

Why Do Heathen Nations Rage ~ Psalm 2

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1. Why do heath-en na - tions rage, And the peo - ples plot vain things? Kings of earth rise
2. He Who sits in heav'n shall laugh, And He mocks their fool - ish plans. Then He speaks with
3. "This de - cree I will de - clare, Un - to Me the Lord has said: 'You are My Be-
4. Now there - fore, be wise O kings, Judg - es of the earth give heed; Serve the Lord with



up in pride, Rul-ers in their coun-cils scheme. So they speak a - gainst the Lord, And a - gainst His
aw - ful wrath, His dis-pleas-ure trou-bles them. "Hear now, I have set My King, On the heights of
- got - ten Son, All You ask, I give to You; Na - tions of the earth shall be Your in - her - i-
trem-bling fear, And be - fore His foot-stool bow. Kiss the Son, and hon - or Him, Lest you per - ish



Cho - sen One: "Let us break their bind - ing chains, Cast a - way those hat - ed cords."
Zi - on's mount; Seat - ed on a glor - ous throne, None can stand a - gainst My will."
- tance, My Son. Break them with Your rod of iron, Dash them like a pot - ter's bowl."
in the way; For His fear - ful wrath may burn. Blessed are those who trust in Him!



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