

Psalm 51⁶

“A Pure Heart”

A RESPONSORIAL PSALM
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FOR LENT



Illustrated Manuscript of Ps. 51, 13th c.

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Ps. 51: 3-4, 12-13, 14-15 [35]

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Moderato ♩=100

Assembly

Choir

Instr. Bass: read staff

Fm Bb/D Eb^{sus} Eb Eb/D Ab/C F⁷/C G/B

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C⁷/Bb Eb⁷/Bb Ab⁹ Ab^{ma}7 Fm⁶ G G⁷ C(omit3)

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Verse 1, a little faster $\text{♩} = 112$

Cm Fm/C G^{7(b9)/B} Cm⁹ Cm

1. Have mer - cy, ten - der God, for - get that I de - fied you.

Ab^{ma7} B^{b7} Eb/G Ab/G Fm⁷ Db/F Cm⁶/Eb Fm⁶/D tacet C^(omit3) D.C.

Wash a-way, O wash a-way my sin, cleanse me from my guilt.

, a tempo

Verse 2 $\text{♩} = 112$

Cm Fm⁶/C G^{7(b9)/B} Cm⁹ Cm Ab^{ma7} B^{b7}

2. Cre - a - tor, re-shape my heart, God, stead-y my spi - rit. Do not, O

do not cast me a - side stripped of your ho - ly spir - it.

Ab/G Ab/G Fm⁷ Db/F Cm⁶/Eb Fm⁶/D tacet C^(omit3) D.C.

, a tempo

Ab/G Ab/G Fm⁷ Db/F Cm⁶/Eb Fm⁶/D tacet C^(omit3) D.C.

, a tempo

Verse 3 $\text{♩} = 112$

3. Save me, bring back my joy, sup - port me, strength - en my will. Then I will teach, O

then I will teach your way and sin - ners will re - turn to you.

Chords: C, F/C, C⁹, Cm, A^bma⁷, B^b⁷, Eb/G, Ab/G, Fm⁷, Db/F, Cm⁶/Eb a tempo, Fm⁶/D, C^(omit3), D.C.

Dynamic markings: tacet

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Moderate **Psalm 51⁶** *Robert M. Mondoy*

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1. Have mercy, tender God, forget that I defied you. Wash away, O wash away my sin, cleanse me from my guilt.
2. Creator, reshape my heart, God, steady my spirit. Do not cast, O do not cast me aside stripped of your holy spirit.
3. Save me, bring back my joy, support me, strengthen my will. Then I will teach, O then I will teach your way and sinners will return to you.