

## **Encounter with God**

Throughout history there have been many recorded accounts of people's encounters with God. Some of the more recognised ones in our Catholic Tradition are represented below.

"God spoke to Dorothy Day: through poetry, through beauty, and through friendship. This is where she found love—real love and community." From < <u>https://www.coraevans.com/blog/artic le/The-Absolutely-Amazing-Catholic- Conversion-Story-Of-Dorothy-Day</u> >	"Contemplation is the response to a call: a call from Him Who has no voice, and yet Who speaks in everything that is, and Who, most of all, speaks in the depths of our own being: for we ourselves are words of His." Thomas Merton
"Let no one ever come to you without leaving better and happier. Be the living expression of God's kindness: kindness in your face, kindness in your eyes, kindness in your smile." Mother Teresa	"God could not have chosen anyone less qualified, or more of a sinner, than myself. And so, for this wonderful work He intends to perform through us, He selected me- for God always chooses the weak and the absurd, and those who count for nothing."
	Francis of Assisi

Research one of the above.

Picture or sketch	Outline their early years.



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What defining moment in their life led God to reveal himself?	How did this change their life?
What did God ask of them?	What nower and wisdom did (200 impart to
	What power and wisdom did God impart to them?
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Describe the relationship that developed betwe	them?
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