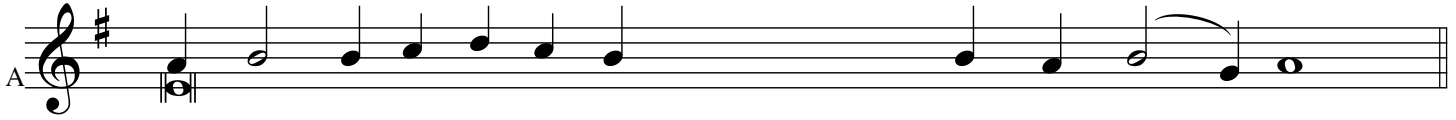


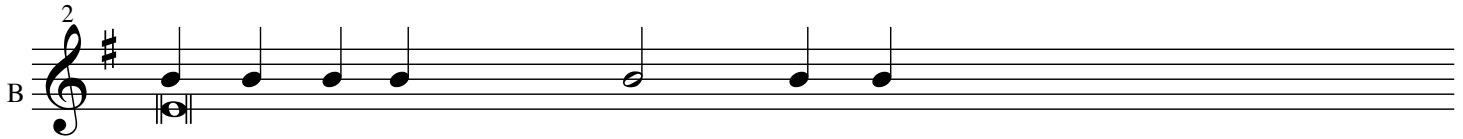
Psalm 50

Valaam Chant Tone 1
adaptation by
Monk Martin

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held throughout on a neutral vowel



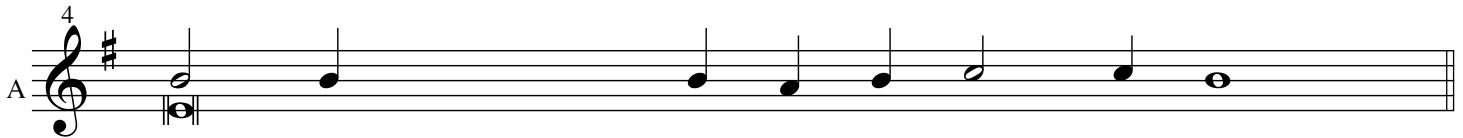
Have mer - cy on me, O God, ac - cord - ing to Thy great mer - cy,



and ac - cord - ing to the mul - ti - tude of Thy com - pas - sions



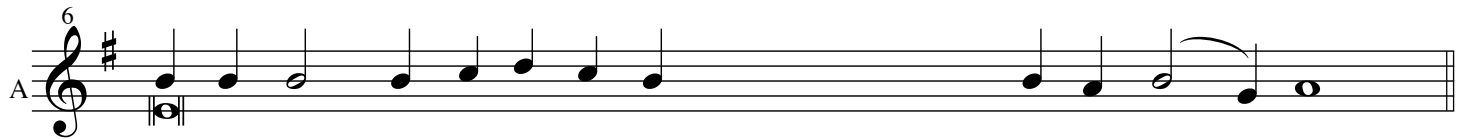
blot out my trans - gres - - - sion.



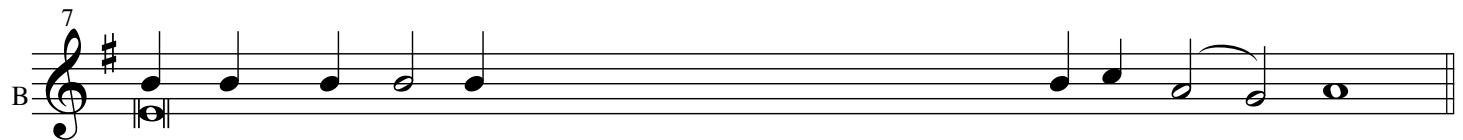
Wash me tho - ough - ly from mine in - i - qui - ty,



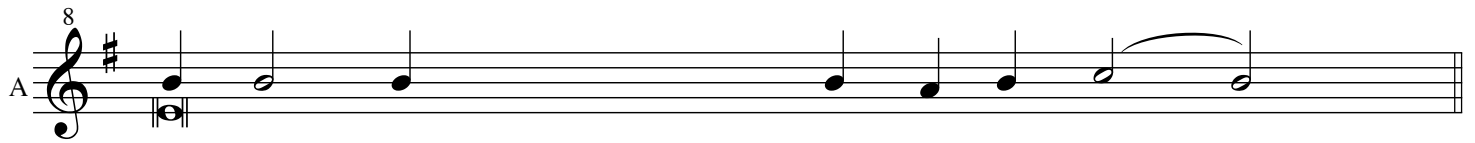
and cleanse me from my sin.



For I know mine i - ni - qui - ty and my sin is ev - er be - fore me.



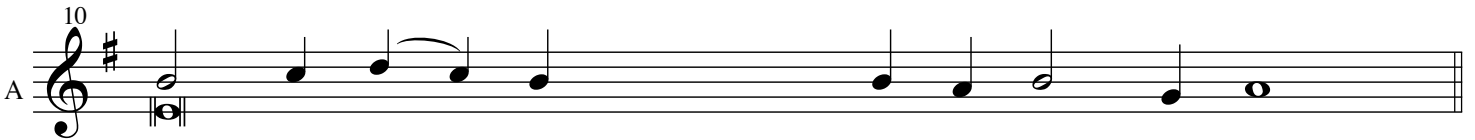
A - gainst Thee on - ly have I sinned and done this ev - il be - fore Thee,

8
A 

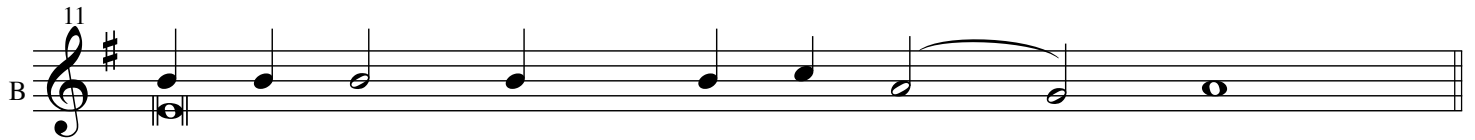
that Thou might - est be just - i - fied in Thy words,

9
B 

and pre - vail when Thou art judged.

10
A 

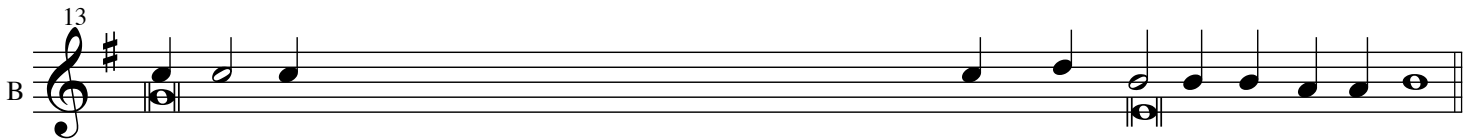
For be - hold, I was con - ceived in i - ni - qui - ties,

11
B 

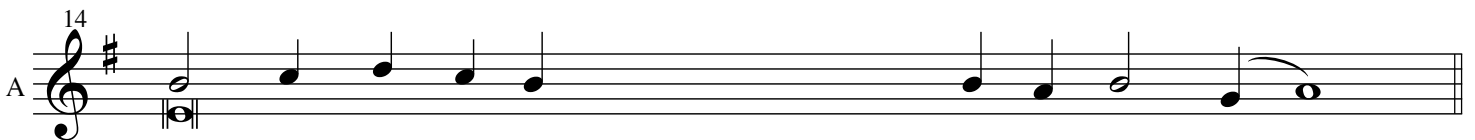
and in sins did my mo - ther bear me.

12
A 

For be - hold, Thou hast loved truth;

13
B 

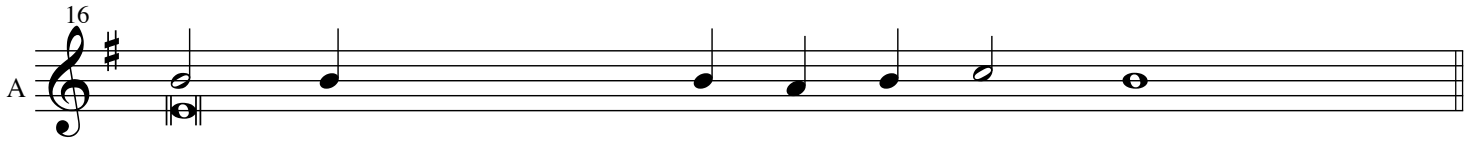
the hid - den and se - cret things of Thy wis - dom has Thou made ma - ni - fest un - to me.

14
A 

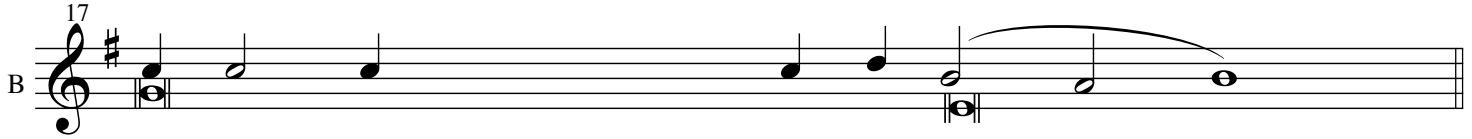
Thou shalt sprin - kle me with hys - sop, and I shall be made clean;

15
B 

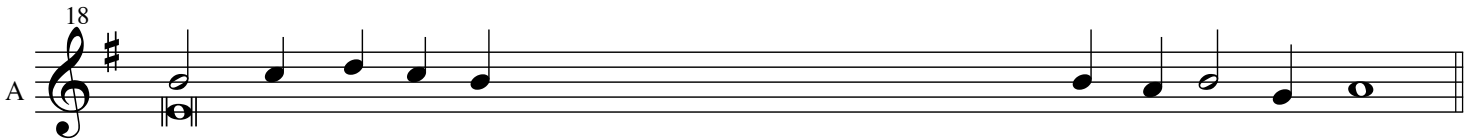
Thou shalt wash me, and I shall be made whit - er than snow.

16
A 

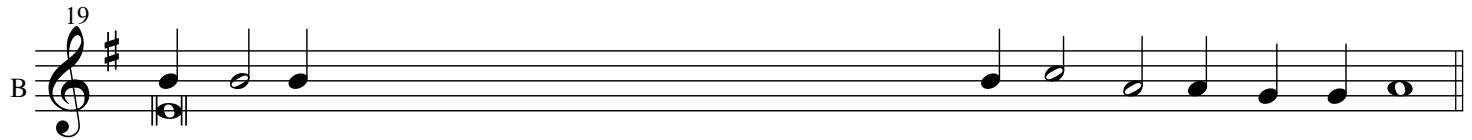
Thou shalt make me to hear joy and glad - ness;

17
B 

the bones that be hum - bled, they shall re - joice.

18
A 

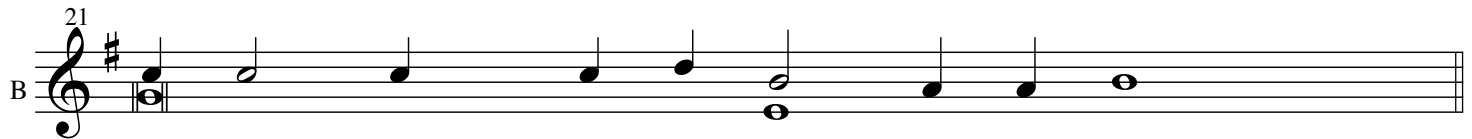
Turn Thy face a - way from my sins, and blot out all mine in - i - qui - ties.

19
B 

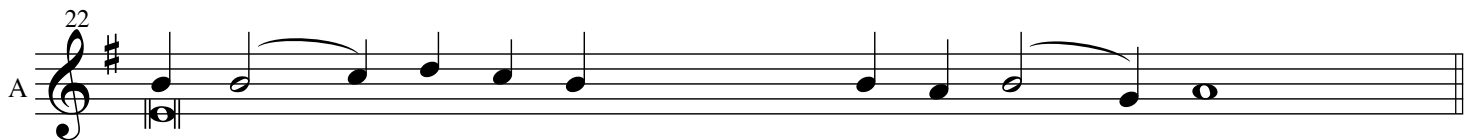
Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re - new a right spi - rit with - in me.

20
A 

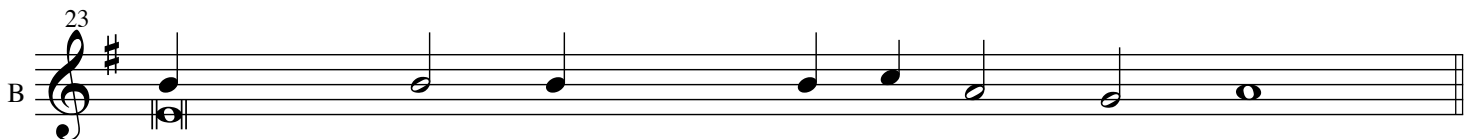
Cast me not a - way from Thy pre - sence,

21
B 

and take not Thy Ho - ly Spi - rit from me.

22
A 

Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va - tion,

23
B 

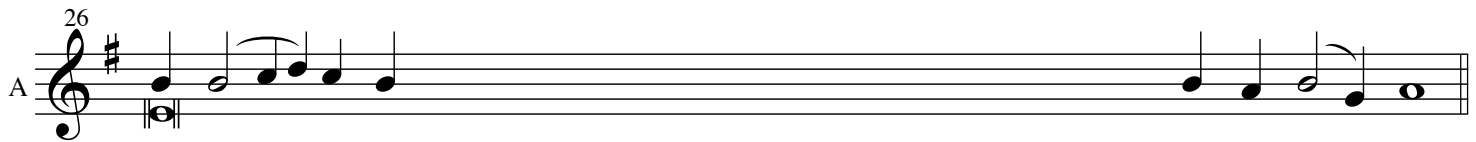
and with Thy gov - ern - ing Spi - rit es - tab - lish me.

24
A 

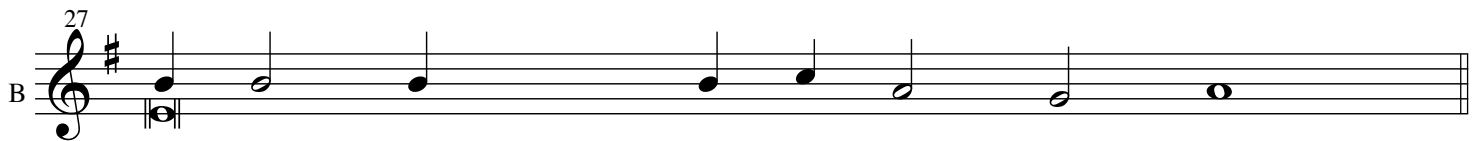
I shall teach trans - gres - sors Thy ways,

25
B 

and the un - god - ly shall turn back un - to Thee.

26
A 

De - liv - er me from blood - guilt - i - ness, O God, Thou God of my sal - va - tion;

27
B 

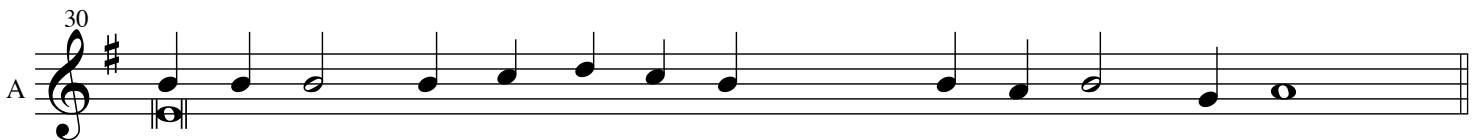
my tongue shall re - joice in Thy right - eous - ness.

28
A 

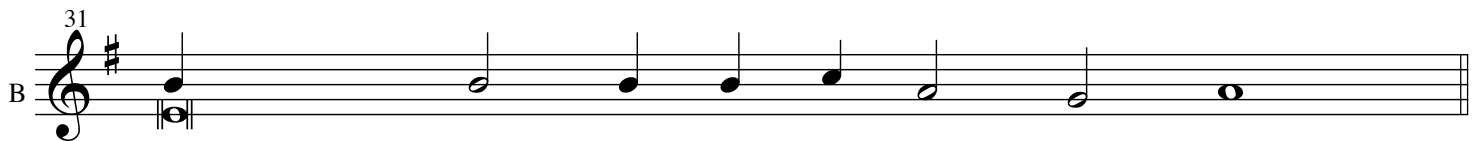
O Lord, Thou shalt o - pen my lips,

29
B 

and my mouth shall de - clare Thy praise.

30
A 

For if Thou hadst de - sired sa - cri - fice, I had giv - en it;

31
B 

with whole burnt off' - rings Thou shalt not be pleased.

32

A

A sac - ri - fice un - to God is a bro - ken spi - rit;

33

B

a heart that is bro - ken and hum - bled God will not des - pise.

34

A

Do good O Lord, in Thy good plea - sure un - to Si - on,

35

B

and let the walls of Je - ru - sa - lem be build - ded.

36

A

Then shalt Thou be pleased with a sac - ri - fice of right - eous - ness,

37

B

with ob - la - tion and whole - burnt of - fer - ings.

38 *All together, slowly & deliberately*

A

Then shall they of - fer bul - locks up - on thine al - tar.

Note: On last line, all sing the words