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rateful Sinner, who, having many Ways most rievoully offended thee, purpole, through thy Grace, to fly to this Sacrament for my Remedy; nd, in Obedience to thy divine Ordinance, conlefs my Sins to thy Servant, hoping thereby, hat, according as thou hast promised, I shall ecceive a full and perfect Absolution from all my Sins.

Give me Grace therefore, O Lord, that as of hy Goodnefs thou hast inspired into my Heart his holy Refolution, fo I may with due Reveence, Contrition, and Sincerity, accomplish what I have purposed, to the Glory of thy holy Name, and the full Remission of all my Sins. Open the Secrets of my Soul to me, O Lord, and make me know all my Sins and Iniquities: Give me a perfect Sorrow and hearty Contrition for them, and Grace to confess them to my spiitual Physician plainly and entirely, fincerely and penitently, with a firm and conftant Refolution to endeavour the Amendment of my Life for the future.

O Lord my gracious God, the only Comfort of my Soul, fince thou defireft that in all Things I should fincerely ferve thee, and I, thro' thy Grace, defire nothing more than to perform thy Will: How comes it to pais, O Lord, that I till offend thee ? How comes it to pais that I elapfe fo often into my former Follies? Thy me, an Grace is not wanting : What then can it be attributed