



M. Monika Schulze, SSND - Death and Resurrection

*We pass
through each cross
towards the Light,
towards New Life,
through each Good Friday
towards Easter.*

Phil Bosmans

Dear Sister Charmaine, dear Sisters of the Province Atlantic-Midwest,

We celebrate our Easter this year in a very different way than we are used to:

We only see the services by video or live stream, we have to miss a visit from dear people, the great Easter Hallelujah - we eagerly awaited - sounds very muffled. And we recognize: it's not us who shape Easter. Easter is created for us. The women at the grave at that time had already learned that they were 'only' witnesses of the resurrection, actually witnesses of the empty grave.

With this year's Easter, let us celebrate that HE has much greater possibilities than we do: that HIS love goes far beyond death and that HE is nevertheless very close to us. And so let's be witnesses to this love that is stronger than death.

We wish you and all of us that we feel the Paschal vitality, the presence of God in us.

Blessed Easter days and an Easter time filled with peace and joy,

M. Monika Schmidt

and the sisters from the Bavarian Province