

¹لِمَاذَا اِرْتَجَبِ الْأُمَمُ وَتَفَكَّرَ الشُّعُوبُ فِي الْبَاطِلِ؟ ²قَامَ
 مُلُوكُ الْأَرْضِ وَتَأَمَّرَ الرُّؤَسَاءُ مَعًا عَلَى الرَّبِّ وَعَلَى
 مَسِيحِهِ قَائِلِينَ: ³لِنَقْطَعُ فُيُودَهُمَا وَلِنَطْرَحَ عَنَّا رُبُطَهُمَا.
⁴السَّائِكُنِ فِي السَّمَاوَاتِ يَضْحَكُ، الرَّبُّ يَسْتَهْزِئُ
 بِهِمْ. ⁵حِينَئِذٍ يَتَكَلَّمُ عَلَيْهِمْ بِغَضَبِهِ وَيَرْجِفُهُمْ بِغَيْظِهِ. ⁶أَمَّا أَنَا
 فَقَدْ مَسَحْتُ مَلِكِي عَلَى صِهْيُونَ، جَبَلِ قُدْسِي.
⁷إِنِّي أَخْبِرُ مِنْ جِهَةِ قِصَاءِ الرَّبِّ: قَالَ لِي: أَنْتَ ابْنِي، أَنَا
 الْيَوْمَ وَلَدْتُكَ. ⁸إِسْأَلْنِي، فَأَعْطِيكَ الْأَمَمَ مِيرَاثًا لَكَ
 وَأَقَاصِي الْأَرْضِ مُلْكًا لَكَ. ⁹تَحَطَّمُهُمْ بِقَضِيصٍ مِنْ حَدِيدٍ،
 مِثْلَ إِنَاءٍ خَرَّافٍ تُكْسِرُهُمْ.
¹⁰قَالَآنَ، يَا أَيُّهَا الْمُلُوكُ، تَعَقَّلُوا. تَأَدَّبُوا، يَا قِصَاةَ
 الْأَرْضِ. ¹¹اعْبُدُوا الرَّبَّ بِخَوْفٍ وَاهْتِفُوا بِرِعْدَةٍ. ¹²قَبِّلُوا
 الْإِبْنَ لئَلَّا يَغْضَبَ فَتَبِيدُوا مِنَ الطَّرِيقِ، لِأَنَّهُ عَنْ قَلِيلٍ
 يَتَقَدُّ غَضَبُهُ. طُوبَى لِجَمِيعِ الْمُتَكِلِينَ عَلَيْهِ.

¹Why do the heathen rage, and the people
 imagine a vain thing? ²The kings of the
 earth set themselves, and the rulers take
 counsel together, against the LORD, and
 against his anointed, saying, ³Let us break
 their bands asunder, and cast away their
 cords from us. ⁴He that sitteth in the
 heavens shall laugh: the Lord shall have
 them in derision. ⁵Then shall he speak unto
 them in his wrath, and vex them in his sore
 displeasure. ⁶Yet have I set my king upon
 my holy hill of Zion. ⁷I will declare the
 decree: the LORD hath said unto me, Thou
 art my Son; this day have I begotten
 thee. ⁸Ask of me, and I shall give thee the
 heathen for thine inheritance, and the
 uttermost parts of the earth for thy
 possession. ⁹Thou shalt break them with a
 rod of iron; thou shalt dash them in pieces
 like a potter's vessel. ¹⁰Be wise now
 therefore, O ye kings: be instructed, ye
 judges of the earth. ¹¹Serve the LORD with
 fear, and rejoice with trembling. ¹²Kiss the
 Son, lest he be angry, and ye perish from
 the way, when his wrath is kindled but a
 little. Blessed are all they that put their
 trust in him.