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MY MIRACLE

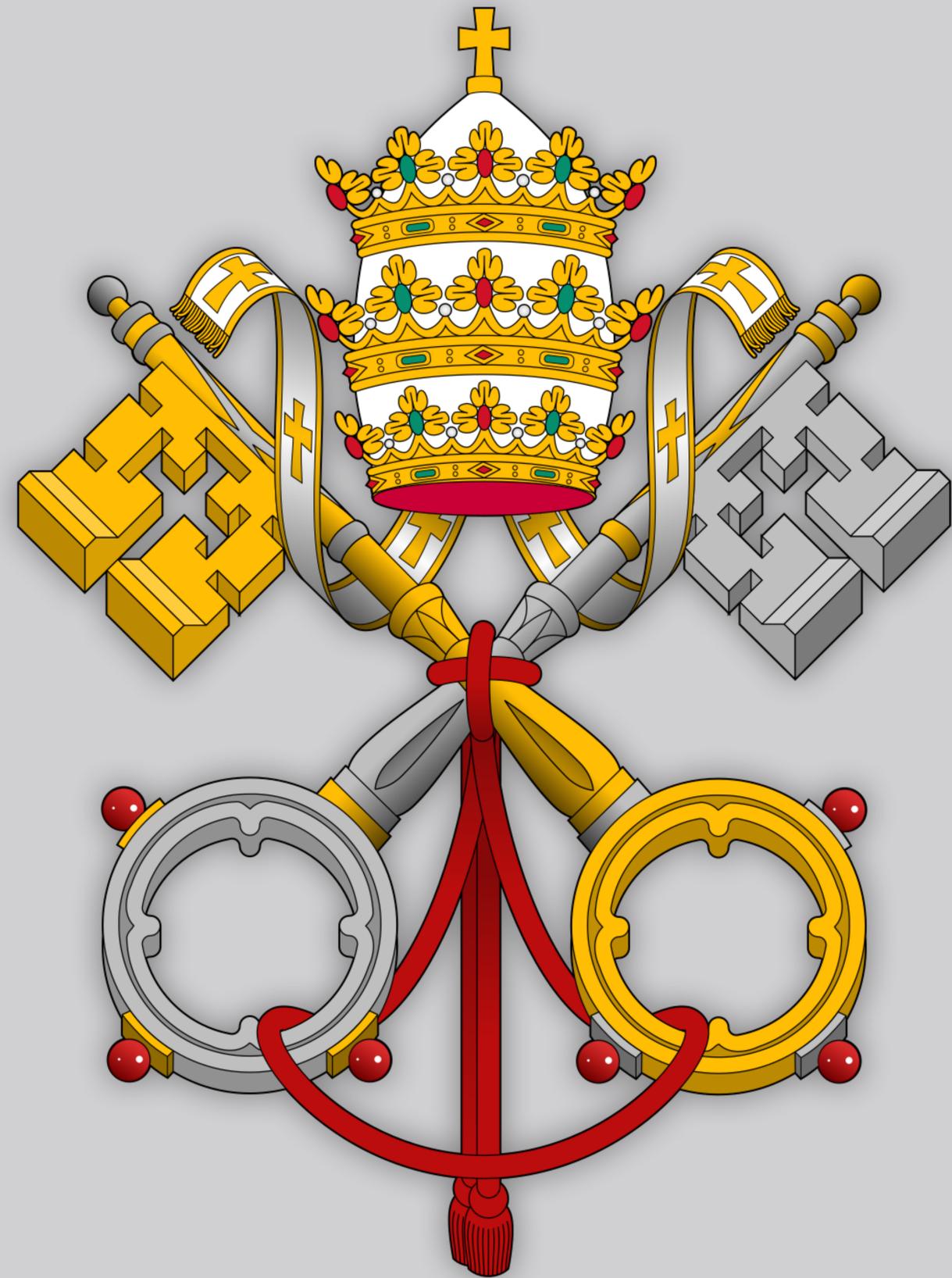






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A stylized red flame icon with three distinct lobes, positioned below the letter 'M'.



**BOTH MEN HAD
A NEED.**

**BOTH MEN HAD
A PLAN.**





MARK 10:46

As Jesus and his disciples, together with a large crowd, were leaving the city, a blind man, Bartimaeus, ... was sitting by the roadside begging.

BARTIMAEUS WAS
DOING **EVERYTHING**
HE COULD; THE
INVALID WAS DOING
NOTHING.

MARK 10:47

When Bartimeaus heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout, “Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!”

MARK 10:48

Many rebuked him and told him to be quiet, but he shouted all the more, “Son of David, have mercy on me!”

JOHN 5:6

When Jesus saw him lying there and learned that he had been in this condition for a long time, He asked him, “Do you want to get well?”

JOHN 5:7

“Sir,” the invalid replied, “I have no one to help me into the pool when the water is stirred. While I am trying to get in, someone else goes down ahead of me.”

BARTIMAEUS WAS
JESUS FOCUSED;
THE INVALID WAS
EXCUSE FOCUSED.

MARK 10:49-50

Jesus stopped and said, “Call him.”

So they called to the blind man,

**“Cheer up! On your feet! He’s
calling you.” Throwing his cloak
aside, he jumped to his feet and
came to Jesus.**

MARK 10:51

“What do you want me to do for you?” Jesus asked him. The blind man said, “Rabbi, I want to see.”

JOHN 5:7

“Sir,” the invalid replied, “I have no one to help me into the pool when the water is stirred. While I am trying to get in, someone else goes down ahead of me.”

BARTIMAEUS
WAS **HOPEFUL**;
THE INVALID
WAS **HOPELESS**.

MARK 10:50

**Throwing his cloak aside, he jumped
to his feet and came to Jesus.**

**BARTIMAEUS
CAME TO JESUS;
JESUS CAME TO
THE INVALID.**

BOTH HAD AN
ENCOUNTER
WITH JESUS.

MARK 10:47

**“Jesus, Son of David, have mercy
on me!”**

**BARTIMAEUS WAS A
BELIEVER; THE
INVALID DIDN'T
EVEN ASK WHO
JESUS WAS.**

MARK 10:51

“What do you want me to do for you?” Jesus asked him. The blind man said, “Rabbi, I want to see.”

BARTIMAEUS KNEW
WHAT HE WANTED -
HEALING; THE INVALID
DIDN'T EVEN KNOW
WHAT HE NEEDED.

JOHN 5:6-7

**“Do you want to get well?” “Sir,”
the invalid replied, “I have no one to
help me into the pool when the
water is stirred. While I am trying to
get in, someone else goes down
ahead of me.”**

**BOTH RECEIVED
A MIRACLE.**

MARK 10:52

**“Go,” said Jesus, “your faith has
healed you.”**

JOHN 5:8-9

...Jesus said to him, “Get up! Pick up your mat and walk.” At once the man was cured; he picked up his mat and walked.

**BARTIMAEUS WAS
HEALED BECAUSE OF
HIS FAITH IN JESUS;
THE INVALID HAD FAITH
IN JESUS BECAUSE HE
WAS HEALED.**

HEBREWS 11:6

...without faith it is impossible to
please God...

JOHN 5:9-10

The day on which this took place was a Sabbath, and so the Jews said to the man who had been healed, “It is the Sabbath; the law forbids you to carry your mat.”

JOHN 5:11-12

But he replied, “The man who made me well said to me, ‘Pick up your mat and walk.’” So they asked him, “Who is this fellow who told you to pick it up and walk?”

JOHN 5:13

The man who was healed had no idea who it was, for Jesus had slipped away into the crowd that was there.

MARK 10:14

Later Jesus found him at the temple and said to him, “See, you are well again. Stop sinning or something worse may happen to you.”

MARK 10:15

The man went away and told the Jews that it was Jesus who had made him well.

**BOTH MEN HAD
A SAVIOR.**

RUN TO JESUS.

MERCY IS GOD'S
RESPONSE TO
MISERY. MERCY IS
AVAILABLE FOR ME.

