child of the promise. When he was set aside, he held onto the promise. When he was overlooked, he held on to the promise. When he entered into the greatest darkness, he held on to the promise. He knows only one thing – the promise that I placed in his heart decades ago, a promise he has never rejected, even when all seemed lost. Now, he waits in the wings, knowing that his name will be chosen. When he comes forth, all will say "Mary, the mother of God, has chosen him".*

**February 27, 2013**  
**"The Messenger Pope"**

**Jesus**

*How much time has been lost. The gifts of God set aside. So many times I have spoken to my servants, the prophets. I have given them heavenly messages for all the world to hear. I entrusted these messages to my Church, my bride. To whom else would I given them? She has come forth from my side. She is the new Eve. I would not give these messages to another. I want*

*my bride to be exalted. Yet, how haltingly she accepts my words. Years go by and she does not see the treasure lying in her very bosom. She delays and delays. She keeps hidden what should be proclaimed on the housetops.*

*No more. The time is too short. The need for my prophetic word is too pressing. ***I can no longer just send messengers. I must send a pope who himself is the messenger. To him I will speak, directly, heart to heart, even face to face. All the world will know that this pope is a prophet to the nations.****

## **Mary**

*For so long I have kept this future pope in my bosom, hidden from the nations, yet called to be their light. I have trained him in my word and he has frequently brought it forth. He is no stranger to prophecy. He understands the gift. He is familiar with my voice.*

***Know that I am raising up much more than just a pope. I am lifting up a prophet to the nations.** All the world will listen because he will not just speak a word of wisdom but a clear prophetic word. He is not shy or bashful. He will not hide the gift. He will not be lifted up to place the lamp under a bushel basket. He knows where my word belongs.*

*Suddenly, a new light will shine forth, a surprise, a new help for my children who are so confused by the darkness of the world. **I will raise up this pope and prophet for my little ones who believe that I can speak directly to them.***

## **February 28, 2013 “Pope Benedict’s Final Day”**

## **Jesus**

*The end comes to the pontificate of Pope Benedict. The Church salutes him for all that he has done. He retires with great dignity, a true blessing for all. I take him aside into a new and deeper solitude. Yet, he is at hand, ready to guide and help the one whom I will raise up. His role is not finished, just changed. Even he cannot see all that I have in store for him as he embraces his successor for the first time. Only then will he realize the great blessing he has been to the world by his resignation. This part is still hidden from his eyes. **Someone whom he helped in his younger days by his writings, he will help in his final years by his presence and wisdom.***

## **Mary**

*The day has come. The final steps will be taken. The Church will have no pope. This is not a time of mourning, as in the past. It is the time of a decision, taken in faith and brought forth by my hand. I will lead Pope Benedict into his place of solitude. I will be present to him as never before. I will fill him with the greatest wisdom. His value will increase and grow. He will come*

to understand the new role that I have for him. He will live in the shadows of retirement but will dwell in the light. **He will be a guiding light to the new pope who will constantly seek out his wisdom.** I relieve him of his other duties so his advice can come forth like a flowing stream.

**March 1, 2013**  
**“A Non-European Pope?”**

**Jesus**

What is hidden will be revealed as the days go on. First, the hidden design and plans of the cardinals. Many nourish a secret hope that they will be the choice. Others nourish the hope that they can push forward their candidate. This is their greatest hope because they see themselves as too unknown to ascend the papacy. All of this will be a pushing back and forth, a sparring of various personalities and ideas. This will wear off and give way to a serious discussion of the candidates – really too many and too diverse. **The field is not limited to Italians, or to Europeans. The cardinals are thinking of the world and asking the question, is it time for another part of the world to bring forth a pope? This thinking is important because it will stretch out the timetables. These cardinals will refuse to give up their hopes.** They see that Benedict tried to win back Europe and was not successful. Why try again?

Why place the Church in the hands of a European? This will be a main issue in the discussions.

**Mary**

Many will question the wisdom of a non-European. Is not the papacy located in Europe? Is not the pope the bishop of Rome? So, there will be a great resistance on the part of many to accept, even the premise that a non-European should be elected. **The scales are weighted in Europe’s favor, yet the tide to move the papacy out of Europe is strong.** This will be an on-going battle, even before candidates are named. Neither side will give up quickly, nor allow the others to push through their candidates. **Those who favor a non-European pope do not have the power to elect but they exert a great power to stop an election.**

**January 26, 2015**  
**“Raising Up Her Priest Son”**

**Mary**

**In my heart, I hold my priest son whom I have mentioned many times. He will be the great sign, so easy to see. I will raise him up in extraordinary ways. This will be an even greater sign. I will clothe him with the sun of Fatima and give great power and wisdom to his words.**

**He will bless the nations with my Fatima gift. He will teach and explain, so the whole world knows exactly what I want to do. The powers of darkness have already come against him, but, as the Mother of God, I kept him safe and delivered him from the trial.**

*Now, I prepare him. He knows that the time is very close for him to come on to the world scene. He will not hesitate because he will be totally prepared, as if he had been there for years. For him, these destructive events are signs which I had revealed to him years ago. All of these events had to take place and the world had to be cast into darkness before I could raise him up. At the moment of great despair, suddenly I will raise him up so all will know that I have not abandoned the world but have prepared for this dark moment.*

*How quickly I bring him on the scene depends upon the course of events. Each person is free. All make their decisions, world leaders and popes, terrorists and economists. Although world events are shaped by many hands, I, alone, will choose exactly when and how I will raise up my priest son. I speak these words so clearly now so that when this happens, the great sign of my love in doing this is full and abundant.*

**Comment:** Our Lady reveals slowly. Now she comes to the full revelation. Many times she has mentioned her special priest son. This locution reveals the mystery fully.

**February 8, 2015**  
**“The Culmination of the Drama”**

**Mary**

*Bombs, explosions, deaths on every side, peace talks, and failed negotiations – a constant cycle which now takes center stage. But what has not been seen in this unfolding drama? What waits in the wings? You can see what is present. The future is hidden from your eyes.*

*I have said that the events would begin in 2015 and that all previous events were just a preparation. The events would then speed up, one after another, each one linked, each one the next act of the drama, until all comes to a conclusion. These are the present moments. The curtain has opened. The drama has begun. Satan has written his script, prepared his actors, placed them in their positions and now actively guides their steps. He knows the story he has written, quite a different script from God’s original plan. He has the stage all to himself, having removed all those who would be able to oppose him. Only the Church remains, the one light that still shines, set aside by world leaders and rejected by so many.*

*This is my message. This drama of death, wars, terror, destruction, the division of countries, the millions who must flee their homes, the intense and useless sufferings, the failed plans, the weak initiatives, and the quick spread of evil will continue and become even more serious. If allowed to go to its conclusion and end according to Satan’s script, nothing would be left.*

*The only hope lies in the Church because there I will begin my intervention. I will enter this drama only through one door, the Roman Catholic Church. This will be evident to all. There will be signs from the very beginning, as clear as the sun rising. In the beginning, the world will only know that the Woman has begun to act. What I will do and how I will*



*accomplish this will still be hidden. By that time, the darkness will be so great, that all will receive and welcome this rising sun. This hope and welcoming is extremely important. Then, I can accomplish all that I intend.*

**The vision has its time. The Fatima vision will be the culmination of the drama. The death of the pope, the bishops, priests, religious and laity in Jerusalem will be like a new Calvary, the greatest moment of darkness before the light of the resurrection. After the death of the pope, the forces of evil will be spent. The tides will be reversed and will flow in the opposite direction. I will have gained the victory, the purification of the human race in the most merciful way of all. The pope will take upon himself the sins of the world and relive the great mystery of the Lamb of God.**

**Comment:** This locution is a very deep revealing of both the events and their meaning in God's plan. Our Lady alludes to the saying in Habakkuk, "The vision still has its time, presses on to fulfillment and will not disappoint. If it delays, wait for it. It will surely come, it will not be late" (2:3).