

In Memoriam



“The fools, the fools, they have left us our fenian dead”

- P.H. Pearse

O Sacred Heart of Jesus have mercy on the souls of	
Bobby Sands	Kevin Lynch
Francis Hughes	Kieran Doherty
Raymond McCreesh	Thomas McElwee
Patsy O’Hara	Mickey Devine
Joe McDonnell	Michael Gaughan
Martin Hurson	Frank Stagg

***“We remain what we are - Political
Prisoners of War” - Bobby Sands***

“I am standing on the threshold of another trembling world. May God have mercy on my soul.

My heart is very sore because my poor mother's heart, and my home is struck with unbearable anxiety. But I have considered all the arguments and tried every means to avoid what has become the unavoidable: it has been forced upon me and my comrades by four-and-a-half years of stark inhumanity.

I am a political prisoner, I am a political prisoner because I am a casualty of a perennial war that is being fought between the oppressed Irish people and a alien, oppressive, unwanted regime that refuses to withdraw from our land.

I believe and stand by the Godgiven right of the Irish nation to sovereign independence, and the right of any Irishman or woman to assert this right in armed revolution. That is why I am incarcerated, naked and tortured.”

Bobby Sands (March 1st 1981)