

Psalm 2

THIRD TUNE

Thomas Tallis c. 1505-1585

Nine Psalm Tunes for Archbishop Parker's Psalter

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1. Why fum'th in fight the Gen - tiles spite, in fu - ry
rag - ing stout? Why tak'th in hond the peo - ple
fond, vain things to bring a - bout? The Kings a - rise the
Lords de - vise, in coun - sels met there - to a -
gainst-the Lord with false ac - cord, a - gainst his Christ they go.

3. Let us they say break down their ray of all their
bonds and cords. We will re - nounce that they pro -
nounce, their looes as state - ly lords. But God of might in

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heav'n so bright, shall laugh them all to scorn. The

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Lord on high shall them de - fy, they shall be once for_ lorn.

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7. Gods words de - creed, I Christ will spread for God thus

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said to me. My son I say thou art, this

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day, I have be - got - ten thee. Ask thou of me, I

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will give thee, to rule all Gent - iles londes. Thou

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shalt pos - sess in sure - nes - se, the world how wide it stondes.