

## A Heart of Brokenness

### Psalm 51

*The greatest worship that we can offer to God are the sacrifices a broken spirit, a broken and a contrite heart (Ps 51:17).*

- I. A heart of brokenness asks God for \_\_\_\_\_ (1).
  
- II. A heart of brokenness asks God for \_\_\_\_\_ (2-10).
  - A. My sin \_\_\_\_\_ (3)
  - B. My sin \_\_\_\_\_ (4)
  - C. My sin \_\_\_\_\_ (4)
  - D. My sin \_\_\_\_\_ (5)
  - E. My sin \_\_\_\_\_ (6)
  
- III. A heart of brokenness asks God for \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. Give me \_\_\_\_\_ (8, 12)
  - B. Give me \_\_\_\_\_ (10)
  - C. Give me \_\_\_\_\_ (11)
  - D. Give me \_\_\_\_\_ (15-17)

All gracious affections [feelings, emotions, attitudes] that are a sweet [aroma] to Christ . . . are brokenhearted affections. A truly Christian love, either to God or men, is a humble brokenhearted love. The desires of the saints, however earnest, are humble desires: their hope is a humble hope; and their joy, even when it is unspeakable, and full of glory, is a humble brokenhearted joy.

- Jonathan Edwards