

## 142. A Penitent's Plea

1. God be mer - ci - ful to me, On Thy grace I rest my plea; Plen-teous  
 2. I am e - vil, born in sin; Thou de - sire - eth truth with - in. Thou a -  
 3. Gra - cious God, my heart re - new, Make my spi - rit right and true; Cast me  
 4. Sin - ners then shall learn from me And re - turn, O God, to Thee; Sa - viour

in ... com - pas - sion Thou, Blot out my ... trans - gres - sions now; Wash me,  
 lone ... my Sa - viour art, Teach Thy wis - dom to my heart; Make me  
 not ... a - way from Thee, Let Thy Spi - rit dwell in me; Thy sal -  
 all ... my guilt re - move, And my tongue shall sing Thy love; Touch my

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