

The Queen's Feast

The true story can be found in Esther 5:1-7:10

Discover



What did Esther first ask the king? (5:3-4)

To come with H _____ to the f _____ she had prepared.

What did Esther ask the king next? (5:7-8)

To come with H _____ to another f _____ she had prepared.



Why do you think Esther did this? Why didn't she ask the king to save the Jews straight away?

Think
Spot

Why was Haman so angry? (5:9) Tick the correct answer.

- He didn't like feasts Esther was rude to him He saw Mordecai

What did he decide to do about this? (5:14) _____

What was Esther's third request? (7:3-6)

That the k _____ would s _____ her people from H _____ 's plot to kill them.

How did the king respond? (7:7-10) _____

DISCUSS

What can we learn about God's timing from this passage?
What does this show about how God works in the world today?

Who is an enemy of God and his people today? How does this story encourage you when you face opposition as a Christian?

Why do God's enemies sometimes seem to be winning? Why doesn't he destroy them straight away? Look up 2 Peter 3:9.

How did Jesus respond when his enemies hurt him? Whose timing was he trusting? How does this help you to trust God's timing instead of your own?

