

# Two Canticles for Lent

## Create in Me a Clean Heart

Unison Voices and Piano

Psalm 51:10–12

Thomas Keesecker

Chant-like, freely (♩ = ca. 58–63)

*Solo or section*

*mp*

Unison Voices

Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re-new a right

4

spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence, and

7

take not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re-store to me the

10

joy of your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me with your free - Spir - it.

14

*mf* *expressively*

Text: Psalm 51:10–12, *American King James Version*

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17

21 *All mf*

Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O

24

God, and re - new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -

27 *ten*

way - from your pres - ence, and take - not your Ho - ly Spir - it - from -

30

me. Re - store to me the

33

joy of your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me with your free Spir -

36

it.

39

*rit. al fine* *pp* A - men.

*dim. e rit. al fine* *pp*

# Out of the Depths

Unison Voices\* and Piano, with opt. Guitar

Psalms 130

Thomas Keesecker

♩ = ca. 60–66

*Solo, freely* **mp**  
*poco rit.* *a tempo*

Unison Voices

1. Out of the depths I call to you!

*mp* *poco rit.* *a tempo*

*With pedal*

5

Out of the depths I call to you! Out of the depths I call to you!

*Part I (Women)*  
**mf**

9

Out of the depths I call to you! 2. Lord, hear my voice; I cry for help!

**mf**

\*May be sung by Unison Voices or Two-Part Voices in any combination, with or without Solo Voice.

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Lord, hear my voice; I cry for help! Lord, hear my voice; I cry for help!

Bm A Em Bm Bm F#m Em F#m

17

Lord, hear my voice; I cry for help! 3. Wait - ing in hope, I long for you!

Bm Em/G F#m7 Bm Bm G A Bm *smile*

*mf expressive*

21

Wait - ing in hope, I long for you! Wait - ing in hope, I long for you!

Bm A Em Bm Bm F#m Em F#m

25

Wait - ing in hope, I long for you! 4. Par - don our sins; have mer - cy, Lord!

Bm Em G F#m7 Bm Bm G A Bm

*All f*

29

Par - don our sins; have mer - cy, Lord! Par - don our sins; have mer - cy, Lord!

Bm A Em Bm Bm F#m Em F#m

33 *decesc.* *rit.* *mp* *a tempo*  
Part I (Women)

Par - don our sins; have mer - cy, Lord! 5. Re - deem us, Lord, with stead - fast love.

Bm Em/G F#m7 Bm Bm G A Bm

*decesc.* *rit.* *mp* *a tempo*

37 Part II (Men) All

Re - deem us, Lord, with stead - fast love. Re - deem us, Lord, with stead - fast love.

Bm A Em Bm Bm F#m Em F#m

41 *rit.* *Slower* (♩ = ♪) *Solo, freely* *ten.*

Re - deem us, Lord, with stead - fast love. Re - deem us, Lord, with stead - fast love.

Bm Em/G F#m7 Gmaj7 Bm Em/G F#m7 Bm

*rit.* *ten.*