

for the Lutheran Choir of Chicago, Illinois

Have Mercy on Me, O God

for SATB a cappella

Psalms 51:1a, 2, 7, 9, 13, NRSV*

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p $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 56$

Soprano
Have mer - cy on me, O God, have mer - cy, O

Alto
Have mer - cy on me, have *p*

Tenor
Have

Bass
Have

p $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 56$
for rehearsal only

3
God, have mer - cy, O God, O
mer - cy on me, have mer - cy, O God, O
mer - cy on me, have mer - cy on me, O God, O
p Have mer - cy on me, O God, have

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God, have

God, have mer - cy on me, O

God, have mer - cy on me, have mer - cy, O

mer - cy on me, O God, on me, have mer - cy, O

9

gradually slowing **pp**

mer - cy on me, O God, O God.

gradually slowing **pp**

God, have mer - cy, O God.

gradually slowing **pp**

God, have mer - cy, O God.

gradually slowing **pp**

God, have mer - cy, O God.

gradually slowing **pp**

Somewhat faster

12 Soprano *mp*

Alto

Tenor *mp*

Bass

Wash me thor - ough - ly from my in - i - qui - ty, and

16

mf

cleanse me from my sin. Purge me with

mf

20

f

hys - sop, and I shall be whit - er than snow,

f

24

pp

pp

gradually slowing

I shall be whit - er

gradually slowing

28 **Soprano** **Tempo I** *p*
 Have mer - cy on me, O

Alto *p*
 than snow. Have

Tenor
 than snow.

Bass
 than snow.

Piano **Tempo I** *p*

31
 God, have mer-cy, O God, have mer - cy, O

mer - cy on me, have mer - cy on me, have mer - cy, O

p
 Have mer - cy on me, have mer - cy on me, O

p
 Have mer - cy on me, O

Piano

34

God, have mercy, God, have mercy, O
 God, have mercy, God, have mercy, O
 God, have mercy, O
 God, have mercy, O

37

gradually slowing *pp*
 mer - cy on me, O God, O God.
gradually slowing *pp*
 God, have mer - cy, O God.
gradually slowing *pp*
 God, have mer - cy, O God.
gradually slowing *pp*
 God, have mer - cy, O God.

40 *mf* Soprano
Alto
Tenor *mf*
Bass

Hide thy face from my sins, and blot out
your

44 *p*, *mf* Then will I
p, *mf*

all my in - i - qui - ties. Then will I

48

teach trans - gres - sors thy ways, and sin - ners will re -
your

52 *f*, *mf* re - turn to
f, *mf*

turn, will re - turn to

56 **Tempo I** *p*

thee.
you. Have mer - cy on me, O God, have mer - cy, O

thee.
you. Have mer - cy on me, have

thee.
you. Have

thee.
you. **Tempo I**

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God, have mer - cy, O God, O

mer - cy on me, have mer - cy, O God, O

mer - cy on me, have mer - cy on me, O God, O

Have mer - cy on me, O God, have

