

Lesson 4 homework

Chapter 5

What was Esther's first request, and what does it tell you about her character and approach to the king?

What do you discern about the king from his response?

What was Esther's second request as her guests enjoyed after-dinner wine, and what does it reveal about her plan for her people?

What principles of wisdom can you learn from Esther's behavior?

What do you learn from Haman about pride, desire for recognition, and anger?

Chapter 6

How do you see the hand of God in 6:1-2?

Read Psalm 37:5-7. What is the lesson from this scripture?

Chapter 7

What is Esther's petition and request from the king?

How does Esther approach the king?

How does King Ahasuerus respond to finding out Haman is responsible for his queen's and the Jewish people's predicament?

What does Haman do upon seeing the king's anger?

What is Haman's end?

Read Romans 2:5-10. What does it say about divine justice?

Consider the invisible hand of God at work in the events of this lesson. How does this encourage you in your life right now?