Be gracious to me, O God, according to Your lovingkindness; according to the greatness of Your compassion blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against You, You only, I have sinned and done what is evil in Your sight, so that You are justified when You speak and blameless when You judge. Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, and in sin my mother conceived me. Behold, You desire truth in the innermost being, and in the hidden part You will make me know wisdom.

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me away from Your presence and do not take Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of Your salvation and sustain me with a willing spirit. Then I will teach transgressors Your ways, and sinners will be converted to You.

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“Repent and return that times of refreshing may come.” (Acts 3:19)

Why are we here?
Intruding on a man’s agony – brokenness and rebirth
Infidelity and murder
Spirit and “spiritual”
Hard and honest conversation with God

Agree with God
- God’s character
- Sin’s damage
- Personal responsibility

Ask God

Works theology?
“Buy from me white garments” (Revelation 3:18)

“IF we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive and cleanse.”
(1 John 1:9)