



A CLEAN HEART

¹⁰Create in me a clean heart, O God. Renew a loyal spirit within me. ¹¹Do not banish me from your presence, and don't take your Holy Spirit from me. ¹²Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and make me willing to obey you." [Psalm 51:10-12](#) nlt

Introduction:

¹²And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors." [Matthew 6:12](#)

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1. _____.

²⁷And when her mourning was over, David sent and brought her to his house, and she became his wife and bore him a son. But the thing that David had done displeased the Lord."
[2 Samuel 11:27](#)

⁷Then Nathan said to David, you are the man! ..." [2 Samuel 12:7](#)

¹Oh, what joy for those whose disobedience is forgiven, whose sin is put out of sight!
²Yes, what joy for those whose record the Lord has cleared of guilt, whose lives are lived in complete honesty! ³When I refused to confess my sin, my body wasted away, and I groaned all day long. ⁴Day and night your hand of discipline was heavy on me. My strength evaporated like water in the summer heat." [Psalm 32:1-4](#) nlt

2. _____.

¹Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions. ²Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.
³For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me. [Psalm 51:1-3](#) niv

¹⁷My sacrifice, O God, is a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart you, God, will not despise."
[Psalm 51:17](#) niv

¹⁴Then if my people who are called by my name will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sins and restore their land." [2 Chronicles 7:14](#) nlt

⁹Now I rejoice, not that you were made sorry, but that your sorrow led to repentance. For you were made sorry in a godly manner, that you might suffer loss from us in nothing. ¹⁰For godly sorrow produces repentance leading to salvation, not to be regretted; but the sorrow of the world produces death. ¹¹For observe this very thing, that you sorrowed in a godly manner: What diligence it produced in you, what clearing of yourselves, what indignation, what fear, what vehement desire, what zeal, what vindication! In all things you proved yourselves to be clear in this matter.” [2 Corinthians 7:9-11](#)

³For the enemy has persecuted my soul; He has crushed my life to the ground; He has made me dwell in darkness, like those who have long been dead.” [Psalm 143:3](#)

3. _____.

¹¹Your word I have hidden in my heart, That I might not sin against You.” [Psalm 119:11](#)

¹⁷Sanctify them by Your truth. Your word is truth.” [John 17:17](#)

¹⁶All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right. ¹⁷God uses it to prepare and equip his people to do every good work.”
[2 Timothy 3:16-17 nlt](#)

4. _____.

¹¹Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me. ¹²Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.” [Psalm 51:11-12 niv](#)

How do I express my longing for the presence of God?

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Conclusion:

⁸Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God..” [Matthew 5:8 niv](#)