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The firmness in repeating the same acts forms in the soul the life of the good that is asked for. Your incessant asking for the Kingdom of my Divine Will forms Its Life in you. And your continual 'I love You' forms the life of my Love in you.

I was continuing to follow the Acts in the Divine Fiat, and I was thinking in myself:

- "I am always repeating and repeating
- the long story of my acts of the Divine Volition,
- the long monotonous song of my 'I love You'.

But what are their effects?

Oh! If I could obtain that the Divine Will be known and reign upon the earth, at least for me, it (my acts) would be worthwhile."

But while I was thinking this, my beloved *Jesus* held me tightly to his Divine Heart, and *said to me*:

"My daughter, the firmness in asking

- -forms the life of the good of what is asked for,
- -disposes the soul to receive the good that it wants, and
- -moves God to give the gift that is being asked for.

Even more so, with so many repeated acts and prayers that the soul has done, it has formed in itself

- the life.
- the practice, and
- the habit of the good that it is asking.

God, won by the firmness of the asking, will give the soul the gift.

And in the creature is found

- the life of the gift that God makes to it - in virtue of the creature's repeated acts,

And the good that was asked for will convert into nature.

In such a way that the creature will feel itself

- -owner, and
- -victorious in feeling itself transformed in the gift that it has received.

So, your incessant asking for the Kingdom of my Divine Will forms Its Life in you.

And your continual 'I love You' forms the life of my Love in you.

Since I have made the Gift of both of them to you, you feel in yourself, as if your very nature didn't feel anything other than the vivifying virtue of my Volition and of my love.

The firmness in asking is the assurance that the Gift is yours.

And by asking for the Kingdom of my Divine Will for everyone, it is the prelude so that the others can receive the great Gift of my Supreme Fiat.

Therefore, continue to repeat (your acts) and don't grow weary."