

Republic, Sudan and Djibouti. The grimness of the conditions may be gauged from the fact that the children they treated for the diseases occasioned by extreme malnutrition died within 20 hours of their admission into the mobile health clinics operated by these volunteers. "God bless them," I am proud to say that, at last count, 73 of these volunteers, many of whom gave up their livelihoods to volunteer, come (in the prime of life) from

coast to coast in Canada (New Brunswick, Quebec, Manitoba, B.C. and the Yukon). Again, these volunteers of brotherly love were among the first to arrive to actively help the victims in areas stricken by natural disasters such as the tsunami in S.E. Asia (Aceh, Indonesia, Sri Lanka and S.E. India) and the earthquake-levelled regions of Kashmiri India and Kashmiri Pakistan. May God bless their good work and brotherly love!

Songs of Praise

"STAR OF THE SEA"

Oh purest of creatures
Sweet Mother sweet Maid
The one spotless womb wherein
Jesus was laid
Dark night has come down on us,
Mother and we
Look out for Thy shining
Sweet Star of the Sea
Ave Ave Ave Maria, Ave Ave Ave Maria.

"THRONE GRACE"

O come to the Throne of Grace
O come to the Heart Most Pure
To Mary our hope of life
In whom salvation is sure
Our Lady of Fatima hail
Immaculate Mother of Grace
Oh pray for us, help us today,
Thou hope of the human race.



心田

林翠

我常常安步當車走去教堂。在必經之路上，有一家的庭園非常吸引我，每每使我駐足觀賞，甚至帶著虔敬的心情行注目禮，絕對捨不得踏上一腳，寧可繞道而行。

他們的草地細細密密，平平整整，像一幅翠綠的波斯地毯；他們的樹木，修剪得體，有的是一排整齊方正的屏風，有的是圓身的守門神，有的是螺旋形，有的婀娜多姿，各領風騷；正中有一座小天使，冬日裡塑料緊捆，呵護倍加，夏日裡涼水沐洗，光潔如新。

心儀已久的主人翁，終於一次參加第一台彌撒的清晨得見盧山真面目：年過不惑，個子短小，皮膚粗黑，身穿全白連衣連褲工作服，腳踏黑色網紅邊的水靴，手持水管逐一在淋水，非常專注，似乎邊做邊與他的寶貝們交談，有時還面帶笑容。

他的辛勤付出，使他的庭園一片欣榮景象；我們的心田呢？難道不正需要我們鬆鬆土，施施肥，澆澆水，讓她成為一個百花園，迎來我主人住！