

HUMARQUE Victor

Was born in Colmar on 15th September 1817. After his ordination as priest on 30th October 1842 he became secretary to his bishop, and seemed to have good reason to expect a distinguished career in his diocese; but he decided to become a Redemptorist. He took his vows in St.-Nicolas-du-Port on 29th September 1857. He soon gained the reputation for being a fine mission preacher. He also composed some devotional works, which he published at the insistence of his superiors. For the last twenty-six years of his life he was blind, but in his patience and prayerfulness never ceased to be a source of edification to all who knew him. He died in Antony on 18th December 1896.

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