

Esther Chapter 2

⁵ Now there was in the citadel of Susa a **JEW**

81 times in O.T. – **55** times in Esther

⁹ The girl **Pleased** him and **Won** his **Favor**.

Despised Jew / Orphan / Abducted from her Home

_____ Hardships either
 Destroy you - - - - or - - - - you get hold of God's Grace
Esther 4:16

¹¹ **EVERY DAY** he walked back and forth near the courtyard of the harem to **find out how Esther was** and **what was happening to her**.

Great _____ communication will **save** you during
CRISIS

¹⁵ When the turn came for Esther (the girl Mordecai had adopted, the daughter of his uncle Abihail) to go to the king, she **asked for nothing other than what Hegai, the king's eunuch** who was in charge of the harem, **suggested**. And Esther **won** the **favor** of **everyone** who saw her. ¹⁶

What do you think Hegai suggested?

¹⁹ When the **virgins** were assembled a **second** time,

The **World** is _____ Satisfied – Esther 4:11

²¹ During the time Mordecai was sitting at the king's gate, Bigthana and Teresh, two of the king's officers who guarded the doorway, became angry and conspired to assassinate King Xerxes. ²² But Mordecai found out about the plot and told Queen Esther, who in turn reported it to the king, giving credit to Mordecai. ²³ And when the report was investigated and found to be true, the two officials were hanged on a gallows. All this was recorded in the book of the annals in the presence of the king.

God keeps _____ Rev.