

# **THE CROSS OF CHRIST HEALS OUR SOULS!**

## **ISAIAH 53:5**

But He was wounded for our transgressions,  
He was bruised for our iniquities:  
the chastisement of our peace was upon Him;  
and with His stripes we are healed. <sup>1</sup>

## **I PETER 2:24**

Who His Own Self bare our sins in His Own Body  
on The Tree, that we, being dead to sins,  
should live unto righteousness:  
by Whose stripes ye were healed. <sup>2</sup>

## **Saint Padre Pio on Divine Love** <sup>3</sup>

“What is this searching for GOD  
which occupies our hearts so incessantly?  
It is the effect of The Divine Love which draws us  
and The Divine Love which impels us.  
May The Grace of His consoling Spirit  
always inspire our hearts and transform them  
totally with His Divine Charity!” <sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> King James Version, ISAIAH 53:5.

<sup>2</sup> King James Version, I PETER 2:24.

<sup>3</sup> Saint Pius of Pietrelcina (died 1968), aka Saint Padre Pio, “was an Italian Capuchin Priest. He was especially devoted to the personal and sacramental work of Penance, that all sinners might know and receive The Divine Mercy that flows upon us from The Cross of CHRIST.”  
Magnificat, Monday, September 23, 2013, p 320-321.

<sup>4</sup> Adapted from "More Will Be Given," St. Padre Pio. Magnificat, Monday, September 23, 2013, p 319-320.