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 For use in *Heart Learning*.

For the choir director: A psalm of David, regarding the time Nathan the prophet came to him after David had committed adultery with Bathsheba.

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| <p>¹Have mercy on me, O God,
because of your unfailing love.
Because of your great compassion,
blot out the stain of my sins.</p> <p>²Wash me clean from my guilt.
Purify me from my sin.</p> <p>³For I recognize my rebellion;
it haunts me day and night.</p> <p>⁴Against you, and you alone, have I sinned;
I have done what is evil in your sight.
You will be proved right in what you say,
and your judgment against me is just.</p> <p>⁵For I was born a sinner—
yes, from the moment my mother conceived me.</p> <p>⁶But you desire honesty from the womb,
teaching me wisdom even there.</p> <p>⁷Purify me from my sins, and I will be clean;
wash me, and I will be whiter than snow.</p> <p>⁸Oh, give me back my joy again;
you have broken me—now let me rejoice.</p> <p>⁹Don't keep looking at my sins.
Remove the stain of my guilt.</p> <p>¹⁰Create in me a clean heart, O God.
Renew a loyal spirit within me.</p> | <p>¹¹Do not banish me from your presence,
and don't take your Holy Spirit from me.</p> <p>¹²Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and make me willing to obey you.</p> <p>¹³Then I will teach your ways to rebels,
and they will return to you.</p> <p>¹⁴Forgive me for shedding blood, O God who saves;
then I will joyfully sing of your forgiveness.</p> <p>¹⁵Unseal my lips, O Lord,
that my mouth may praise you.</p> <p>¹⁶You do not desire a sacrifice, or I would offer one.
You do not want a burnt offering.</p> <p>¹⁷The sacrifice you desire is a broken spirit.
You will not reject a broken and
repentant heart, O God.</p> <p>¹⁸Look with favor on Zion and help her;
rebuild the walls of Jerusalem.</p> <p>¹⁹Then you will be pleased with sacrifices
offered in the right spirit—
with burnt offerings and whole burnt offerings.
Then bulls will again be sacrificed on your altar.</p> |
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