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Dearest Sisters,

We received the news that yesterday, at 1:40 p.m., in the St. Camillus Hospital in Buenos Aires, our good Father called to himself our sister in order to give her the fullness of life and resurrection on the last day,

CORBALAN TERESA NELLY Sr MYRIAM TERESITA
Born in Rio Seco (Tucuman) on October 19, 1932

At the time she entered, Myriam Teresita was considered an adult vocation. In fact, she entered the Congregation in Buenos Aires on October 15, 1956, when she was twenty-four years old. She had been a school teacher. On the day she ran away from home to enter the convent, she barely missed meeting her father who was just coming back to the house. A priest who lived nearby was the one to encourage her to follow her vocation resolutely, given the opposition of her parents.

Myriam Teresita lived her first years of formation and novitiate in Buenos Aires, and on June 29, 1959, she made her first profession in the community of Nazca. After completing her studies, she was transferred to the community of Rosario where she had the possibility of working in the book center, and exercising the service of local superior, beginning in 1966, even though she was very young. In 1975, after some time spent in the diffusion apostolate in Buenos Aires, she was named local superior in Resistencia, then provincial councilor; meanwhile she was living in the community of Buenos Aires-Sarmiento.

Later she again became local superior in Santa Fe, Montevideo (Uruguay), Tucuman, and diligently worked in the book center in the communities of Mendoza, Tucuman and Santa Fe. For a time, she even held administrative roles in the provincial bursar's office and served as local bursar.

Sr. Myriam was a well-educated person of noble attitude; she was affable and positive; a person who smiled easily, who was always open and welcoming in the book center and in fulfilling the various services that she was asked to do. She was quick to establish sympathy with the sisters and the people she met. She loved connecting with others and maintaining good relationships. A serviceable sister, she was also considerate and very loving in community.

It cost her to transfer to Nazca, in 2009, when the first signs of Alzheimer's disease began to manifest themselves, but she quickly overcame this difficult moment. She welcomed the limitations of her illness, always showing gratitude and love to her community as expressed by a serene countenance, and in moments of lucidity, by her usual attitude of service. Faithful to her commitment of studiosità for as long as she was able, Sr. Myriam read and formed herself in order to be able to understand the signs of the times and make progress in the mission. She liked feasts and enjoyed animating the times of recreation even by telling jokes.

In this last period of her life, the awareness of her inner peace was evident. A few days ago, she was taken to the St. Camillus clinic in Buenos Aires to deal with bedsores. Her health was declining progressively and rapidly. Lovingly assisted by the sisters, who took turns remaining near her bed, the generous and loving heart of this dear sister stopped on the very day when Argentina was celebrating the feast of its patron, Our Lady of Lujan.

Throughout her life, Sr. Myriam was nourished with the flesh of our Savior, and drank the chalice of salvation. We are certain that now the promise has been fulfilled, and the doors of eternal life have been opened up for her.

With affection,

Sr Anna Maria Parenzan
 Superior General

Rome, May 9, 2014.