

Psalm 51

True Repentance



1) David pleas for forgiveness (Psalm 51:1-2).



2) David confesses his sins (Psalm 51:3-6).



3) David appeals for cleansing and spiritual restoration (Psalm 51:7-12).



4) David vows to praise God and teach others His ways (Psalm 51:13-17).



1) We might deny we have done anything wrong.

2) We might try to blame someone else for what we have done.

3) We might attempt to justify our actions.



How David deals with his sin and a guilty conscience teaches us what we need to do after we recognize our sins.