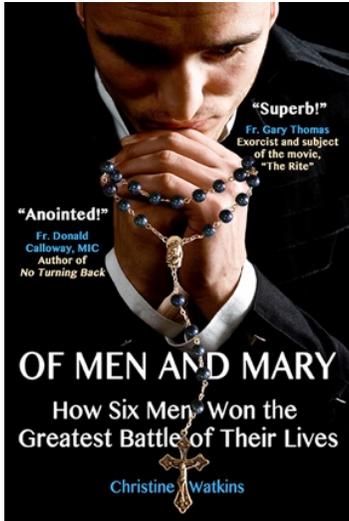


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## ***OF MEN AND MARY: How Six Men Won the Greatest Battle of Their Lives***

Best-selling Catholic author and speaker, **CHRISTINE WATKINS**, offers a grand slam of conversion stories—this time, involving **MEN**.

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“This book is anointed!” says Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC. Fr. Gary Thomas, exorcist and subject of the movie, “The Rite,” comments, “*Of Men and Mary* is superb. The six life testimonies are miraculous, heroic, and truly inspiring.”

Just when the Catholic Church is losing the world’s favor and being forced to swallow the poison within its own walls, Watkins provides dramatic, life-giving proof that God’s grace and Mary’s intercession are powerfully at work today in and through the Church. This riveting book recounts the radical conversions of real men, including:

- ◆ a convicted murderer
- ◆ a football player tackled by the Blessed Mother
- ◆ a lamb who lost everything
- ◆ a man whose marriage was as good as dead
- ◆ a man ensnared in illicit sexual relationships
- ◆ a man who literally died and came back to life

Three of these men became priests; one became a deacon. *Of Men and Mary* reveals how we can think our goals and plans are God’s desire for us—when the truth is the complete opposite. The book gives great hope to men trapped by the world’s sin, and to the women who want to convert them. The message is especially valuable for men trying to lead authentic Christian lives at a time when their gender and the priesthood are under constant attack. God and His mother always see what we can’t and long to bring forth the innate—if sometimes hidden—splendor in the soul of every man.

### **About the author:**

Christine Watkins ([www.ChristineWatkins.com](http://www.ChristineWatkins.com)) was once an anti-Christian atheist living a life of sin. Watkins began a life of service to the Catholic Church after a miraculous healing from Jesus through Mary, which saved her from death. Her other books are [\*Full of Grace: Miraculous Stories of Healing and Conversion through Mary’s Intercession\*](#), a best-seller from Ave Maria Press, and the highly acclaimed [\*Transfigured: Patricia Sandoval’s Escape from Drugs, Homelessness, and the Back Doors of Planned Parenthood\*](#). She has hosted shows on Radio Maria and Shalom World Television, and is an inspirational Catholic speaker.

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