

Why Do Heathen Nations Rage?

Based on Psalm 2

Guitar chords do not match vocals.

D G A D A D

1. ¹Why do hea-then na - tions rage? Why do peo - ples fol - ly mind?
 2. ⁴But the LORD will scorn them all; He will laugh who sits on high.
 3. ⁷His de - cree I will make known: Un - to Me the LORD did say,
 4. ¹⁰There - fore, kings, be wise, give ear; Hear - ken, judg - es of the earth;

G A D A D

⁵Kings of earth in plots en - gage, Ru - lers are in league com - bined;
⁵Then His wrath will on them fall; Sore dis - pleased He will re - ply:
 "Thou art My be - lov - ed Son, I've be - got - ten Thee this day."
¹¹Serve the LORD with god - ly fear; Min - gle trem - bling with your mirth.

A D E A Em Bm F# Bm

Then a - gainst Je - ho - vah high, And a - gainst Mes - si - ah's sway,
⁶"Yet ac - cord - ing to My will, I have set My King to reign.
⁸Ask of Me, and Thee I'll make Heir to earth and na - tions all;
¹²Kiss the Son, His wrath to turn, Lest ye per - ish in the way,

D G (A) E A G A D

³"Let us break their bands," they cry, "Let us cast their cords a - way."
 And on Zi - on's ho - ly hill, My A - noint - ed I'll main - tain."
⁹Them with i - ron Thou shalt break, Dash - ing them in piec - es small."
 For His an - ger soon will burn. Blest are all that on Him stay.

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