

# PARCE DOMINE/SPARE YOUR PEOPLE, LORD

## Refrain

Par - ce Dó - mi - ne, par - ce pó - pu - lo tu - o: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Spare your peo - ple, Lord, spare your peo - ple in your lov - ing kind - ness!

ne in ae - tér - num i - ra - scá - ris no - bis. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Show us your mer - cy; we have sinned a - gainst you, Lord.

## Verses: Unison Choir or solo

1. Have mercy on me, God, in your good - ness; \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. For I know my of - fense; \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. A clean heart create for me, God; \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Restore my joy in your sal - va - tion; \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. For you do not de - sire sac - ri - fice; \_\_\_\_\_

1. In your abundant compassion blot out my of - fense. \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. My sin is always be - fore me. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Renew in me a stead - fast spir - it. \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Sustain in me a will - ing spir - it. \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. A burnt offering you would not ac - cept. \_\_\_\_\_

1. Wash away all my guilt; \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Against you alone have I sinned; \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Do not drive me from your pres - ence \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Lord, open my lips; \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. My sacrifice, God, is a bro - ken spir - it; \_\_\_\_\_

1. From my sin cleanse me. \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. I have done such evil in your sight. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Nor take from me your ho - ly spir - it. \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. My mouth will proclaim your praise. \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. God, do not spurn a broken, hum - bled heart. \_\_\_\_\_

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