

God is looking for some Esthers. She was a Jewish orphan living in exile in Persia whom God raised up out of obscurity to become the queen. When a decree was made that on a certain date all the Israelites were to be annihilated, Esther, against court protocol, went into the king's chamber unannounced. That was forbidden, and unless she was granted the king's favour, she could be put to death. Her attitude was: "I have been raised up for such a time as this, and I cannot shrink back in fear. If I perish, I perish." Because Esther stepped into the unknown by faith, the king changed the decree and the Israelites were saved.

Perhaps you are facing a problem with huge consequences. You will be tempted to shrink back, and let fear and intimidation convince you to play it safe. But God wants to show Himself strong through your life. You are where you are for just such a time as this. God will do what only He can do when you activate your faith and step forward. Arise, and take the first step.

Esther 4:14 "Who knows if perhaps you were made queen for just such a time as this?"