

❖ **Kateri's smile upon you, Sr. J. B., R. H. D. J. !**

It has been some time since we had the pleasure of welcoming you at La Flèche. The pleasant memory of your visit is prolonged by reading **Kateri**, which you so kindly send me quite regularly. I like to share with the Sisters of our community the interesting perspectives it opens up to me. I must admit that I always feel joy and pride when I discover Mr. Le Royer's name in its columns. You can well imagine how the last issue gratified me (Summer, 1970). Even more willingly shall I pass on the extra copies you sent me... Let me assure you of my constant prayer for the work that is so dear to your heart...

(La Flèche, France)

❖ **Kateri's smile upon you, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. !**

My husband and I had a very serious accident with three broken ribs each and we were hospitalized thirty days. We are now both in fairly good condition. On the ninth days of a novena we made to **Kateri**, the insurance agents settled our claim without any legal assistance. Thank you, **Kateri**, for straightening out our mental anxieties. This is the second time she has come to our assistance when we invoked her aid fervently. You may print this and it's our hope that it will help toward her canonization...

(Chicago, Ill.)

❖ **Kateri's smile upon you, Mrs. E. R. !**

I am enclosing my check for thirty dollars promised to the Venerable **Kateri Tekakwitha** in thanksgiving for having obtained from Almighty Good the winning of my case before the Rent Commission, as a proprietress. The other important favor of recovering the money that a dishonest notary took from me has not yet been obtained. I am putting this case in **Kateri's** hands, asking her to have the Holy Spirit enlighten my lawyer and me, and requesting her to take care of my health so as to be able to overcome all these difficulties.

(Montreal, P.Q.)

❖ **Kateri's smile upon you, Miss E. T. !**

Enclosed you will find a check for thirteen and a half dollars. Three dollars and a half are for your French book, **L'héroïque Kateri Tekakwitha**, and ten dollars are in thanksgiving to dear **Kateri** for her loving protection. I wish to improve the opportunity by congratulating you on the fine appearance of the **Kateri** periodical. I've especially enjoyed the story of your historical voyage to France... Pray for me...

(Chomedey, Ville Laval, P.Q.)

(When acknowledging favors to **Kateri**, be sure to indicate details.)

❖ **Kateri's smile upon you, Mrs. F. X. S. !**

My husband had pneumonia recently. After X rays fluid was found on one lung, the doctors were quite concerned that a tumor might be the cause. We prayed and prayed to **Kateri**. After many X rays and tests, the doctors have finally said: "There is no tumor." Now he can go to work. I am enclosing a thank you of five dollars. The other two dollars are for enrolling my aunt in the **Kateri Tekakwitha** Guild, as requested by my uncle...

(Locust Valley, N.Y.)

❖ **Kateri's smile upon you, Miss H. B. !**

Here is a ten dollar check to renew Father M's subscription (he has now become a religious and is pastor of a parish at Caen in France, and also, to renew my own subscription. If you have discontinued sending **Kateri** to Fr. M., I would like you to forward him all the issues concerning your trip to Europe. Fr. M. will be interested in learning the names of the early missionaries in the New World and to know where they were born and where they lived...

(Verdun, P.Q.)

❖ **Kateri's smile upon you, Bro. J. P., S.J. !**



I've just received a letter from Czechoslovakia asking me for some more information about the Venerable **Kateri** and her canonization. It came from a Girl Guide Leader from Prague where several scout troops formed a center which they called **Tekakwitha**. This lady had read, some time ago, a book, **Drums of Destiny**, and in this way she became acquainted with **Kateri**. Her daughter accepted the name of **Kateri Tekakwitha** for a name while receiving Confirmation. But they think that **Kateri** has been already beatified

and they even printed a picture of her (enclosed) which reads "Blessed" **Kateri**. The picture was drawn and printed in Prague. They hope that she will be canonized soon. In any case, they are very much interested in **Kateri**, and this may be of some interest to you and to all the friends of **Kateri** to hear that she has some friends in Czechoslovakia...

(Manitoulin Island, Wikwemikong, Ont.)

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