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Matthew

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Sr. Jean Steffes, CSA,

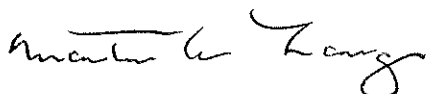
Sisters of St. Agnes

Dear Sr. Jean,

I have dedicated the enclosed book to the memory of Sisters Maureen Courtney and Teresa de Jesus Morales. The Passion of Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew is the most complete of all the Gospels. So it is appropriate in reading Matthew's Passion for us to be reminded of the sacrifice these sisters made of their lives as faith-filled followers of Jesus.

You may know that Sr. Maureen was a student in our MA program at Fairfield and I was the *mentor for her thesis. During her time here she became a friend of my wife and I and her death was a deep sorrow for us.*

My warm wishes to you and your sisters in your continuing ministry,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Martin A. Lang".

Martin A. Lang

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This work is dedicated to the memory of Sr. Maureen Courtney, student and friend, and her companion, Sr. Teresa de Jesus Rosales, Sisters of St. Agnes. Both were martyred while working with the indigenous people of Nicaragua, their lives a testimony to their fidelity to Jesus, their deaths by violence reminding us of the cost of discipleship as described in this Gospel.