

“Godly sorrow brings repentance that leads to salvation and leaves no regret, but worldly sorrow brings death.”  
2 Corinthians 7:10

### The Big Idea

When we’re truly \_\_\_\_\_, it will lead to \_\_\_\_\_.

“Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.”  
Psalm 51:1

God’s \_\_\_\_\_ makes sorry \_\_\_\_\_.

“Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin!<sup>3</sup> For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.”  
Psalm 51:2-3

Saying sorry requires \_\_\_\_\_ of my sin.

“Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment.”  
Psalm 51:4

Saying sorry requires \_\_\_\_\_ of my sin.

### Memory Verse

“If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.”  
1 John 1:9

God’s \_\_\_\_\_ is so much greater than my \_\_\_\_\_.

“Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.  
<sup>11</sup> Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me.”  
Psalm 51:10-11

### Bottom Line

Because of Jesus, I’m not just a forgiven sinner; I’m a new Spirit empowered person.

### Recommended Resources:

The Bible Project, @ Bibleproject.com. Psalms, (Kidner Classic Commentaries), by Derek Kidner

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### MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO . . .

- Memorize 1 John 1:9
- Trust Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior for the first time
- Ask God to make me aware of the areas in my life where I’m blind to my sin
- Make praying Psalm 51 a regular part of my spiritual rhythm
- Get the most out of this weekend’s teaching by participating in my Life Group this week