

“Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions. Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me.”

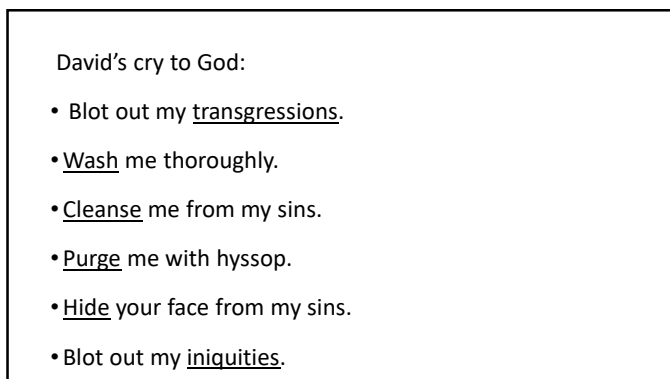
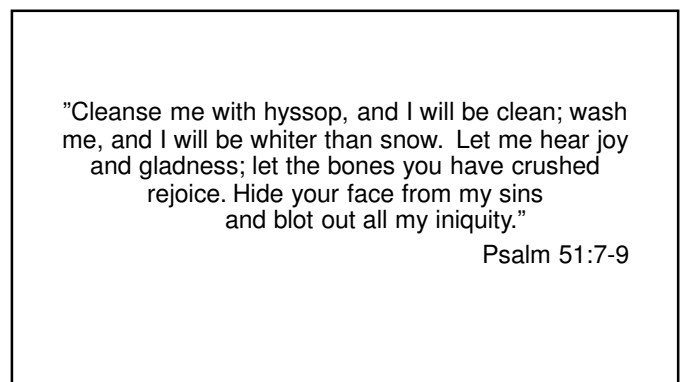
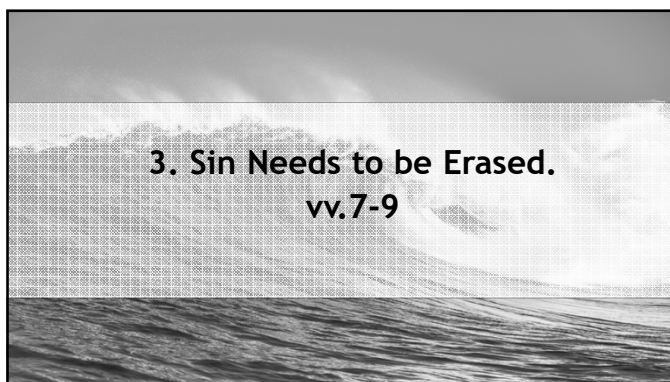
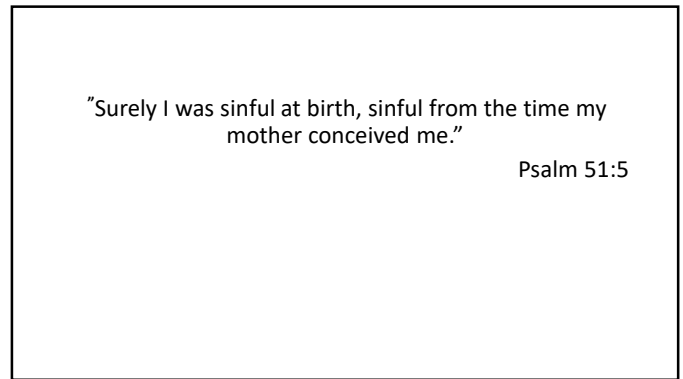
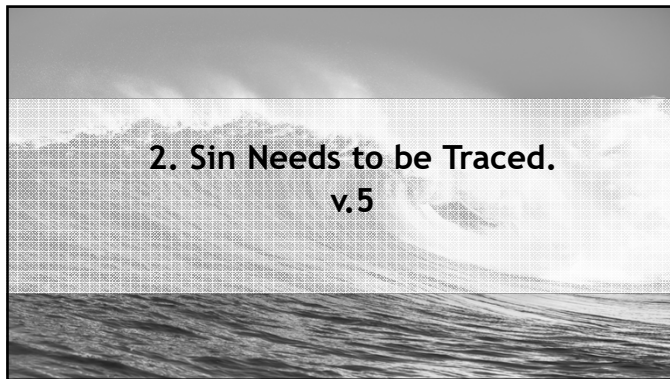
**Psalm 51:1-3**

Three words to describe it.

- Transgressions
- Iniquity
- Sin

If we don't face our sin we must either:

- Ignore It
- Deny It
- Suppress It
- Rationalize It
- Compare It



Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me. Then I will teach transgressors your ways, so that sinners will turn back to you.”

**Psalm 51:10-13**

He prays that God will replace his sin with:

- Joy
- Freshness of the Holy Spirit.
- A renewed opportunity to have Godly influence again.