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It is with a sad heart and deep regret that I share this news with you. Our beloved Fr. John T Catoir, our Messenger of Joy, passed away on April 7th, 2022 at the age of 90 years old. Despite a short illness, his last few days were filled with laughter and joy as was his usual manner. He peacefully left to be with the Lord early that Thursday morning shortly after saying the blessed Rosary; he was surrounded by loved ones.

Fr. John was beautifully eulogized at his funeral mass held Monday, April 11th at 11am at St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church in Cary, NC. He was laid to rest later that day in the sacred cemetery at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Newton Grove, NC.

Shortly before his death, Fr. John shared his greatest happiness was knowing that through him, our Heavenly Father was able to make known the divine gift of joy to so many around the world.

We will desperately miss Fr. John because his life and words blessed so many hundreds of thousands of “saints in training” during the course of his sacrificial life. But we rejoice, because we know he is finally in the arms of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and his soul is filled with eternal and unspeakable joy.

“Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His Saints.” – Psalm 116:15

“I will see you again, and your hearts will rejoice, and no one shall deprive you of your joy.” – John 16:22

By God’s grace, we, the board and trustees of St. Jude Media Ministry, will keep Fr. John’s memory and legacy alive through the ministry he established in 1995. His books, articles, videos, and social media links are all available through his website at www.johncatoir.com and will continue his mission of spreading God’s divine joy. If you would prefer to contact the Ministry by mail, please feel free to write us at:

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North Carolina 27512-0544**

Lastly, if it is in your heart to give a special gift in Fr. John’s memory, kindly consider the **St. Jude Fund for the Children of the Poor**, a charity established by Fr. John shortly before his passing. It is managed by the Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Paterson, New Jersey and can be contacted at their website: www.CCPaterson.org or at their address:

**St. Jude Fund for the Children of the Poor c/o
Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Paterson
777 Valley Road Clifton, New Jersey 07013**

Thank you for your love and devotion to Fr. John throughout the years.

God bless you and may His joy always be yours,

Ashley Rose Olbrich
President of St. Jude Media Ministry (Devoted Caregiver and Friend)