

**PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL, ABBREVIATED  
(POPE LEO XIII)**

**Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle!  
Be our defense against the wickedness and snares  
of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly  
pray, and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host,  
by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all  
the evil spirits prowling around the world,  
seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.**

