

O Jesus,
my love,
at last I have found my calling:
my call is love.
Certainly I have found my place
in the Church,
and you gave me that very place,
my God.
In the heart of the Church,
my mother,
I will be love,
and thus I will be all things,
as my desire finds its direction.

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