

Have Mercy On Me

(Psalm 51)

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Verse 1

Bb **D**
Lord I don't know what to say
Gm **Gm/F**
Covered head to toe in sin
Cm **F** **Bb**
Lord please forget about today

Verse 2

D
I've run away from what is right
Gm **Gm/F**
I'm a dirty, shameful man
Cm **F** **Gm** **Gm/F** **Gm/E** **Eb**
And it haunts me every day and every night

Pre-Chorus 1

Bb **C/Bb**
Who am I to be loved by You
Dm7 **C**
When I'm not worthy to call Your name
Fm
I've forgotten how to honour You
C#
I don't know how to live for You
Eb
And all I ever do is rebel against Your love

Chorus 1

Ab **Eb**
Have mercy on me
Bbm **Eb**
Almighty God of compassion and unfailing love
Ab **Eb**
Wash away my sin
Bbm
Remove the stain of my guilt, Lord
Eb
Purify me
C# **F#**
Let me see joy and gladness
Eb/G **Ab** **Eb/G** **Fm**
Let the bones You have crushed rejoice
Eb **Eb/F** **Bb** **Eb**
Have mercy on me

Verse 3

Bb **D**
Yet another wasted day
Gm **Gm/F**
A million ways to praise
Cm **F** **Bb**
But I throw each opportunity away

Verse 4

D
No love, no passion inside me
Gm **Gm/F**
My lifestyle makes a mockery
Cm **F** **Gm** **Gm/F** **Gm/E** **Eb**
Of my Lord God who died upon a tree

Pre-Chorus 2

Bb **C/Bb**
Jesus why do You call for me?
Dm7 **C**
Jesus why did You die for Me?
Fm
I crucify You every day
C#
I push You ever far away
Eb
Oh why do You still love me Lord, I don't deserve Your grace

Chorus 2

Ab **Eb**
Have mercy on me
Bbm **Eb**
Almighty God of compassion and unfailing love
Ab **Eb**
Wash away my sin
Bbm
Remove the stain of my guilt, Lord
Eb
Purify me
C# **F#**
Let me see joy and gladness
Eb/G **Ab** **Eb/G** **Fm**
Let the bones You have crushed rejoice
Eb **Eb/F** **Bb** **Eb/F**
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