

May 16, 1920, Pope Benedict XV from the Throne of St. Peter promulgated the Bull of her canonization . . . "we declare that the blessed Joan of Arc is a saint and we inscribe her name in the list of the saints."

The comet is enthroned with the stars.

APOSTATES

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They seem at times like driftwood cast
Upon a surging sea;
Some quivering fledgelings in lush grass
A dog spied in the lea.

Their lives a song—a poignant song
Upon the strings of Time;
Chaotic chords, discordant sounds—
Sad overtones, supine.

Of faith and hope, no dawn for them,
Grim shadows haunt their path;
Until they swoon in ecstasy . . .
Once smitten by His wrath.