

“What A Difference A Day Makes”

Esther 7

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- I. The _____ of wicked men is _____ with God.

“For the wisdom of this world is foolishness in God’s sight. As it is written: “He catches the wise in their craftiness”; and again, “The Lord knows that the thoughts of the wise are futile.”

**1 Corinthians 3:19-20
(NIV)**

“He thwarts the plans of the crafty, so that their hands achieve no success. He catches the wise in their craftiness, and the schemes of the wily are swept away. Darkness comes upon them in the daytime; at noon they grope as in the night.”

Job 5:12-14 (NIV)

- II. Patience is a _____; use it _____.

“Through patience a ruler can be persuaded,
and a gentle tongue can break a bone.”

Proverbs 25:15 (NIV)

- III. God _____ works in his providence through _____.

2 Extremes to Avoid:

- 1) We cannot say that this whole endeavor would _____ or _____ on Esther and what she does or doesn’t do.
- 2) We cannot say God is going to do what God is going to do and it doesn’t matter if there is an _____ or _____.

❖ God works through people even though his success is not _____ on the people.

“For if you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance for the Jews will arise from another place, but you and your father’s family will perish. And who knows but that you have come to your royal position for such a time as this?”

Esther 4:14 (NIV)

“How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can anyone preach unless they are sent? As it is written: “How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!””

Romans 10:14-15 (NIV)

❖ This realization _____ us and _____ us.