

# Gracious God, My Heart Renew

## PSALM 51

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Gra - cious God, my heart re-new, Make my spir-it  
Sin - ners then shall learn from me And return, O  
Not the for-mal sac - ri - fice Has ac-cept-ance  
Pros - per Zi - on in Thy grace And her bro-ken

right and true; Cast me not a-way from Thee,  
God, to Thee; Sav - ior, all my guilt re-move,  
in Thine eyes; Bro-ken hearts are in Thy sight  
walls re - place; Then our righteous sac - ri - fice

Let Thy Spir - it dwell in me; Thy sal - va - tion's  
And my tongue shall sing Thy love; Touch my si - lent  
More than sac - ri - fi - cial rite; Contrite spir-it,  
Shall de - light Thy ho - ly eyes; Free-will offerings,

joy im - part, Sted - fast make my will - ing heart.  
lips, O Lord, And my mouth shall praise ac - cord.  
plead-ing cries, Thou, O God, wilt not de - spise.  
glad - ly made, On Thine al - tar shall be laid.