

is too powerful in Montreal even for such an influential newspaper.

To top it off, I have been informed lately that a professor of one of our French language universities is now using *Beautiful Losers* as a textbook to teach the meaning of beauty and lofty ideals to his students!

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Kateri was known as Canada's protectress as far back as the first half of the eighteenth century. Today we need her help more than it was ever needed before. From as early as 1681, the year following her death, she cured many sick children: René Fortin, aged three, Francis Joseph Le Noir Rolland, aged three, James Paré, aged seven, Louis Nepveu, aged three months, Francis Dubois, aged thirteen months, Charles Cardinal, aged one year, Marie Matour aged five, John Matour aged five and several others. She was never asked to prevent abortions. In those days the Indians as well as the French would have shaken their heads in disbelief at such an idea. Times have changed and we must ask the Lily of the Mohawks to wake up the public — that means you — in order to save the lives of countless children, perhaps the very ones humanity needs to save it. St. Catherine of Siena was the twenty-second child her mother bore — had her parents stifled her in the womb, the history of Christendom would have been undoubtedly for worse.

Last year 1,804 children were accidentally killed in Canada. These deaths were tragic enough, but what was even more heart-rending was the

murder of 11, 200 unborn Canadian children. How hard and selfish can people become? Nero and Caracalla would undoubtedly approve.

But such is not your mentality. So make your influence felt by writing letters to your newspapers, to your deputies, representatives and senators. State clearly your stand:

Strict abortion laws should not be repealed in provinces or states where they now exist;

Less restrictive laws should be tightened;

Laws condoning legal murder of the unborn must be repealed despite the shrill squeaks and loud squawks of the Women's Liberation Movement.

Don't think your letter will go by unheeded. Politicians are well aware that one letter represents the opinions of sixty or seventy other people who never get around to writing to them but who do vote.

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#### The Sisters of Charity of Quebec (Concluded from p. 6)

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