Sermon Series: Message #6 Esther: Divine Reversal Esther 6:1-14

Seaside Community Church October 22, 2023

Divine Reversal REVERSAL IN MOTION

Esther 6:1-14

The story leading up...

Background review ...

When reversals can happen...

When ever pride is present

2 Chronicles 26:16; 32:26; Psalm 31:23 Proverbs 8:13; 11:2; 16:5, 18; 29:23; Isaiah 2:11,17 James 4:6; 1 Peter 5:5-6; Micah 6:8

When life hits hard

1 Peter 4:12-13

When God shows up

Psalm 33:9-11; Proverbs 19:21; Ephesians 1:11 Romans 11:33-36; Colossians 1:16-17

Next week: Esther 7

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Growth Group Questions

- 1. Read Esther 6 aloud together.
- 2. In a simple sentence, summarize what Chapter 6 is about.

3. What is your best cure for insomnia?:)
How can we see God's hand in the sleepless night of King Xerxes? How do you see God intervening in this chapter? Is there a situation in your life that you are waiting for God to intervene?

4. Read James 4:6 How do you see Haman and Mordecai as direct examples of this verse? How have you experienced this in a situation in your own life?

i. Share an instance when you allowed God to bring justice instead of taking matters into your own hands. What encouragement do you find in the following verses? Job 37:23 Deuteronomy 32:4 Psalms 89:14 Romans 12:19 Isaiah 55:8,9
5. For you personally, what has been the most important esson from this chapter? How will you put what you have earned into practice?

7. Close your time together praying together.

 Seaside Finances

 \$22,195
 Monthly Goal
 \$95,500

 \$15,495
 Received in Sep.
 \$79,169
 Weekly Goal \$22,195 Received Last Week \$15,495