

Psalm 51

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Guitar chords for unison singing only.

1 Dm C Dm A D Dm Am G F

1. ¹ Be mer - ci - ful to me, O God; Your ten - der grace do now im - part.
2. You just - ly pass Your sen - tence down; Your blame - less judg - ment I as - sume.
3. ⁸ Now let me taste of joy a - gain; My wear - y bones ex - ult once more!
4. ¹² O Sav - ior, be my joy - ful help; Sus - tain me as you ev - er do.
5. ¹⁶ For You have shown no pleas - ure, Lord, In emp - ty sac - ri - fi - cial rite.

9 Bm Am G C D Dm F Am Dm

2 O cleanse me from my wick - ed - ness And pur - i - fy my sin - ful heart.
5 You know that I was guilt - y born, A sin - ner from my moth - er's womb.
9 O turn Your face from these mis - deeds And my in - iq - ui - ties ig - nore.
13 Your stat - utes I will teach to all, And sin - ners shall re - turn to You.
17 The off'r - ing which You ask is this: A Spir - it bro - ken and con - trite.

17 C F Dm G Dm G

3 Too well I know my man - y faults; They weigh up - on me con - stant - ly.
6 Yet You have probed my deep - est self, And wis - dom giv - en me to know.
10 Cre - ate in me a worth - y heart; A stead - fast spir - it in me hide,
14 De - liv - er me from death, O God, And I will sing Your right - eous ways.
18 Show fa - vor to Your cho - sen ones; Re - build the cit - y where You live,

25 C F Gm A C F Dm G C D

4 A - gainst You on - ly have I sinned, Of - fend - ing You most griev - ous - ly.
7 With hys - yop wash a - way my sins, And make me spot - less as the snow.
11 And cast me not a - way from You, Nor take Your Spir - it from my side.
15 O Lord, do op - en up my lips, And I will tell Your glor - ious praise.
19 That we may sac - ri - fice a - gain, And to You pro - per off - 'rings give.