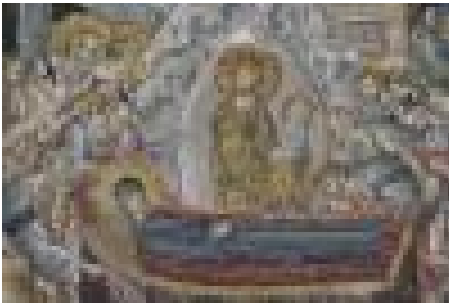


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Mary: Impact of Visual Images

by Arthur Jones



In *Full of Grace: Encountering Mary in Faith, Art and Life*, Judith

Dupre writes:

?Through visual representations of events from the lives of Christ and the Virgin, worshipers were transported from temporal, linear time into eternal divine time.?

Do these visual representations have a similar effect today?

What is the Marian blog about?



In The Marian Blog, *NCR* books editor Arthur Jones invites a discussion on

envisioning Mary, the mother of Jesus, in 21st-century terms.

Jones has been a Catholic journalist since before the Second Vatican Council. This month, Paulist Press releases his latest book, *Mary, a Mother Waiting, Raising the Messiah*. Jones describes his book as an exploration of the mother-son relationship of Mary and Jesus during the "hidden years," until she eases him front and center into his ministry at Cana.

You follow The Marian Blog and news about *Mary, a Mother Waiting, Raising the Messiah* on Facebook ([tinyurl.com/Mary-A-Mother-Waiting](https://www.facebook.com/tinyurl.com/Mary-A-Mother-Waiting)) and Twitter (twitter.com/anotherwaiting).

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