

"The Sinner's Guide to Forgiveness"

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* King David experienced the cleansing of God; And so can you! How?

I. **DAVID APPEALED TO THE MERCY OF GOD FOR CLEANSING (v. 1)**
(The Basis for God's Cleansing)

A. GOD IS A GOD OF LOYAL LOVE

B. GOD IS A GOD OF TENDER COMPASSION

II. **DAVID ADMITTED HIS DESPERATE NEED FOR CLEANSING (v. 2-6)**
(The Need for God's Cleansing)

A. DAVID FACED HIS SIN SERIOUSLY (V. 2)

B. DAVID FACED HIS SIN HONESTLY (V. 3)

C. DAVID FACED HIS SIN HUMBLY (V. 4-6)

III. **DAVID SURRENDERED HIMSELF TOTALLY TO GOD FOR CLEANSING
(v. 7-12)** (The Effectiveness of God's Cleansing)

IV. **DAVID DESIRED RESTORED USEFULNESS AFTER BEING CLEANSED
(v.13-19)**

(The Results of God's Cleansing)

A. ONLY THE CLEANSED MAN CAN GIVE TESTIMONIES THAT MAGNIFY
GOD (v. 13-15)

B. ONLY THE CLEANSED MAN CAN GIVE SACRIFICES THAT PLEASE
GOD (v. 16-19)