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St. Michael's Convent
Hyde Park
Reading, Pa. 19605

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"Blessed is the servant whom the Master, when He comes, shall find watching."

Dear Sisters,

Early Sunday morning the Bridegroom came and called our dear Sister M. Caspara to her heavenly home. She was found watching.

Sister M. Caspara - Sybilla Meyer
Born December 31, 1897 in Cologne-Muhlheim
Entered our Congregation February 12, 1923
Made First Profession May 7, 1925
Came to the U.S.A. August 1, 1923
Died in Ottawa, Illinois October 20, 1968

Sister had been suffering from cancer for many years. When it was discovered, the treatment proved effective and Sister was able to carry on her work as Laboratory Technician in our various hospitals. Some months ago, serious trouble again set in. Sister was hospitalized and the treatment brought some relief. Confident that this time, too, complete recovery would follow, Sister resumed her duties in the laboratory at Wedron. But her strength was visibly failing. Though rushed to the hospital, nothing could be done. The end came quickly. Sister was well prepared and ready to meet her God.

Sister M. Caspara was a happy child of God, a lover of nature, and a lover of people. With her natural talent of amusing people, she brought much joy and happiness to the fellow Sisters with whom she lived. She was a very prayerful soul. Her apostolate embraced the whole world. She prayed especially for the interests of Holy Mother Church, for priests and for missionaries. She was a faithful soul, and ever ready to perform a favor or extend a helping hand.

Sister's last moment was especially beautiful. Did she see Our Lord calling her?

Now she is at rest with God. Let us, however, not forget our dear departed Sister in our prayers.

The Requiem Mass will be celebrated Thursday morning at 9:00 A.M.

Sincerely in Christ,

Mother M. Bridget, M.S.C.