



PRAYERS OF THE SAINTS

SUSCIPE — TAKE, LORD, RECEIVE

Saint Ignatius of Loyola

Spiritual Exercises, 234



LATIN

Sume et suscipe, Domine,
universam meam libertatem.
Accipe memoriam, intellectum
atque voluntatem omnem.
Quidquid habeo vel possideo, mihi
largitus es: id tibi totum restituo, ac
tuae prorsus voluntati trado
gubernandum. Amorem tui solum
cum gratia tua mihi dones, et dives
sum satis, nec aliud quidquam ultra
posco.

ENGLISH

Take, Lord, and receive all my
liberty, my memory, my
understanding, and my entire will —
all that I have and possess. You have
given it all to me; to You, Lord, I
return it. It is all Yours; dispose of it
wholly according to Your will. Give
me only Your love and Your grace,
for that is enough for me.

Amen.

