

6. Pie pellicáne Jesu Dómine,  
 Me immúndum munda tuo  
 ságuine,  
 Cujus una stilla salvum fácere  
 Totum mundum quit ab omni  
 scélere.

7. Jesu, quem velátum nunc  
 aspício,  
 Oro fiat illud quod tam sítio:  
 Ut te reveláta cernens fácie,  
 Visu sim beátus tuæ glóriæ.  
 Amen.

6. *Like what tender tales tell, of the Pelican  
 Bathe me, Jesus Lord, in what Thy bosom  
 ran  
 Blood that but one drop of, has the pow'r to  
 win  
 All the world forgiveness, of its world of sin.*

7. *Jesu, whom I look at shrouded here below,  
 I beseech Thee send me what I long for so,  
 Some day to gaze on Thee face to face in  
 light  
 And be blest forever with Thy glory's sight.  
 Amen.*

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### 31.

## Soul of my Saviour

*Anima Christi,  
 sanctifica me  
 Corpus Christi, salva me  
 Sanguis Christi, inebria me  
 Aqua lateris Christi,  
 lava me  
 Passio Christi, conforta me  
 O bone Jesu, exaudi me  
 Intra tua vulnera  
 absconde me  
 Et ne permittas me  
 separari a Te  
 Ab hoste maligno  
 defende me  
 In hora mortis meæ  
 voca me  
 Et jube me venire ad Te  
 Ut cum sanctis tuis  
 laudem Te  
 In sæcula sæculorum  
 Amen.*

**S** OUL of my Saviour, sanctify my breast;  
 Body of Christ, be Thou my saving guest;  
 Blood of my Saviour, bathe me in Thy tide,  
 Wash me with water flowing from Thy side.

2. Strength and protection may Thy Passion  
 be;

O blessed Jesus, hear and answer me;  
 Deep in Thy wounds, Lord, hide and  
 shelter me;

So shall I never, never part from Thee.

3. Guard and defend me from the foe  
 malign;

In death's dread moments make me only  
 Thine;

Call me and bid me come to Thee on high,  
 Where I may praise Thee with Thy saints  
 for aye.

Ascribed to Pope John XXII, 1249–1334