



What was the song of the Sirens like?

“All the things you wanted to be and then all the things you wished you never wished for...

...And what you most can't have is what you already had—
And Lost!”

shame, guilt & grace

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Guilt and Shame and “Whiter than Snow”

Psalm 51

Addressing our guilt/redressing our shame

Face it

*For I know my transgressions,
and my sin is always before me. (51:3)*

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Own it

*Against you, you only, have I sinned
and done what is evil in your sight;
so you are right in your verdict
and justified when you judge. (51:4)*

Desiring real change/Believing God's heart Want it

*Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean;
wash me, and I will be whiter than snow. (51:7)*

*Create in me a pure heart, O God,
and renew a steadfast spirit within me. (51:10)*

Desiring real change/Believing God's heart

Want it

Trust him

*You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would bring it;
you do not take pleasure in burnt offerings.*

*My sacrifice, O God, is a broken spirit;
a broken and contrite heart*

you, God, will not despise. (51:16–17)

it's time to

ask
anything

