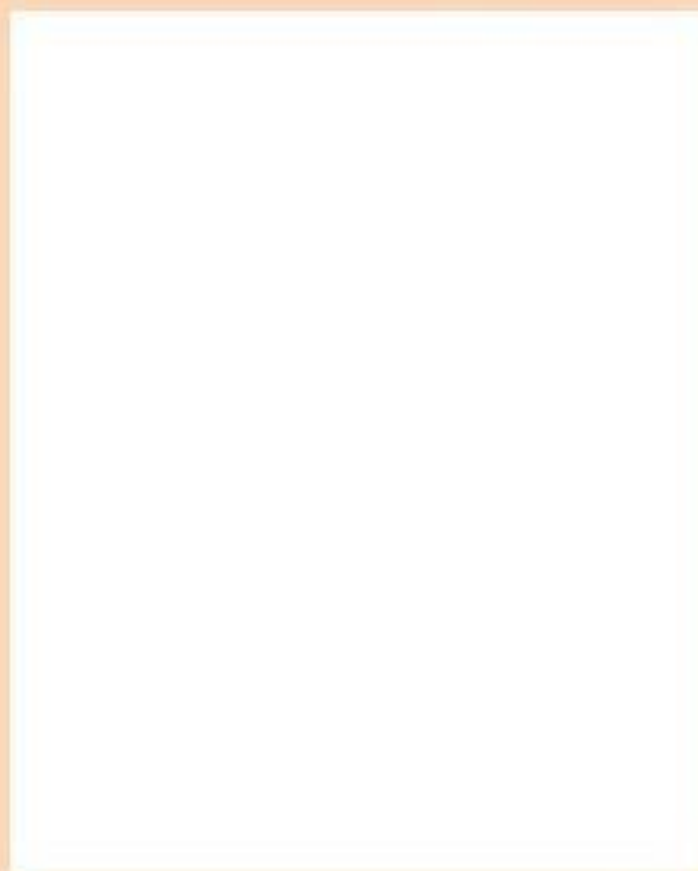


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A birthday portrait of Mary

Many artists have portrayed Mary in paintings and statues. Why not draw your own picture of Mary? What does she look like to you?



A birthday prayer for Mary

This prayer is based on a very old prayer written by St. Anselm, who lived about 1,000 years ago!

When you were born, Mary, the whole world was made light. You were chosen by God to be the mother of Jesus. May your birth fill me with true joy. O holy Mother of God; beautiful lily, pray to your Son for me. Amen.