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**Repentance and Forgiveness**

Psalm 51

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1. Read II Samuel 11,12 where the story of David's grievous sin is recorded. Write down any insights concerning the downward spiral of sin in David's life:

2. Read Psalm 51 and write down every phrase David uses seeking God's intervention – ex. "Have mercy on me, O God" (51:1). There are over a dozen phrases!

3. Write down any principles of repentance and forgiveness from your time in Psalm 51 that God would want you to apply to your own life:

4. Psalm 32 was written after David repented to God (Psalm 51) and received forgiveness. Meditate on Psalm 32 and write down every blessing that follows authentic repentance and God's thorough forgiveness:

Connection Card Next Steps: Memorize Psalm 51:1-4

I desire to be right with God by admitting I am a sinner and by believing/trusting in Jesus' finished work on the cross for the forgiveness of my sins.

I want to share my salvation story with someone who needs to be redeemed/restored by God; please pray that I would be courageous to share and that God would give me an opportunity.