

# Lesson 7

November 3, 2010

- I. Harem PROPOSED                      Esther 2:1 – 4
- II. Esther PICKED                         Esther 2:5 – 18
- III. Mordecai uncovered PLOT         Esther 2:19 – 23

*Psalm 139:5 You HEM me in - behind & before - You have laid Your HAND upon me.*

**Truth #1:** Some chapters of life look like evil is winning & God is nowhere to be seen.

**Truth #2:** It's nothing for God to grant me *favor* with key people as He's setting the stage for me to fulfill His purposes.

**Truth #3:** I'm to do the right thing even if it's the hard thing (& even if it seems unnoticed).

Notes:

*Even the most foul & evil plan cannot thwart God's big eternal plan for me.*