

Be Merciful, O Lord/ Create a Clean Heart in Me, O God/ I Will Rise and Go to My Father (Psalm 51)

(Guitar/Vocal)

Psalm 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17

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*REFRAIN: (♩ = ca. 96) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

Capo 3: (Bm) (Em) (A) (D)
Dm Gm C F

Be mer-ci-ful, O Lord, for we have sinned. Be

(Gmaj7) (Em) (A) (Bm) (Fine)
Bbmaj7 Gm C Dm

mer-ci-ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

VERSE 1

(A) (D) (Em)
C F Gm

1. Have mercy on me, O God in your good-ness; in the greatness of your compassion wipe out

(A) (D) (Em) (Bm)
C F Gm Dm

1. my of-fense. Thoroughly wash me from my guilt

(G) (A) (Esus4) (E)
Bb C Gsus4 G D.C.

1. and of my sin cleanse me.

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BE MERCIFUL, O LORD (PSALM 51) (Guitar/Vocal), cont. (2)

VERSE 2

(A) (D) (Em) (A) (D)
C F Gm C F

2. For I acknowledge my of - fense, and my sin is be - fore me always:

(Em) (Bm) (G) (A) (Esus4) (E)
Gm Dm Bb C Gsus4 G D.C.

2. "A - gainst you only have I sinned, and done what is e - vil in your sight."

VERSE 3

(A) (D) (Em) (A) (D)
C F Gm C F

3. A clean heart create for me, O God, and a steadfast spirit re - new with - in me.

(Em) (Bm) (G) (A) (Esus4) (E)
Gm Dm Bb C Gsus4 G D.C.

3. Cast me not out from your presence, and your Holy Spirit take not from me.

VERSE 4

(A) (D) (Em) (A) (D)
C F Gm C F

4. Give me back the joy of your sal - vation, and a willing spirit sus - tain in me.

(Em) (Bm) (G) (A) (Esus4) (E)
Gm Dm Bb C Gsus4 G D.C. *al fine*

4. O Lord, o - pen my lips, and my mouth shall pro - claim your praise.

Create in Me a Clean Heart

(Alternative Refrain)

REFRAIN: (♩ = ca. 96) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

Musical notation for the first line of the refrain. The key signature has one flat (Bb) and the time signature is 3/4. The melody is written on a treble clef staff. The lyrics are: Cre - ate a clean heart in me, O God. Cre -

Guitar chords for the first line: (Bm) Dm, (Em/B) Gm/D, (Em) Gm, (A7) C7, (D) F.

Musical notation for the second line of the refrain. The key signature has one flat (Bb) and the time signature is 3/4. The melody is written on a treble clef staff. The lyrics are: ate a clean heart in me, O God. (Fine)

Guitar chords for the second line: (Gmaj7) Bbmaj7, (Em) Gm, (A) C, (Bm) Dm.

I Will Rise and Go to My Father

(Alternative Refrain)

REFRAIN: (♩ = ca. 96) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

Musical notation for the first line of the refrain. The key signature has one flat (Bb) and the time signature is 3/4. The melody is written on a treble clef staff. The lyrics are: I will rise and go to my fa - ther. I will

Guitar chords for the first line: (Bm) Dm, (Em/B) Gm/D, (Em) Gm, (A7) C7, (D) F.

Musical notation for the second line of the refrain. The key signature has one flat (Bb) and the time signature is 3/4. The melody is written on a treble clef staff. The lyrics are: rise and go to my fa - ther. (Fine)

Guitar chords for the second line: (Gmaj7) Bbmaj7, (Em) Gm, (A7) C7, (C#°/B) E°/D, (Bm) Dm.

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Choral arrangement by Ricky Manalo, CSP, and Gerard Chiusano

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Descant

Soprano Alto

Tenor Bass

Keyboard

Be — mer - ci - ful, for we have sinned.

Be mer - ci - ful, O Lord, for we — have — sinned. Be —

Dm Gm C F

(Fine)

Be mer - ci - ful, we — have sinned. —

(Fine)

mer - ci - ful, O — Lord, — for — we — have — sinned. —

(Fine)

Bbmaj7 Gm C Dm

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BE MERCIFUL, O LORD (PSALM 51) (Keyboard/Choral), cont. (2)

VERSE 1

1. Have mercy on me, O God, in your good - ness; in the greatness of your compassion wipe out

C F Gm

This system contains the first line of music for Verse 1. It features a vocal line on a single staff and a keyboard accompaniment on a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are: "1. Have mercy on me, O God, in your good - ness; in the greatness of your compassion wipe out". The chords indicated above the keyboard part are C, F, and Gm.

1. my of - fense. Thoroughly wash me from my guilt

C F Gm Dm

This system contains the second line of music for Verse 1. It features a vocal line on a single staff and a keyboard accompaniment on a grand staff. The lyrics are: "1. my of - fense. Thoroughly wash me from my guilt". The chords indicated above the keyboard part are C, F, Gm, and Dm.

1. and of my sin cleanse me.

B \flat C Gsus4 G *D.C.*

This system contains the third line of music for Verse 1. It features a vocal line on a single staff and a keyboard accompaniment on a grand staff. The lyrics are: "1. and of my sin cleanse me.". The key signature changes to two flats (B-flat and E-flat) at the start of this system. The time signature changes from 3/4 to 4/4. The chords indicated above the keyboard part are B \flat , C, Gsus4, and G. The system concludes with the instruction *D.C.* (Da Capo).

BE MERCIFUL, O LORD (PSALM 51) (Keyboard/Choral), cont. (3)

VERSE 2

2. For I acknowledge my of- fense, and my sin is be - fore me always:

C F Gm C F

2. "A - gainst you only have I sinned, and ___ done what is e - vil ___ in your sight." _____

Gm Dm Bb C Gsus4 G D.C.

VERSE 3

3. A clean heart create for me, O God, and a steadfast spirit re - new with - in me.

C F Gm C F

3. Cast me not out from your presence, and your Holy Spirit take not _____ from me. _____

Gm Dm Bb C Gsus4 G D.C.

BE MERCIFUL, O LORD (PSALM 51) (Keyboard/Choral), cont. (4)

VERSE 4

4. Give me back the joy of your sal - vation, and a willing spirit sus - tain in me.

C F Gm C F

4. O Lord, o - pen my lips, and my mouth shall pro - claim your praise.

Gm Dm B \flat C Gsus4 G

D.C. al fine

Create in Me a Clean Heart

(Alternative Refrain)

REFRAIN: (♩ = ca. 96) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

Soprano (S) and Alto (A) parts: Cre - ate a clean heart in me, O God. Cre -

Tenor (T) and Bass (B) parts: Cre - ate a clean heart in me, O God. Cre -

Piano accompaniment: Dm Gm/D Gm C7 F

Soprano (S) and Alto (A) parts: ate a clean heart in me, O God. (Fine)

Tenor (T) and Bass (B) parts: ate a clean heart in me, O God. (Fine)

Piano accompaniment: Bbmaj7 Gm C Dm (Fine)

I Will Rise and Go to My Father

(Alternative Refrain)

REFRAIN: (♩ = ca. 96) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

S
A

I will rise and go to my father. I will

T
B

Dm Gm/D Gm C7 F

(Fine)

rise and go to my father.

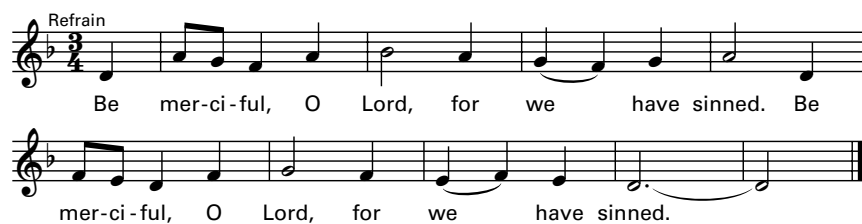
Bbmaj7 Gm C7 E°/D Dm (Fine)

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I WILL RISE AND GO TO MY FATHER (PSALM 51)

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Refrain



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mer-ci-ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

Alternative Refrain 1



Cre - ate a clean heart in me, O God. Cre -
ate a clean heart in me, O God.

Alternative Refrain 2



I will rise and go to my fa - ther. I will
rise and go to my fa - ther.

1. Have mercy on me, O God,
in your goodness;
in the greatness of your compassion
wipe out my offense.
Thoroughly wash me from my guilt
and of my sin cleanse me.

2. For I acknowledge my offense,
and my sin is before me always:
"Against you only have I sinned,
and done what is evil in your sight."

3. A clean heart create for me, O God,
and a steadfast spirit renew within me.
Cast me not out from your presence,
and your Holy Spirit take not from me.

4. Give me back the joy of your salvation,
and a willing spirit sustain in me.
O Lord, open my lips,
and my mouth shall proclaim your praise.

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