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Books of Poetry

"But you desire honesty from the heart, so you can teach me to be wise in my inmost being. Purify me from my sins, and I will be clean; wash me, and I will be whiter than snow. Oh, give me back my joy again; you have broken me – now let me rejoice. Don't keep looking at my sins. Remove the stain of my guilt." Psalm 51:6-9 NLT

How very deep is the stain of sin! Even the smallest or seemingly innocuous sins of youth may leave a permanent stain unremoveable by the deeds or attempts of man! It is often asked, "Will not a loving God merely wink at such indiscretions? "Is there no room for lesser sins" – or "Should we even call them simply misbehavior or a trivial flaw or inescapable weakness? Maybe it was a blunder, but don't call it a sin! How can we even compare such minor failings to the atrocities we regularly hear of today?"

But you see, once again we find ourselves making a judgment based upon what we can see and perceive within the heart and mind of man – both of which are utterly deceitful. We must learn to see from the perspective of an omniscient God!

The truth is, "all have sinned and come short of the glory of God." (Romans 3:23). The truth is, "without the shedding of blood there is no remission of sin." (Hebrew 9:22) The truth is, to reject the Son is to reject the One Who has sent Him. (John 3:36; 5:22-23).

There is only one stain remover that can restore and make new! There is only one way to experience the joy of redemption. There is only one thing that will cause God to no longer see our sins! It is the precious Blood of Jesus Christ – the Lamb of God slain for you!

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Alleluia!

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