



WHY DO I FEEL THE WAY I DO?



YOU CAT #293: Why did God give us passions or emotions?

We have passions so that through strong emotions and distinct feelings we might be attracted to what is right and good and repelled from what is evil and bad. God made man in such a way that he can love and hate, desire or despise something, be attracted by something and afraid of others, be full of joy, sorrow or anger. In the depths of his heart man always loves good and hates evil.

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ST. GIANNA MOLLA

Gianna Beretta was born near Milan on October 4, 1922. From the time she was young she embraced her faith and she saw life as a marvelous gift from God. She graduated college with a degree in Medicine, specializing in paediatrics, and opened a medical clinic near her home town. She felt her work as a doctor was truly a mission to help mothers & babies. She became very sick while pregnant with her 4th child and required surgery that would harm the baby. She said, "If you must decided between me and the child, do not hesitate: choose the child – I insist on it. Save her". On April 21, 1962, baby Gianna was born. Despite all efforts and treatments to save both mother and baby, Gianna Molla died on April 28, 1962, giving up her life for her child. Her last words were "Jesus, I love you." She was 39 years old. Gianna was canonized by Pope John Paul II in 2004.



GOSPEL



ANSWERS

JESUS SAID TO HER, "STOP HOLDING ON TO ME, FOR I HAVE NOT YET ASCENDED TO THE FATHER. BUT GO TO MY BROTHERS AND TELL THEM, 'I AM GOING TO MY FATHER AND YOUR FATHER, TO MY GOD AND YOUR GOD.'" MARY OF MAGDALA WENT AND ANNOUNCED TO THE DISCIPLES, "I HAVE SEEN THE LORD," AND WHAT HE TOLD HER.
- JOHN 20: 11-18

ANSWER IN YOUR OWN WORDS:
