

# Non sofre Santa María

## Cantigas de Santa Maria no. 159

Alfonso el Sabio (Alfonso X), King of Castille and León (1221-1284)  
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How Holy Mary caused a chop of meat to be found which was stolen from some pilgrims in the city of Rocamadour.\*

Ma - ry\_\_ won't al - low be - lie - vers, If Her pil - gri - mage they choose, **Fine**

To en - dure cor - rupt de - cei - vers Or learn what it\_\_ means to\_\_ lose.

1. Lis - ten\_\_ to\_\_ this mi - ra - cle now. I will tell it all to you.  
 2. Af - ter en - ter - ing the ci - ty, They sought out a place to stay,  
 3. And they asked Her, too, to ask Him Not to look u - pon their sin,  
 4. As the\_\_ Hea - vens are my wit - ness, Nine pork chops went in the pot.  
 5. Through the\_\_ house they sought the pork chop, Look - ing in - to ev - ery space,  
 6. Hast - i - ly\_\_ the chest was o - pened, and they looked in - side to see.  
 7. It's a\_\_ mi - ra - cle as won - drous As the Vir - gin e - ver made,

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It was done by Ho - ly Ma - ry, As I\_\_ heard from one who knew.  
 And they or - dered food for His din - ner, Meat and bread to end their day,  
 And to ask Him for His par - don And to wash their souls with - in,  
 Nine pork chops should have re - mained there. When they came out, there were not.  
 And they called on Ho - ly Ma - ry re - veal the pork chop's place.  
 There they saw the danc - ing pork chop Jump - ing, try - ing to get free.  
 So they took the bless - ed pork chop; From a\_\_ silk - en threat it swayed;

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It took place in\_\_ Ro - ca - ma - dor For some sim - ple\_\_ pil - grims who  
 And while wait - ing\_\_ for their sup - per To the\_\_ Vir - gin went to\_\_ pray,  
 When they fin - ished with their pray - ing, They de - part - ed\_\_ for the\_\_ inn,  
 One was miss - ing,\_\_ since the\_\_ ser - vant Stole a\_\_ pork chop they had bought.  
 When they lis - tened, they heard thump - ing At a\_\_ quick, in - creas - ing\_\_ pace.  
 They ran\_\_ out in - to the\_\_ ci - ty, Tell - ing ev - ery - one with glee  
 And they hung it\_\_ on the\_\_ al - tar, Prais - ing Ma - ry\_\_ as they prayed.

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Went to\_\_ pray like\_\_ a - ny\_\_ Christ - ian Who the\_\_ cause of\_\_ God pur - sues.  
 Ask - ing Her to\_\_ ask Her Son to Cleanse them as their sin re - news.  
 Look - ing for - ward to their din - ner, Hun - gry, tired, and\_\_ al - so\_\_ bruised.  
 And the pil - grims all were an - gry, Al - so\_\_ wor - ried and con - fused.  
 Some - thing was in - side a\_\_ chest, and They ran\_\_ o - ver\_\_ for a\_\_ view.  
 Of the mi - ra - cle they wit - nessed, Shout - ing\_\_ through the\_\_ a - ve - nues.  
 She per - forms these works of\_\_ beau - ty That the\_\_ world can\_\_ al - ways use.