

WHY DO THE NATIONS RAGE?

Psalm 2



Nations > **power trip**

Groups > advance their own **agenda**

Rulers > policy serving their own
interests and **benefits**

Everyone pursuing **self-gratification** and rebelling against GOD'S claim on their life.

REFUSAL to acknowledge the person/purpose of **Jesus Christ**
“against his Anointed One”

REFUSAL to see God’s rule as anything but an **unwanted restriction** *“let us break his chains”*

WHAT DOES GOD HAVE TO SAY?

Posture... doesn't bother to get up
from his seat

Body language... laughs at preposterous
notion of human self-determination

Words... anger and authority

- a. This world **has** a king
- b. This king **is** his only begotten Son
- c. The people of earth **are** the inheritance/possession of his Son
- d. Opposition to his Son **will be** like pottery vs. iron

CHOICE!

1. Join the rebellion and seek to throw off the claim of Christ
2. Rejoice in the Son and serve/take refuge in Him