

Declare Me Innocent, O LORD

From Psalm 26

1. ¹De - clare me in - no - cent, O LORD; I've walked in blameless ways,
 2. ⁴I do not sit with worth - less folk; I shun the hyp - o - crite.
 3. ⁷I'll tell of all Your awe - some deeds, Pro - claim - ing loud Your praise.
 4. ¹⁰For their right hands are full of bribes; They plot in - iq - ui - ty.

And I have trust - ed in the LORD, Not wav - 'ring all my days.
⁵I hate the wick - ed's gath - er - ings; With them I will not sit.
⁸Your glo - ry fills Your dwell - ing - place; I love Your house al - ways.
¹¹But I will lead a blame - less life— In mer - cy set me free.

²Test me, O LORD, and try my heart; My in - most thoughts sur - vey.
⁶I wash my hands in in - no - cence, And blame - less is my heart;
⁹Sweep not a - way my soul, O LORD, With those who hate Your way;
¹²My feet will stand with con - fi - dence Up - on a lev - el place,

³Your love sur - rounds me; from Your truth My feet will nev - er stray.
 I go a - bout Your al - tar, LORD— The place You set a - part.
 Nor take a - way my life with those Who love to wound and slay.
 And in the peo - ple's gath - er - ing I'll praise the LORD of grace.