

Eucharistic Miracle of Cimballa
SPAIN, 1370



The “Most Holy Doubtful Mystery” is the name by which the Eucharistic Miracle which occurred at Cimballa in 1370 at the church of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary is known. Father Tomás, the pastor of the church, had been tormented for many months by doubts regarding the Real Presence of Jesus in the Sacrament of the Eucharist. One Sunday, during the celebration of Holy Mass, after pronouncing the words of consecration, Father Tomás saw the Host be transformed into Flesh and the Blood flow so abundantly from it that it spilled on to the corporal. The repentant priest began to weep from remorse and the faithful, seeing him so upset, ran at once up to the altar and saw the Miracle. The Relic was carried as it was in procession and the news of the Miracle spread everywhere. Many Miracles were attributed to the “Most Holy Doubtful Mystery” which from that time has always been an object of great devotion on the part of the faithful. The Relic of the corporal stained with Blood is exposed every year on September 12 on the occasion of the anniversary of the feast of the Miracle.