

Have Mercy, Lord, on Us

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1. Have mer - cy, Lord, on us, for you are ev - er kind;
2. Lord, wash a - way our guilt, and cleanse us from our sin;
3. A - gainst you, Lord, a - lone, and on - ly in your sight
4. Blot out our man - y sins, re - move them from your view:
5. The joy your grace can give let us a - gain ob - tain,

1. though we have sinned be - fore you, Lord, your mer - cy let us find.
2. for we con - fess our wrongs, and see how great our guilt has been.
3. have we trans-gressed; we stand con-demned: your word is just and right.
4. clean hearts cre - ate for us, O God; our spir - its now re - new.
5. and may your Spir - it's strong sup - port our con - trite hearts sus - tain.

Inspiration: Psalm 51 (50).
Lyrics: 66.86; Nahum Tate, 1652-1715, and Nicholas Brady, 1659-1726, fr. "A New Version of the Psalms of David", 1698.
Music: SOUTHWELL; fr. Willem Damon's "Psalmes", 1579.