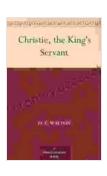
Christie The King S Servant Mrs O F Walton

In the annals of Christie the King Parish, nestled amidst the bustling streets of Brooklyn, New York, the name Mrs. Walton reverberates as a beacon of unwavering devotion and service. For over six decades, she graced the halls of the church as its esteemed servant, etching her indelible mark on the hearts of countless parishioners and leaving behind a legacy that continues to inspire generations.

Early Life and Calling

Born in 1900 to humble beginnings in the countryside of South Carolina, Mrs. Walton's path toward serving the Lord would not unfold until her later years. In her youth, she toiled diligently on her family's farm, developing a robust work ethic and a deep appreciation for the simple things in life.



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As fate would have it, Mrs. Walton's life took an unexpected turn when she relocated to Brooklyn in search of new opportunities. It was there that she encountered Father Francis J. Moore, the dynamic founder of Christie the King Parish, who recognized her pious nature and unwavering faith. Recognizing her potential, Father Moore extended an invitation to Mrs. Walton to join the parish staff as a housekeeper.

A Life of Service

Embracing her newfound calling with zeal, Mrs. Walton dedicated herself to the care and upkeep of the parish, becoming an indispensable figure within the church community. She arrived each morning before sunrise to tend to the altar, dust the pews, and prepare the rectory for the day ahead. Her meticulous attention to detail and unwavering commitment to excellence ensured that every inch of the church shone with pristine splendor.

Beyond her daily duties, Mrs. Walton extended her care to each parishioner who crossed her path. With gentle kindness and a warm smile, she welcomed visitors, comforted the bereaved, and assisted those in need. The rectory became a haven where the weary found solace and the lonely found companionship.

A True Matriarch

As the years passed, Mrs. Walton's presence at Christie the King Parish grew into a beloved institution. She became a mother figure to countless priests and parishioners alike, offering guidance, support, and a shoulder to cry on. Her wise counsel and unwavering faith became a source of strength and inspiration to all who knew her.

Within the rectory, Mrs. Walton presided over a bustling household, overseeing the daily needs of the priests and managing the parish finances with impeccable precision. Her cooking skills were legendary, and her famous apple pies became a coveted treat during parish gatherings.

A Legacy of Faith and Devotion

After an extraordinary 65 years of service, Mrs. Walton retired from her position as housekeeper in 1995, leaving behind a void that would be impossible to fill. However, her legacy of faith and devotion continued to inspire the parish community. She remained a fixture at Christie the King, attending Mass regularly and offering her support to those who needed it most.

Final Days

In her final years, Mrs. Walton's health declined, but her spirit remained as vibrant as ever. She spent her days surrounded by the love of her parish family, sharing stories, reminiscing, and offering words of wisdom.

On August 22, 2005, at the ripe age of 105, Mrs. Walton passed away peacefully in her home at the rectory. Her death marked a profound loss for the Christie the King community, but her memory would live on forever.

A Living Monument

Today, Mrs. Walton's legacy continues to inspire and motivate the faithful at Christie the King Parish. A scholarship fund was established in her honor, providing financial assistance to students pursuing their dreams of higher

education. Additionally, a monthly Mass is celebrated in her memory, honoring her extraordinary life and unwavering devotion.

In the heart of Christie the King Parish, there stands a beautiful stainedglass window depicting the Holy Family. In the foreground, amidst the humble surroundings of a carpenter's workshop, a young girl stands beside the Virgin Mary, her eyes filled with love and reverence. It is said that the image of this young girl was inspired by Mrs. Walton, a humble servant who dedicated her entire life to serving God and her community.

Christie the King Parish is eternally grateful for the extraordinary life and service of Mrs. Walton. Her unwavering devotion, her gentle kindness, and her profound wisdom left an imprint on countless lives. Through her legacy of faith and generosity, she continues to inspire and guide the parish community, ensuring that her spirit will forever reside within the hallowed halls of Christie the King.



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