

*Dear Mother Mary, we consecrate to you this child
and we entrust her to you as a newborn daughter
of the Heavenly Father through the gift of baptism.*

*You who carried Jesus in your womb and cared for him as a child,
shower now your maternal love on this newest member of Christ's body.*

*Carefully guard the precious seed of grace that has been given to her
and grant that it may blossom into the fruit of a holy life.
Clothe her with your mantle of love and protect her from all harm and evil.
Prepare her for the vocation which the Lord will reveal to her
and help her to say "yes" to the Father's will in all things.*

*O Mother, may this child benefit at every moment of her life
from your powerful intercession.*

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

