

# WASH ME CLEAN

♩ REFRAIN (♩ = ca. 92)

Melody

Keyboard

Give me a clean heart, O God, a steadfast spirit

Chords: Eb, Fm/Eb, Eb, Bb, Eb, Fm/Eb, Eb

for love. Give me a joyful, willing heart; wash me clean,

Chords: Bb, Eb, Cm, Cm7/G, Ab, Bb, Ab, Ab/Bb

wash me clean.

Chords: Eb, Gm/Eb, Ab/Eb, Ab/Bb, Eb, 1-3, Ab/Eb, Eb, Final, Ab/Eb, Eb

1-3 to Verses Final rit. Fine

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VERSES: Cantor

[Eb] Cm Ab

1. When I stum-ble and fall, \_\_\_\_\_ when I  
 2. When I fail \_\_\_ to wel - come, \_\_\_\_\_ when my

[Eb] Cm Ab

3. Give me pu - ri - ty of heart, \_\_\_\_\_ a

Cm Ab

1. fail to for - give, \_\_\_\_\_ when I give way to  
 2. words are a lie, \_\_\_\_\_ when my heart is \_\_\_\_\_

Cm Ab

3. rev-'rence for ev - 'ry liv - ing thing, \_\_\_\_\_ sim - pli - ci - ty \_\_\_\_\_ in

Chords: Eb Ab Bb Cm/Bb Bb

1. an - ger, \_\_\_\_\_ wash me clean! \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. pride-ful and cold, \_\_\_\_\_ wash me clean! \_\_\_\_\_

Chords: Eb Ab Bb Cm/Bb Bb

3. all the ways \_\_\_\_\_ of the world. \_\_\_\_\_ Wash me clean! \_\_\_\_\_

Chords: Cm Ab Bb Eb

1. Free me from mis - trust, \_\_\_\_\_ from big - ot - ry and ha - tred, \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. When tempt-ed and \_\_\_\_\_ weak, \_\_\_\_\_ when sin - ful and \_\_\_\_\_ self - ish, \_\_\_\_\_

Chords: Cm Ab Bb Eb

3. Teach me to lis - ten \_\_\_\_\_ to cries for com - pas - sion. \_\_\_\_\_

F7 Eb/Bb Ab

free me from re - sent - ment, \_\_\_\_\_  
 free me from the dark - ness of my shame,

F7 Eb/Bb Ab

Make me an in - stru - ment of your peace, -

The first system of the musical score consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal line in treble clef with a key signature of two flats (Bb, Eb) and a common time signature. It features a melodic line with a long note on 'ment,' followed by a phrase 'free me from the dark - ness of my shame,'. The second staff is another vocal line, similar to the first, with the lyrics 'Make me an in - stru - ment of your peace, -'. The third staff is a piano accompaniment in grand staff (treble and bass clefs), providing harmonic support with chords and moving lines. Chord symbols F7, Eb/Bb, and Ab are placed above the vocal staves.

Bb Eb Fm/Eb D.S.

1-2. Lord, in your mer - cy! \_\_\_\_\_ Give me a clean \_\_\_\_\_

Bb Eb Fm/Eb D.S. al fine

3. Lord, in your mer - cy! \_\_\_\_\_ Give me a clean \_\_\_\_\_

D.S.

The second system of the musical score continues with three staves. The top staff is a vocal line with lyrics '1-2. Lord, in your mer - cy!' followed by a long note and then 'Give me a clean \_\_\_\_\_'. The second staff is another vocal line with lyrics '3. Lord, in your mer - cy!' followed by a long note and then 'Give me a clean \_\_\_\_\_'. The third staff is a piano accompaniment in grand staff. Chord symbols Bb, Eb, and Fm/Eb are placed above the vocal staves. Performance markings 'All', 'D.S.', and 'D.S. al fine' are present. A large 'Preview' watermark is overlaid on the page.