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Father Therasian's prayers rise like incense during a rogation procession.



Fr. Salvador in a classic pose. During his 6 month stay, he showered many graces upon the apostolate.

Dear Friends & Benefactors,

Sometimes the words flow as if by inspiration; sometimes they are as forthcoming as a guilty child is of the truth. The same is true of the spiritual life; sometimes prayers pour forth with sweet unction, sometimes one feels like the bottom of an empty well.

In the case of writer's block, a good remedy is to put all work aside for a time until the powers of composition mysteriously return. In times of spiritual aridity, however, one must never put off praying, for it is our primary duty as Catholics. If we persevere, then sooner or later the grace of devotion will return.



Arockiasamy Pio married Arul Maria Dyvia on 20th August 2012.

This thought came to me not only because I have writer's block, but also because I can think of nothing astonishing to report (which is good) ...except perhaps one little victory in the apostolate: A week after a thundering sermon against the television (which is a real problem in the villages), a mother called me into her house to show me that she had replaced hers with an altar to Our Lady. India will be converted by mothers such as these!

May God bless you for your continued support of the mission and may your prayers always pour forth like water from a gushing spring.

In Jesu et Maria, Father Robert Brucciani

