

GOD RULES, Part 6

HOW TO APPROACH THE KING

August 23, 2020



Mordecai will not bow to Haman



In one of the most anti-Semitic Jewish hating decisions in history, Haman gets the kings' permission to destroy ALL the Jews in the nation...



And they CRY OUT



ESTHER 4:13-14

*'...you have come to the kingdom
for such a time as this...'*

SO HAVE YOU!

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¹³ If I ever shut off the supply of rain from the skies or order the locusts to eat the crops or send a plague on my people, ¹⁴ and my people, my God-defined people, respond by humbling themselves, praying, seeking my presence, and turning their backs on their wicked lives, I'll be there ready for you: I'll listen from heaven, forgive their sins, and restore their land to health. ¹⁵ From now on I'm alert day and night to the prayers offered at this place

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THE RETURN

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2. HER ROYAL ROBES



Isaiah 61:10

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3. HER STANDING WITH THE KING- -PLACEMENT



Hebrews 4:16

NKJV: *Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.*

MSG: *So let's walk right up to Him and get what He is so ready to give. Take the mercy, accept the help.*

II. RECEIVING FAVOR WITH THE KING



**Jesus—GOD's scepter of
Authority—is POINTING AT YOU**

Hebrews 1:8

***But to the Son He says:
"Your throne, O God, is forever and
ever;
A scepter of righteousness is the
scepter of Your Kingdom.***

Philippians 4:6

NKJV: Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God...

MSG: Don't fret or worry. Instead of worrying, pray. Let petitions and praises shape your worries into prayers, letting God know your concerns

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TPT: Don't be pulled in different directions or worried about a thing. Be saturated in prayer throughout each day, offering your faith-filled requests before God with overflowing gratitude. Tell him every detail of your life...