

# Obscure Saints You Should Know

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One More Page Books and More

Brotherhood  
of Saints

daily guidance and inspiration

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*Rejoice!*  
BE GLAD!

# Marcus Ji Tianxiang



- Born circa 1834, in China
- Died July 7, 1900 in China
- Feast Day: July 7 (also September 28 as one of the Martyrs of China)
- Doctor turned opium addict
- Martyred in the Boxer Rebellion
- “We are going home” (reply to a young relative who asked where they were going en route to execution)

# Marcus Ji Tianxiang



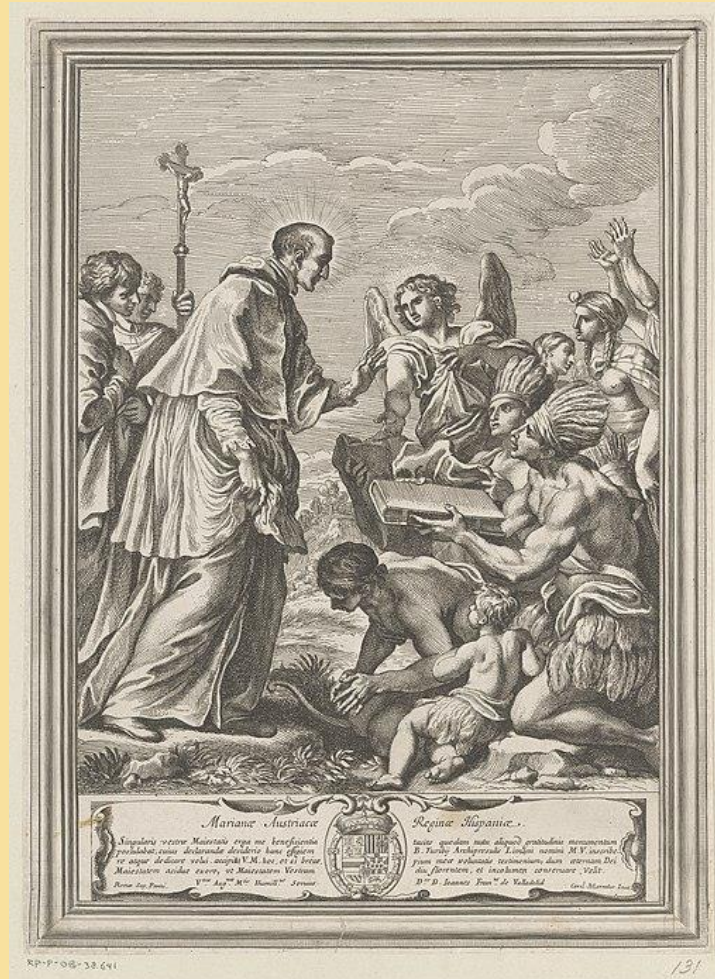
- MEG's Pairings
  - Sparkling water
  - Kingsbury Mint Cookie Crunch Pocket Bar

# Turibius de Mogrovejo



- Born November 16, 1538, in Spain
- Died March 23, 1606, in Peru
- Feast Day: March 23
- Named an archbishop before he was even a priest
- Fought clerical excess; advocated for humane treatment of indigenous people
- Baptized Sts. Rose of Lima and Martin de Porres
- “Christ said ‘I am the Truth,’ he did not say ‘I am the custom.’”

# Turibius de Mogrovejo



- MEG's Pairings
  - Fillaboa Albariño
  - Asher Dark Chocolate Covered Potato Chips

# Simeon Stylites



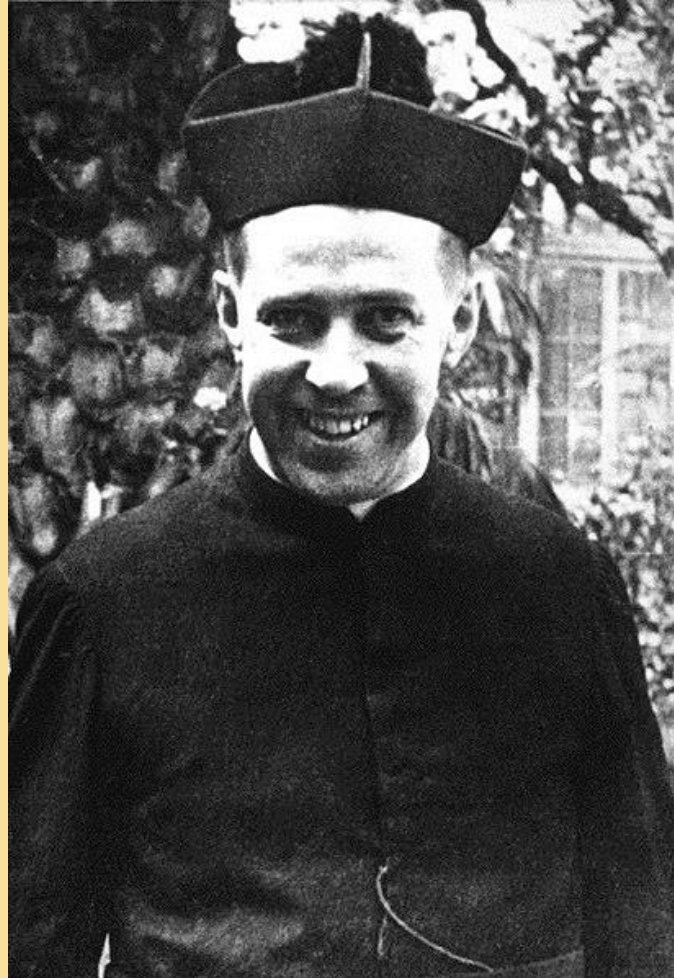
- Born circa 390 in Turkey
- Died 459 in Syria
- Feast Day: January 5 (Western Christianity)
- Really tried to get away from it all — atop a 6- to 50-foot pillar with 11 square feet of living space — but people still came

# Simeon Stylites



- MEG's Pairings
  - Cline Cashmere California Red Wine
  - Kingsbury Cashew Porter Toffee

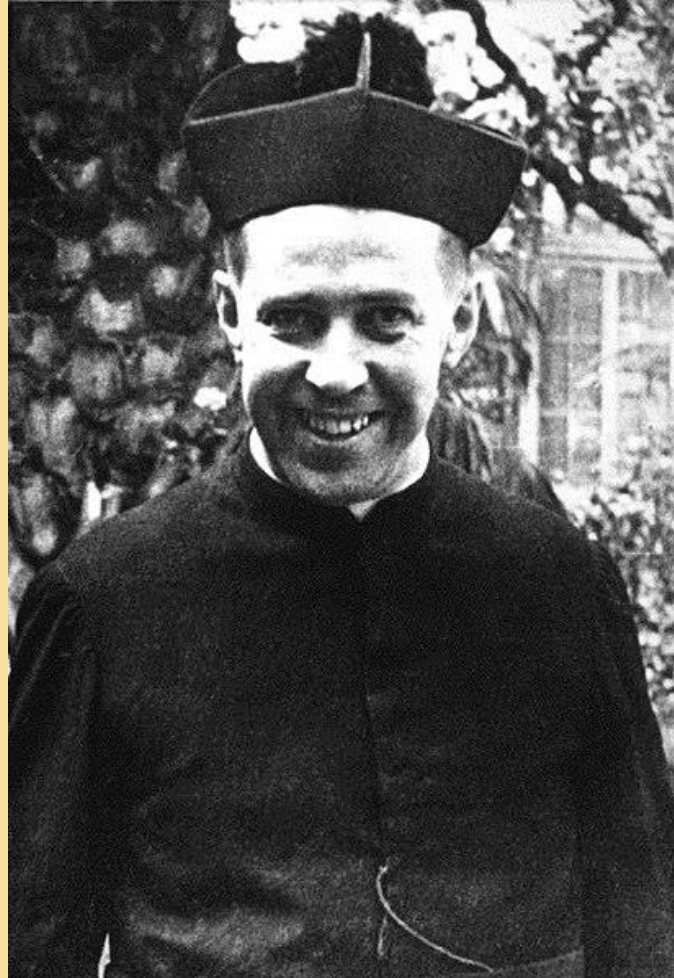
# Alberto Hurtado Cruchaga



- Born January 22, 1901, in Chile
- Died August 18, 1952, in Chile
- Feast Day: August 18
- Early poverty and struggles; created Hogar de Cristo to help the poorest of the poor
- “It is good not to do bad, but it is very bad not to do good.”



# Alberto Hurtado Cruchaga



- MEG's Pairings
  - Santa Julia Reserva Cabernet Sauvignon
  - Asher Dark Chocolate Mini Grahams

# Luigi Guanella



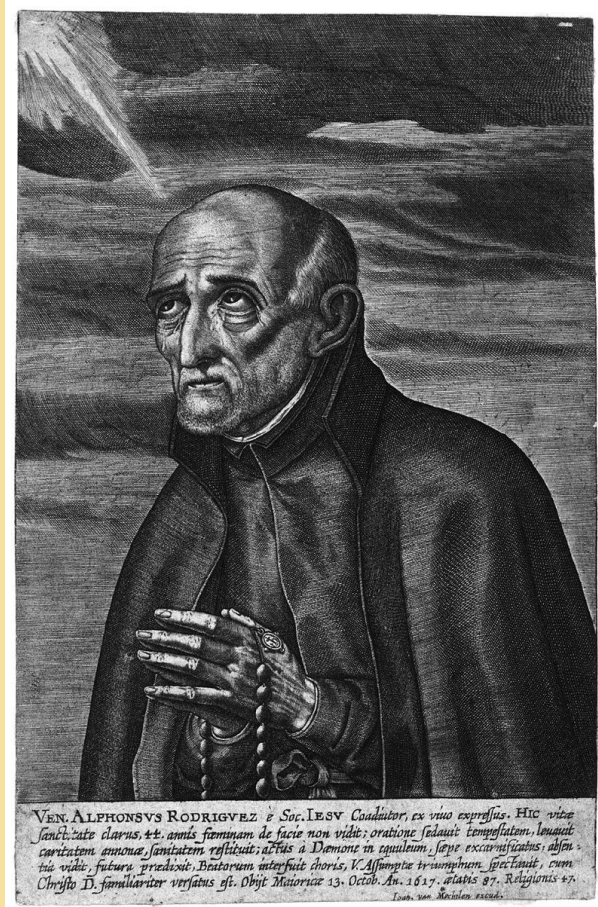
- Born December 19, 1842 in Italy
- Died October 24, 1915, in Italy
- Feast Day: October 24
- Friendship with John Bosco fired a ministry to serve those with mental and physical disabilities
- “Our union in heaven will depend upon our communion with God on earth.”

# Luigi Guanella



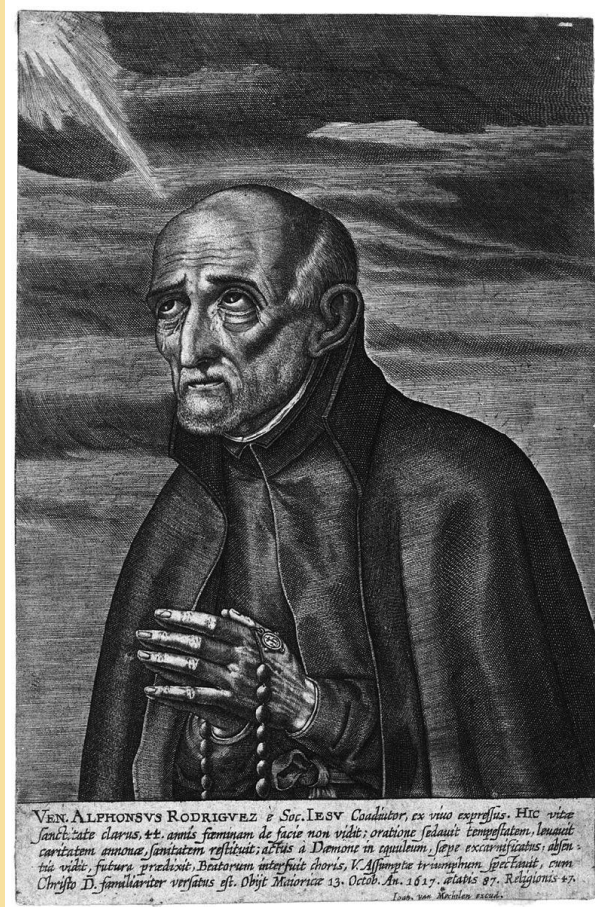
- MEG's Pairings
  - Vajra Rosso Langhe
  - Kingsbury Nicciola Frigola Dark Chocolate Bar

# Alphonsus Rodriguez



- Born July 25, 1532, in Spain
- Died October 31, 1617, in Spain
- Feast Day: October 31
- Lost all his family within 6 years; became a Jesuit doorkeeper
- Subject of a Gerard Manley Hopkins poem

# Alphonsus Rodriguez



- MEG's Pairings
- Gruet Blanc de Blancs Sauvage
- Kingsbury Dark Chocolate Almond Butter and Almonds Bar



# Thanks!

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