



Small Groups Discussion Questions

Week 3: Result (Esther 7–10)

1. Results-Focused World

Where do you see a strong focus on results in our culture today?

- How can that mindset influence the way we view our faith?
- Do you ever find your trust in God rising or falling based on outcomes?

2. Poetic Justice

In Esther, evil is exposed and reversed when Haman's plan collapses.

What does this outcome reveal about God's character—even though He's never mentioned?

- What stands out to you about how God works in this story?

3. The God Who Saves (Read Psalm 31:1–8)

What does this passage reveal about who God is for His people?

- Which phrases or descriptions stand out to you personally?

4. Outcome-Based Faith

Can you share a time when you clearly saw God come through for you?

Can you also share a time when the outcome wasn't what you hoped for?

- How did each experience affect your faith?

5. Rethinking Results (Read Romans 3:23–26 and Colossians 2:14–15)

If God doesn't always give us the outcomes we want, what do these passages reveal about our greatest need?

- What has God ultimately done for us through Christ?
- How is this "result" different from the outcomes we often look for in life?
- How does this reshape what we expect from God?

6. How We Live Matters

Esther and Mordecai acted in faith without knowing the outcome.

What did their actions reveal about what they believed about God?

- What should genuine faith produce in our lives?

7. Living with the Right Results in Mind

If our ultimate hope is in what God has already done (not just what we see), how should that change the way we live this week?

- Where do you need to trust God more deeply right now?
- What is one step of faithful obedience you can take?