



And they all condemned him as deserving death (Mark 14:64).  
*Qui omnes condemnaverunt eum esse reum mortis (Marcum 14:64).*

## **The First Station**

Jesus is condemned to death.

### **CONSIDERATION**

Consider how Jesus Christ, after having been scourged and crowned with thorns, was unjustly condemned by Pilate to die on the Cross.

### **ORATION**

My adorable Jesus, it was not Pilate; no, it was my sins that condemned You to die. I beseech You, by the merits of this sorrowful journey to assist my soul in its journey toward eternity.

I love You, my beloved Jesus; I love You more than myself; I repent with my whole heart of having offended You. Never permit me to separate myself from You again. Grant that I may love You always, and then do with me what You will.

## **Statio Primum**

Jesus condemnatur ad mortem.

### **CONSIDERATIO**

Considera quomodo Iesus Christus, iam flagellatus et spinis coronatus, iniuste tandem a Pilato ad mortem crucis condemnatur.

### **ORATIO**

O adorande Iesu, non Pilatus, sed iniqua mea vita te ad mortem condemnavit. Per meritum laboriosissimi huius itineris, quod ad Calvariæ montem instituis, precor te, ut me semper in via, qua anima mea in æternitatem tendit, benigne comiteris.

Amo te, o Iesu, mi Amor, magis quam meipsum, et ex intimo corde pœnitet me quod tibi displicui. Ne sinas me iterum a te separari. Da mihi perpetuum amorem tui, et dein fac de me quidquid tibi placuerit. Quod tibi placitum est, hoc idem mihi est acceptum.