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## PRAYERS TO SAINT ROCH

### Prayer to Saint Roch

Dear mendicant Pilgrim,  
you once took care of sufferers from the plague  
and were always ready to help other by kind service and fervent prayers.  
You yourself had no home and you died in a dungeon.  
No wonder countless invalids have confidently invoked your help.  
Please grant a cure to ... *{name of the sufferer}*,  
and help us all become spiritually healthy.

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### Prayer to St. Roch (Rocco)

Lord God,  
you teach us that the commandments of heaven  
are summarized in love of you and love of our neighbor.  
By following the example of *Saint Rocco*  
in practicing works of charity may we be counted  
among the blessed in your kingdom.  
Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ,  
your Son who lives and reigns with you  
and the Holy Spirit one God, forever and ever. Amen.

[[www.patriotic-jewelry.com/st-roch-medal.htm](http://www.patriotic-jewelry.com/st-roch-medal.htm)]

### Novena to Saint Roque

O Blessed *San Roque*,  
Patron of the sick,  
Have pity on those  
Who lie upon a bed of suffering.  
Your power was so great  
When you were in this world,  
That by the sign of the Cross,  
Many were healed of their diseases.

Now that you are in heaven,  
Your power is not less.  
Offer, then, to God  
Our sighs and tears  
And obtain for us that health we seek  
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*San Roque*, pray for us,  
That we may be preserved  
From all diseases of body and soul. (Three times)

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### **Novena in Honor of Saint Roch**

O glorious *San Roque*,  
because of your fervent love and devotion in following Jesus Christ, the Heavenly Teacher,  
you did fervently strive, to the best of your ability, to seek after countless occasions of trial,  
suffering and dishonor for the love of God.

We ask you, great Saint, teach us how to find the way to drive away the infirmities of our  
bodies, but especially of our souls.

Obtain for us the grace to make frequently a true and sincere confession of our sins in the  
Sacrament of Penance, so that from the Holy Eucharist, the true body and blood of Christ,  
which we receive in Holy Communion, abundant graces maybe given us for the strength  
and maintenance of our souls and thereby we may be always strong enough to conquer the  
vices of sloth and laziness which often try to overcome us.

Deliver us also, holy patron, from our many bodily infirmities.

And on the last day, when all trials and tribulations shall come upon us, you shall be our  
powerful refuge and helper, who will aid us most patiently to bear the pain and agony  
when we shall give back our souls to God.

This and other favors we ask in this novena, we beg suppliantly of you, *San Roque*.

And when we shall have to appear before the judgment Seat of the Most High Judge, you  
shall be our advocate and mediator to obtain for us the consoling sentence which is the  
forgiveness of sins, thus to be worthy to enjoy with God, like you, eternal felicity in Heaven.  
Amen

To God the Father.

O Almighty God and Father of the poor, since You did strengthen *San Roque* by Your  
divine grace to help the sick with his admirable way of curing them, grant us your mercy  
through the merits of *San Roque*, that we may be spared from all sickness and contagion  
through his intercession, and that we may receive the grace to be delivered from the  
greatest evil, which is mortal sin; so that after the trials of this life we may be worthy to be  
admitted into your eternal glory in heaven through Christ our Lord. Amen

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