

Bibliography of Mary C. Sullivan, RSM



Mary C. Sullivan, RSM, was a prolific writer about the life and mission of Catherine McAuley, the founder of the Sisters of Mercy. These writings continue to shape and inspire all who are called to the Mercy charism. Her writings also include a number of scholarly articles reflecting her literary studies—an MA and PhD in English from the University of Notre Dame with a doctoral dissertation on *The Descriptive Style of Joseph Conrad*. She would go on to earn an MA in Theology and continue to write in both the fields of literature and of theology and spirituality.



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