

PROBLEMS OF THE PRESENT TIME

Special edition: the Ninth Valtortiano Convention



A smiling Claudia Koll just before she read the Gospel's chapters



Introduction to the Works at the Convention 2017:

*Holy rosary dedicated to Holy Mary
Welcome Greetings and Presentation
of the ninth Valtorta Conference*

PRAYER

Asking God the Public Legitimacy of Maria Valtorta's virtues:

O God, endless and eternal Mercy, who in Maria Valtorta, your humble creature, you have manifested the wonders of your love.

Exalt this daughter of Yours who accepted to join your Son's Passion till her complete consumption in a bed of pain.

O Lord of inexhaustible goodness, may the example of your hand-maid's life, her heroic testimony, her perseverance, even offering her whole life to convert the hearts of sinners to light up the love of the tepid, surge charity in everyone.

O Lord, who united to Christ, the Man-God, that crucified bride, Maria Valtorta, may the holy Church recognize her virtues and her mission, and offer it to all the faithful as a model to imitate, and to seek intercession through her within You.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen

On Saturday 21 October, 2017 the Ninth Valtortiano Convention took place at the Hotel Residence Esplanade in Viareggio piazza Puccini (Italy).

The Convention began with the Holy Rosary, then all the prestigious speakers followed one after another all afternoon.

The Convention ended with the dramatic reading of three chapters from Maria Valtorta Main Work by Mrs. Claudia Koll, which was appreciated by the whole audience.

The excellent atmosphere reflected the growing interest of the guests towards Maria Valtorta and her Work all over Italy and elsewhere.

We also hope that studies and researches will soon be examined by the Ecclesiastic Authorities.

Let us talk about the ninth Valtorta Convention organized by our Maria Valtorta Foundation that took place in Viareggio (Italy) on Saturday 21 October, 2017 from 9 am. to 7,15 pm.

Our Conventions are a particularly happy time, which reflect what we do for Maria Valtorta. Despite the considerable amount of hard work involved, the results are always encouraging. I would sincerely like to thank this year's Italian and French speakers. First of all, they attended the Conference with total commitment in their hearts, and this, together with their knowledge of science, made a deep impact. It is delightful and heartwarming to witness well-educated people and University professors who give their time free and show their love towards Maria Valtorta so she can be made known. Therefore, thank you for your efforts. I am positive that Maria Valtorta will intercede for you to our Lord and hers.

However, being able to arrange yearly conferences is a time filled with special graces. The month of October which coincides with Maria Valtorta's entry into Paradise is the time our conferences take place. The 12th also happens to be the day that she passed away. This number on its own has an intrinsic symbolic meaning. As a matter of fact, 12 is the number of the tribes of Israel and the number of the chosen (the twelve Apostles). The New Jerusalem which comes down from the sky also has 12 doors, and the elected number is symbolically a multiple of 12 (12x12x1000=144.000).

Therefore, her entry into Paradise on the 12th is also symbolic. This is obviously my very own personal opinion and no one is obliged to agree with it, but on the other hand, the Christian faith is full of symbols.

It is certainly true that every year there should be a reunion of those who want to promote Valtorta's Writings, but it is equally true that there are a number of difficulties that prevent it. Therefore, we do what is possible, knowing that we are determined to overcome all obstacles. Step-by-step, we will achieve the just reward for Maria Valtorta: that the holy Church recognizes and accepts her virtues and her writings as private revelations.

Those who, like me, have witnessed a slow growth of interest in learning and appreciating Maria Valtorta can only be pleased with a very practical fact. Nine years ago, Doctor Emilio Pisani and I were the only two people willing to talk about her; whereas all the guest speakers and Professors kept on working on their topics, literally avoiding the main subject of Maria Valtorta. I still thank them for accepting the invitation and for all their efforts, but it was not what I personally wanted from them. I wanted them all to talk about Our Author but, at that time, nothing more could be done. A couple of unpleasant incidents also occurred that caused misunderstandings and general discontent, but in the end, the seed had been sown.

Certain things have changed a lot since then. Nowadays what we call "the errors of youth" are not allowed to happen any longer. In any case, the seed that had been sown has germinated. Unfortunately, this year we only had a one-day Conference instead of two. Last year, we had to give up various valid and important contributions for lack of time, but we are confident that we will be able to catch up as time goes on. We are concentrating our efforts on Maria Valtorta and her writings. Two speeches focused on Maria Valtorta's character:



Dr. Alberto Pucci

Dr. Alberto Pucci is a graphologist who explained the profound aspects of Maria Valtorta's personality; in other words, her temperament and her genetic tendencies. Her past history revealed her character, what was deep inside her soul, and her virtues, which were already there and not influenced by her upbringing. Dr. Pucci could confirm her "perfectly normal status" just like any average person. Even in her deepest fibers, Maria was as normal as anyone else. There was nothing twisted nor different about her.



Dr. Francesco Marciante

Dr. Francesco Marciante is a Sicilian freelance physiologist, who reported Maria Valtorta's real psychological status as it is clearly shown in her Autobiography as well as in her published letters. The conference used several slides along with psychological scientific explanations, which only further confirmed what Maria Valtorta's readers knew since the very beginning. She is absolutely normal and far from the falsehoods that books, leaflets, articles and various rumors which have attempted to be spread. The now famous quote of Prof. Geminiani, director of the psychiatric hospital of Maggiano (Lu), who met Maria Valtorta personally states: "Whoever says Maria Valtorta is insane, needs to have a finger pointed at themselves". Once again her sanity was demonstrated. Dr. Marciante cleared Maria Valtorta of any hysteria or psychological affliction, declaring her healthy and an extremely normal person.

The Gospel as Revealed to Me had been discussed on technical level:



Dr. Liberato De Caro

Dr. Liberato De Caro, a researcher and permanent Deacon from Bari, found the very detailed description of the skies helpful, proving once again Valtorta's extraordinary gift. The skies of Valtorta are a miracle. If we accept it, our life changes (Matrix), red pill; if we turn away, blue pill and everything will remain just the same, including life's boredom and we can believe whatever we want to. Dr. De Caro continued his scientific work as a "red pill", and once again, he presented this Valtorta peculiarity in a brilliant way, which, owing to its miraculous nature, can only seriously question any scholar.



Dr. Francesco Marcianti's speech at the 2017 Convention:

*Who is this Maria Valtorta?
Physiological analysis of her Writings*



Professor Fernando La Greca graduated from Salerno University. He verified some linguistic and factual information, illustrating how, in the writings of Maria Valtorta, all evidence is correct, even down to the smallest one. There are never any errors. Professor La Greca has demonstrated how Maria Valtorta's facts are always good enough for whoever tries to refute them; for instance horse's stirrups and forgings. Without going into too much detail, and once we eliminate various technical difficulties, anyone can pick them up by watching our videos, available on our website. Professor La Greca with the help of his knowledge of ancient and contemporary authors, showed us a slide presentation, specifically pointing out this other Valtorta aspect.



Dr. Liberato De Caro's speech at the 2017 Convention:

*I Cieli raccontano 3rd volume.
Historical investigation about Jesus
in Maria Valtorta's Work through Astronomy*



Broadcast Telecommunication, Engineer **Professor Emilio Matricciani** from Milano who teaches at the Polytechnic Institute in the same town, illustrated how even the statistical quantity of rainfall in Jesus' time coincides perfectly with what Our Author described. Professor Matricciani is trained in satellite broadcasting therefore, he is well aware of periods and quantities of rainfall and clear skies. His scientific testimony is even more decisive in confirming the miracle Valtorta has given us.



In the **October 2017** issue of the monthly magazine **UNDER MARY'S PRESENCE** you can find the section **MYSTICS & MYSTICAL** edited by **FONDAZIONE MARIA VALTORTA**



Professor François-Michel Debroise was a welcome presence at the Conference. This French author who already wrote five books about Maria Valtorta's Works, accepted our invitation to come to Paris on May 20 during the second National French Convention. He confirmed the special value Valtorta's Works have on various issues, and he gave our Convention a foreign touch that is never out of place.

Maria Valtorta is not only for Italy and Italian people - she is for the whole world, and everyone has to have the chance to get to know and appreciate her, to enjoy and learn more about her. Obviously, the Conference has many other issues and topics that we wish could be a starting point for more books from Debroise.

I would like to underline only one very significant passage:

«Maria Valtorta was much more than a genius - she was a great soul that greeted this gift from Heaven, not for her talent but for the strength of her love ».

My speech was rather simple. I wanted to pinpoint Maria Valtorta's daily routine: the miraculous aspects of her life as well as how much she wrote. Digging into Maria Valtorta living conditions has been my aim during the whole Conference, considering that in her childhood, she was surrounded by people who didn't exactly love her.



A welcome guest closed the Conference; **Mrs. Claudia Koll** did a dramatic reading of three chapters of the Gospel:
Ch. 44 - Farewell to His Mother;
Ch. 575, 10-19 - An extreme attempt to redeem Judas Iscariot;
Ch. 618 - The Risen Jesus appears to His Mother.
It was a delightful reading, very compelling, truly dramatic and a heartwarming stunning interpretation. Mrs. Koll gave every one of us something special to take home and a precious memory of an intensive day.



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A good number of dedicated and interested guests participated at the Convention.



Dr. Marciante who was the first speaker, outlined the psychological profile of Maria Valtorta.



A word of thanks to Ubaldo Umicini's pictures - he is LA NAZIONE daily's newspaper's photographer.



Mr. Bruno Perrinet is the President of the Maria Valtorta Association and a very dear friend of mine. On the first page of "hors serie 300bis" of the Bulletin of the "Associazione des amis de Maria Valtorta", an insert of the French monthly magazine "Crétien Magazine", he wonders: "Why should we support the spreading of Maria Valtorta Writings?". The answer is given in the Dictation of August 16, 1949 (1945-1950 Notebooks). On page 3 of the same Bulletin, he split his answer into three points: (somehow I wish I could imitate him in his exhortation):

- Whoever reads these Notebooks could help us to make her well-known and spread her Main Work;
- Our radio program broadcasted through Radio Maria (May God always bless it), on the first Friday of each month (12.30 p.m);
- "Under Mary's Presence" the monthly Magazine sold at newspaper stands has an insert dedicated to Maria Valtorta, edited by our Foundation;
- Our website: fondazionemariavaltorta.it;
- This Newsletter;
- By taking an active part in Maria Valtorta Cenacles (group prayers), which are spreading all over Italy and not only in this Country. (Lord Jesus, please let them abundantly grow in Numbers and presence);
- We are planning to have online streaming available soon: Maria Vision. The internet streaming is a direct program connected in Italian language throughout Italy (<http://www.mvloreto.tv>). It also broadcasts on digital cable in Lombardia (687), Lazio (670), Marche (602), Umbria (602) and Sicilia (Trapani 662). I am reminding you the Maria Vision's central office is in Mexico and broadcasts via internet all over the world in many languages.
- Furthermore, National and Local Conventions.
- Please support us with your presence and with your donations, yes even with them, being aware of helping Maria Valtorta to become adequately known in Italy and all over the world.

Our history and our battle continues. Our strength is not sustained by our effort alone but by the certitude of fulfilling a valid action for a New Evangelization as Heaven wants through Maria Valtorta.

Father Ernesto Zucchini



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Image: The Creation of Adam by Michelangelo Buonarroti, Sistine Chapel Vatican City

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