



It is important to realize that we face a very difficult challenge in presenting the Fatima Message to the general public. This becomes evident especially when a man like Pat Robertson, who has the widest television coverage of any evangelist, believes that Mary was a sinner (See *Soul Magazine*, May-June 1978, pg. 4).

In Its Broad Context...

Yet we come to present Our Lady appearing at Fatima and offering Her Immaculate Heart as *the way to Jesus*, and the triumph of Her Heart as *the way to world peace!* We must explain devotion to Mary in its broad context, which includes explaining the Scapular Devotion as one of consecration, and the Rosary as a prayer based on the Mysteries of Christ.

One must view this Fatima program as a presentation to an audience of multiple shades of understanding and belief. The basic purpose of our first series is to impress everyone with a *supernatural intervention at Fatima*, with certain prophecies and certain basic conditions for world peace—and that the essence of these conditions is the sanctification of one's daily life.

Not Just for Catholics

Some people have criticized the fact that when a guest on the program mentioned that Our Lady told the children that they "must" say the Rosary, it was at once pointed out that Our Lady told *the children* to say the Rosary every day and that *She exacted this devotion from them*, but the Message of Fatima is

not restricted solely to those who have the advantage of Catholic devotions.

Fr. Buckley who appears on three programs of this series, is a very, very Marian priest yet very "scripture based," who has also appeared on such non-Catholic programs as 700 Club and PTL Club. We feel he greatly enhances this program to be viewed by the general public (most of which we presume will be Protestant). His role in our series is to show the biblical roots of our Marian devotion (which he does admirably).

In a future series, we would like to have questions from an audience in which these matters would be explained in greater detail. All the suggestions we receive will be borne in mind in future efforts.

It would be helpful if Blue Army members could have the present TV series (Prophecies of Fatima) viewed by a mixed audience, including non-believers. That would give a better idea of *general audience reaction*, keeping in mind that the program is specifically aimed at a *general audience*. Blue Army members who already know the Message of Fatima and are encouraged to live it in depth, will certainly find much in the series to please them... and it is hoped that others will begin to realize the almost unbelievable importance of the Message of Fatima (with its miracles and prophecies) to the entire world.

THEY LIKE THE BLUE ARMY TV PROGRAM!

We have been getting a most favorable response to our TV program, especially on the West Coast after a showing last April on Channel 22 and its cable outreach. We have heard from Hawaii, Saipan and Guam. Some did not catch the whole series and expressed their appreciation for what they did see and wanted to see more of the same.

Joyce Tuomy, Framingham, Mass. has done a remarkable job by

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having small groups meet in her home to view the series on her home video equipment. The results of her efforts may be that the series be shown over a major television facility in the Boston area. This kind of effort should also be encouraged throughout the country.

I find that many people are hungry for, if not *starving* for, the kind of program presented in this series. We need a sequel!

It is important to share our blessings that others might be blessed. This was done beautifully in the series as those who experienced cures shared with the audience.

What Better Way?

What better way to share our blessings than to go right into one's living room, via TV, in prayer that Our Lady would bring the viewers to Her Son?