May hymns at Grotto, Monday through Friday, at 6:30 P.M.

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Seniors, Just A Word.

Two things may be on your mind right now--with graduation only thirty days away. Your principal concern, no doubt, is about a good job, or if you already have a job, you are wondering how successful you will be at it.

A second reflection should be about your soul -- are you strong in virtue, especially in charity, chastity and sobriety, the virtues deplorably absent in many young men today?

All good things come from God -- through prayer. Don't depend on good luck. Make your own breaks, with God on your side.

Maybe you have a few anxieties to iron out, soul-problems, family-problems or some other concern. Your vision will become clearer in prayer. Get on your knees. A half-hour each week of May spent at Adoration will solve most of your problems.

When Ma and Pa Get Sick

When Pa is sick
He's scared to death,
An' ma an' us
Just hold our breath.
He crawls in bed,
An' puffs and grunts,
An' does all kinds
Of crazy stunts.
He wants the doctor,
An' mighty quick;
For when pa's ill,
He gasps and groans
An' sort of sighs;
He talks so queer,
An' rolls his eyes.
Ma jumps and runs,
An' all of us,
An' all the house,
Is in a muss;
An' peace and joy
Is mighty scarce--
When pa is sick
It's something fierce.

When ma is sick
She pegs away;
She's quiet though
Not much to say.
She goes right on
A' doing things,
An' sometimes laughs,
'Er even sings.
She says she don't
Feel extra well,
But then it's just
A kind of spell;
She'll be all right
Tomorrow, sure;
A good old sleep
Will be the cure.
An' pa he sniffs
An' makes no kick,
For women folks
Is always sick.
An' ma, she smiles,
Lets on she's glad --
When ma is sick,
It ain't so bad. (anon)

(Sunday is Mother's Day. Aren't you going to offer a few Mass and Holy Communions for your mother? There are extra Spiritual Bouquet cards in the Dillon Pamphlet Pack.

PRAYERS: (deceased) Father Gilbert Trible, uncle of Bill Greif (Al); Joan Trudeau friend of Claude Zwerber (St. Eds.); friend of Frank Tripodi (Ly). (ill) Mary Poun friend of James Sears (Al); father of Pat Gallagher (Morr), serious; Tom Byrne, '28 (former Alumni Pres); brother of Father Hope, CSC; Mrs. Donald Mohr, friend of Ray Loy (OC); father of Bob (HOW) and Jack (Morr) Murray. Nine Special Intentions