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善牧

李宏基主教最後一次出現聖德肋撒堂時是六月一日，他遲到了十五分鐘。四百多名等著領受堅振聖事的教友很焦急地喝望他的蒞臨。終於他出現了，汗流背浹，慌忙道歉。他遲到非為交通擠迫，而是當他出門之際，有人自遠方來，求他幫助，因此耽誤了時間，「對不起，主教！如怪你的人實在怪錯了。」

李主教出殯那天，跑馬地天主教墳場擠滿了人。不少認識他的都會這樣想：「我真該死！我一邊要求由本地神父充任主教，一邊却只會袖手旁觀，從不加援手，助李主教之困難。」難怪我們大家都這樣傷心內疚吧！

就在主教逝世那天，辦公室的電話响個不停。一把焦急沙啞的聲音問：「告訴我，為甚麼李主教突然會死去？」對方答道：「我想，天主太愛他了。」問者再說：「不會吧！這麼奇怪?!」不錯，奇怪當然奇怪，但是難道是假的？

天父，照顧祢忠僕李
宏基主教的靈魂，祢既與
他分担宗徒鐸職的困苦，
希望祢也賜他得永遠加入
宗徒行列的光榮。亞孟
本堂各兄弟姊妹敬輓



**OUR
UNFORGETTABLE
FRIEND**

- * Last time when Bishop Lei came to St. Teresa's was June 1. He was 15 minutes late. The church was packed. More than four hundred candidates were waiting to be confirmed. When he finally appeared, he apologized. It was not the traffic that delayed him. Somebody at the last moment had come to him with a request. "Sorry! Bishop Lei, those who blamed you had made a mistake."
- * While attending the Bishop's funeral at the Cemetery, a friend made this comment, "See the way we are. We wanted to have one of the local priests to be our Bishop, but we were so indifferent that we failed to give him a hand. That's why we are so sorry now." Certainly, she was not the only one who regretted.
- * On the day our Bishop died, an anxious voice called at the 'phone, "Tell me, why did our Bishop die?"
The reply was, "I guess, God loves him too much."
"What a strange answer!" the voice commented.
Strange as it is, we feel is true.

If we die with the Lord,
We shall live with the Lord.
If we endure with the Lord,
We shall reign with the Lord.
In him all our sorrow,
In him all our joy.
In him hope of glory,
In him all our love.
In him our redemption,
In him all our grace.
In him our salvation,
In him all our peace.

**May You,
Dear Bishop,
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IN PEACE**

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