

Sharing the Darkness

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Precious Spikenard

And then took Mary a pound of ointment of Spikenard very costly, and anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped his feet with her hair.
(John 12:3)



The spikenard was very expensive

- Why did she do it?
- Aposteles abuse her
- But Jesus understood
- The Way how to say I love you

Motivation

- Why do you want to do social work?
- Special and holy
- Psychological reason: childhood and relations with parents
- At the end: The God's will (vũle) through childhood and relations

Stabat Mater

Near the cross of Jesus stood his mother and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary of Magdala.

(John 19:25)



Stabat Mater

- If your hands are empty
- All the treatment options (možnosti léčby) have been explored
- All the words of comfort said
- You are standing at the foot of the bed, useless, impotent

The illustrations



The second drawing



The third drawing



The last drawing



The powerlessness

- The secret: Not to be afraid of it
- The dying knows that you are not God
- „All they ask is that we do not desert them: that we stand our ground at the foot of the cross.“
- It is the hardest part of the journey

Thank you for your attention