## Prayer for the people of Ukraine

We fly to Your patronage. O Virgin Mother of God. Despise not our prayers in our needs. but deliver us from all dangers. since you alone are pure and blessed. O most glorious Ever-Virgin Mary. the Mother of Christ our God. accept our prayers and present them to Your Son and our God. that for the sake of You. He enlighten and save our souls.

-from Ukrainian prayer to the Blessed Virgin Mother. c.11th century

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