

Claiming Our Power – No Kings Day 10/18/2025

Description

Did you **ever** think you'd see the day,
Did you **think** there'd come a time,
When **peaceful** protest in the street
Would be **treated** as a crime;
When a **nation** claiming freedom
And the **right** to think and speak,
Would be **brought** down by a fascist coup
That **attacks** the poor and weak?

First they **came** for college students
And for **labor** unions, too;
Then they **came** for foreign immigrants
Workin' **hard** to make it through.
And they're **coming** for the journalists
And for **all** who dare speak out
Against the **bigots** and the billionaires,
And that's **why** we rage and shout.

Now they're **making** war on you and me
Grabbing **people** off the streets
While **ICE** enforcers armed and masked
Are grabbing **families** while they sleep.
So we **Grannies** sing as we demand
They call **off** their brutal teams,
We, the **people** claim our power now
And we'll **stop** their fascist schemes.

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Tune : The Marine Hymn

Gaggle : Triangle (North Carolina)

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