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From one so great

Prayer for Holy Week

Messiah I come,
Brought to my knees by astonishing grace.
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From one so great
What can I do but kneel and praise?

Messiah I come,
Challenged to bow to the King who kneels.
I want to pour out mercy and bring tender healing,
But I am proud, judgemental, and self-absorbed
And you are the only one who can lead me to first-becoming-last greatness.

I would wash and serve, wash and love,
Like you do.
But first Lord Jesus,
Wash my feet, cleanse my heart
Till I am - like you -
Humble and ready on my knees.

