

(Topics, Lead-in, and Lead-in Devotional Reading below)

# Lord, I Repent

Psalm 51:1-3; Matthew 3:2, 8; Mark 1:4; Luke 3:2-14;  
John 8:34-36; Hebrews 12:4-11; 2 Peter 3:9; 1 John 1:9

♩ = 84

F Dm  $\frac{B\flat}{D}$  B $\flat$ M7 B $\flat$ 6 Gm7  $\frac{Gm7}{D}$  C B $\flat$ 6  $\frac{GmB\flat M7}{C}$   $\frac{C^7_{sus}}{C}$  F $_{sus}$  F  $\frac{Gm7}{F}$

1. Lov - ing God, You come to me, Not to bind, but to set me free.  
2. Still You tell me when I'm wrong, Not to hurt, but to keep me strong.

F  $\frac{Am}{E}$  Dm  $\frac{B\flat}{D}$  B $\flat$ M7 B $\flat$ 6 Gm7  $\frac{Gm7}{D}$  C7 Gm  $\frac{GmB\flat M7}{C}$   $\frac{C^7_{sus}}{C}$  F $_{sus}$  F  $\frac{Gm7}{F}$

Hum - bly I con - fess my need. Help me, Lord! Set me free in - deed!  
Make me, Lord, all I can be! Form the beau - ty of Christ in me!

## Refrain

F  $\frac{B\flat}{F}$  F C $_{sus}$   $\frac{C_{sus}}{G}$  C  $\frac{C}{B\flat}$  Gm11  $\frac{B\flat}{C}$   $\frac{Am}{C}$   $\frac{C^7_{sus}}{F}$  F $_{sus}$  F Gm9

Lord, I re - pent. Trust - ing, I turn a - round,

$\frac{E}{A}$   $\frac{E}{C}$   $\frac{B\flat}{D}$   $\frac{E}{C}$  C $_{sus}$   $\frac{C_{sus}}{G}$  C Gm7 C $^{13}$  C7 F

In all I do Now walk - ing with You.

WORDS: Ken Bible  
MUSIC: Traditional Folk Tune and Ken Bible

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TOPICS: Advent; Lent-Easter; Living in Christ; Repentance & Forgiveness

LEAD-IN: *“Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand...Bear fruit in keeping with repentance.”* (Matthew 3:2, 8, NASB)

LEAD-IN DEVOTIONAL READING:

## Repent

God, You call us to Yourself.  
You call us

    out of our sin,  
    out of our wandering  
and into  
    a better life,  
    a richer life,  
    an abundant life,  
    an eternal life in You.

You clearly call us to repent,  
    to change our direction,  
    to change what we think,  
    to change what we do.

This was the call of John the Baptist,  
    the call of Jesus as He walked this earth,  
    the call of the early church,  
    the call of the glorified Christ as He walks among us today.

Their call has always been the same:  
    Repent!  
    Your whole future depends on it!  
    Turn around!  
    Decide to change!

This was Your call when You first came to us,  
    lost in our sin.  
This is Your call every time You come to us now,  
    every time Your love has something better for us.  
You come saying:  
    Repent!  
    Change your thinking!  
    Change your doing!  
    Prepare yourself for a blessing!

Father, thank You for the precious gift and  
    the glorious possibility of  
    repentance.  
I embrace it.  
I repent.  
I am ready to change.  
I am ready to receive all that You have for me.  
Show me what You want me to do, and  
    by Your help,  
    I will do it.