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# How To Move Forward From a Bad Decision

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## 2 Samuel 11:2-5

***2 One evening David got up from his bed and walked around on the roof of the palace. From the roof he saw a woman bathing. The woman was very beautiful,***

***3 and David sent someone to find out about her. The man said, "Isn't this Bathsheba***





## 2 Samuel 11:2-5

*the daughter of Eliam and the wife of Uriah the Hittite?"*

*<sup>4</sup> Then David sent messengers to get her. She came to him, and he slept with her... Then she went back home. <sup>5</sup> The woman conceived and sent word to David, saying, "I am pregnant."*





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# Psalm 51

**Prayer #1: Cleanse Me.**





## **Psalm 51:1-2**

***<sup>1</sup> Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions.***

***<sup>2</sup> Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.***





## **Psalm 51:3-4**

***3 For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me.***

***4 Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight; so you are right in your verdict and justified when you judge.***





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## **Psalm 51:7**

***7 Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean;  
wash me, and I will be whiter than snow.***





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**Prayer #2: Restore Me.**





## **Psalm 51:8-10**

***8 Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones you have crushed rejoice.***

***9 Hide your face from my sins and blot out all my iniquity.***

***10 Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.***





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## **Psalm 51:11-12**

***11 Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me.***

***12 Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.***





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**Prayer #3: Use me.**





## **Psalm 51:13-15**

***13 Then I will teach transgressors your ways, so that sinners will turn back to you.***

***14 Deliver me from the guilt of bloodshed, O God, you who are God my Savior, and my tongue will sing of your righteousness.***

***15 Open my lips, Lord, and my mouth will declare your praise.***





## **Psalm 51:16-17**

***16 You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would bring it; you do not take pleasure in burnt offerings.***

***17 The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.***





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Who Am I, That you would love me so gently?

Who Am I, That you would recognize my name?

Who Am I, That you would speak to me  
so softly?

Conversation with the Lord most high.

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# Who Am I?

Oh Amazing Grace how sweet the sound,  
That saved a wretch like me. I once was lost,  
But now I'm found. Was blind, But now I see.  
And the more I sing that sweet old song, The  
more I understand. That I do not comprehend  
this love that's coming from your hand.





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Grace, grace. God's grace.

Grace that will pardon, and cleanse within.

Grace, grace. God's great grace.

Grace that is greater than all my sin.

