

# Esther 5

Interlinear Bible — King James Version

Hebrew text with English translation and Strong's numbers

**1** Now it came to pass on the third day, that Esther put on her royal apparel, and stood in the inner court of the king's house, over against the king's house: and the king sat upon his royal throne in the royal house, over against the gate of the house.

אֶסְתֵּר וַתִּלְבַּשׁ שׁ הַשְּׁלִישׁ י בִּי וּם וַיְהִי יוֹ  
H1961 day H3117 Now it came to pass on the third H7992 put on H3847 that Esther H635

! הַמֶּלֶךְ הַבַּיִת: בְּחֹצֵר וַתַּעֲמֵד הַמֶּלֶךְ וּת  
her royal H4438 apparel and stood H5975 court H2691 house H1004 and the king H4428

עַל יוֹשֵׁב בַּיִת הַמֶּלֶךְ ! הַמֶּלֶךְ הַבַּיִת: נֹכַח הַפְּנִימִי יוֹתָם  
in the inner H6442 over against H5227 house H1004 and the king H4428 and the king H4428 sat H3427 H5921

פֶּתַח תַּחֲנִיחַ נֹכַח הַמֶּלֶךְ וּת הַבַּיִת: הַמֶּלֶךְ וּת כִּסֵּי א  
throne H3678 her royal H4438 house H1004 her royal H4438 over against H5227 the gate H6607

הַבַּיִת:  
house H1004

**2** And it was so, when the king saw Esther the queen standing in the court, that she obtained favour in his sight: and the king held out to Esther the golden sceptre that was in his hand. So Esther drew near, and touched the top of the sceptre.

הַמֶּלֶךְ הָ אֶסְתֵּר רַ אֶת      הִמָּ לֶךְ      כָּרָא    וְיָהִי  
H1961      saw H7200      And it was so when the king H4428      H853      Esther H635      the queen H4436  
 וַיִּשָּׂא וְהָיָה בְּעֵינֵי יוֹ      נָשָׂא הָ      בָּחֲצִי רַ      עָמָּ דָּת  
standing H5975      in the court H2691      that she obtained H5375      favour H2580      in his sight H5869      held out H3447  
 אֶשׁ רַ הַזֶּהב      הַשְּׂרָבִיט:      אֶת אֶסְתֵּר רַ      הִמָּ לֶךְ  
And it was so when the king H4428      Esther H635      H853      of the sceptre H8275      the golden H2091      H834  
 בָּרַ אֶשׁ      וַתִּגַּע      אֶסְתֵּר רַ      וַתִּקְרַב      בִּידּוֹ  
that was in his hand H3027      drew near H7126      Esther H635      and touched H5060      the top H7218

הַשְּׂרָבִיט:  
of the sceptre H8275

**3** Then said the king unto her, What wilt thou, queen Esther? and what is thy request? it shall be even given thee to the half of the kingdom.

אֶסְתֵּר רַ לָּהּ מָה      הִמָּ לֶךְ לָהּ      וַיֹּאמֶר  
Then said H559      H0      the king H4428      H4100      H0      Esther H635  
 חֲצִי      עַד      בִּקְשָׁתְךָ      וּמָה      הַמֶּלֶךְ הָ  
unto her H4436      What wilt thou queen H4100      and what is thy request H1246      H5704      thee to the half H2677  
 לָהּ:      וַיֵּן תָּן      הַמֶּלֶךְ וְתֵן  
of the kingdom H4438      it shall be even given H5414      H0

4 And Esther answered, If it seem good unto the king, let the king and Haman come this day unto the banquet that I have prepared for him.

יָב וְאֵל ט וּב הִמָּ לְךָ עַל אִם אֶסְתֵּר ר וְתִ אָמַר  
 answered And Esther H518 H5921 let the king If it seem good come  
 H559 H635 H4428 H2895 H935

עָשָׂ יִתִּי אֲשֶׁר הַמִּשְׁתֶּה הָ אֶל הִי וּם וְהָמָן הִמָּ לְךָ  
 let the king and Haman this day H413 unto the banquet H834 that I have prepared  
 H4428 H2001 H3117 H4960 H6213

לִּי:  
 H0

5 Then the king said, Cause Haman to make haste, that he may do as Esther hath said. So the king and Haman came to the banquet that Esther had prepared.

אֶת עֲשֵׂתָה וְהָמָן אֶת מְהֵרָה הִמָּ לְךָ וַיֹּ אָמַר  
 said So the king to make haste H853 Cause Haman had prepared H853  
 H559 H4428 H4116 H2001 H6213

הַמִּשְׁתֶּה הָ אֶל וְהָמָן הִמָּ לְךָ וַיָּבֹ א אֶסְתֵּר: דָּבִר  
 hath said as Esther came So the king Cause Haman H413 to the banquet  
 H1697 H635 H935 H4428 H2001 H4960

אֶסְתֵּר: עֲשֵׂתָה הָ אֲשֶׁר  
 H834 had prepared as Esther  
 H6213 H635

**6** And the king said unto Esther at the banquet of wine, What is thy petition? and it shall be granted thee: and what is thy request? even to the half of the kingdom it shall be performed.

מַה הֵיִן בְּמִשְׁתֵּי הַ לְאֶסְתֵּר הַמֶּלֶךְ וַיֹּאמֶר  
said And the king unto Esther at the banquet of wine  
H559 H4428 H635 H4960 H3196 H4100

עַד בִּקְשָׁתְךָ וְמַה לְךָ וַיֵּנֶן תֶּן שְׂאֵלְתְּךָ  
What is thy petition and it shall be granted thee and what is thy request  
H7596 H5414 H0 H4100 H1246 H5704

וַיַּעַשׂ הַמֶּלֶךְ וְחֵצִי  
even to the half of the kingdom it shall be performed  
H2677 H4438 H6213

**7** Then answered Esther, and said, My petition and my request is;

וּבִקְשָׁתִי: שְׂאֵלְתִי וְתֹאמַר אֶסְתֵּר וְתַעַן  
Then answered Esther and said My petition and my request  
H6030 H635 H559 H7596 H1246

**8** If I have found favour in the sight of the king, and if it please the king to grant my petition, and to perform my request, let the king and Haman come to the banquet that I shall prepare for them, and I will do to morrow as the king hath said.

הַמֶּלֶךְ: עַל וְאִם הַמֶּלֶךְ: בְּעֵינַי הִנֵּה מָצָא אֶתִּי אִם  
If I have found favour in the sight as the king  
H518 H4672 H2580 H5869 H4428 H518 H5921 H4428

בִּקְשָׁתִי אֶת אֲעָשֶׂה שְׂאֵלְתִי אֶת לָתֵת לָתֵת ט וְ  
and if it please to grant my petition and to perform my request  
H2895 H5414 H853 H7596 H6213 H853 H1246

אֲעָשֶׂה הָאֵשׁ רַחֲמֶיךָ אֶל וְהָמָן הַמֶּלֶךְ: יָב וְאִם  
come as the king and Haman to the banquet and to perform  
H935 H4428 H2001 H413 H4960 H834 H6213

הַמֶּלֶךְ: כָּדָב רַחֲמֶיךָ אֲעָשֶׂה וּמָחָר לָמָּחָר  
hath said as the king to morrow and to perform  
H0 H4279 H6213 H1697 H4428

**9** Then went Haman forth that day joyful and with a glad heart: but when Haman saw Mordecai in the king's gate, that he stood not up, nor moved for him, he was full of indignation against Mordecai.

לֵב וְטוֹב שִׂמְחָה הָיָה וְאֵל הַיּוֹם הַהוּא | וַיֵּצֵא אֶל  
 Then went Haman that day joyful and with a glad heart  
 H3318 H2001 H3117 H1931 H8056 H2896 H3820  
 וְלֹא הָיָה לוֹ בֶּשֶׂר עַר מְרִדְכָּי אֶת הַמֶּלֶךְ | וַיִּכְרְאוּת  
 saw Haman Mordecai gate in the king's  
 H7200 H2001 H853 H4782 H8179 H4428 H3808  
 עַל הַמֶּלֶךְ | וַיִּמְלֵךְ אֶת מַמְּנוֹ זָע וְלֹא קָם  
 that he stood not up Haman nor moved was full  
 H6965 H3808 H2111 H4480 H4390 H2001 H5921  
 מְרִדְכָּי חֲמָה:  
 Mordecai of indignation  
 H4782 H2534

**10** Nevertheless Haman refrained himself: and when he came home, he sent and called for his friends, and Zeresh his wife.

וַיִּבֶּ אֶל וַיֵּצֵא אֶל בֵּיתוֹ | וַיִּשְׁלַח וַיִּקְרָא  
 refrained Nevertheless Haman and called home he sent and called  
 H662 H2001 H935 H413 H1004 H7971 H935  
 אֶת אִשְׁתּוֹ: זָרֶשׁ וְאֶת אֶהֱבָיו  
 H853 for his friends H853 and Zeresh his wife  
 H157 H2238 H802

**11** And Haman told them of the glory of his riches, and the multitude of his children, and all the things wherein the king had promoted him, and how he had advanced him above the princes and servants of the king.

עֲשָׂרָה וְכָבֹד וְאֶת הַמָּוֶן לָהֶם וַיֹּסֶפֶר  
told H5608 H1992 And Haman H2001 H853 them of the glory H3519 of his riches H6239  
 גָּדַל וְאֶשְׁרָךְ כָּל וְאֵת בְּנֵי יוֹרְבִי  
and the multitude H7230 of his children H1121 H853 H3605 H834 had promoted H1431  
 עַל נִשְׂאָו וְאֶשְׁרָךְ וְאֵת הַמְּלָכָה  
and all the things wherein the king H4428 H853 H834 him and how he had advanced H5375 H5921  
 הַמְּלָכָה וְעַבְדֵי הַשָּׂרִים  
him above the princes H8269 and servants H5650 and all the things wherein the king H4428

**12** Haman said moreover, Yea, Esther the queen did let no man come in with the king unto the banquet that she had prepared but myself; and to morrow am I invited unto her also with the king.

אֶסְתֵּר וְיָבִיָּא לֹא אֶף הָמָן וַיֹּאמֶר  
said H559 Haman H2001 H637 H3808 did let no man come in H935 moreover Yea Esther H635  
 אֲשֶׁר הַמִּשְׁתֶּה הָאֵל הַמְּלָכָה עִם הַמֶּלֶכֶת  
the queen H4436 H5973 unto her also with the king H4428 H413 H4960 H834  
 אֲנִי לְמָחָר וְגַם אוֹתִי אִם כִּי עָשָׂה תָה  
that she had prepared H6213 H3588 H518 H853 H1571 but myself and to morrow H4279 H589  
 הַמְּלָכָה עִם לִי קְרוֹי  
am I invited H7121 H0 H5973 unto her also with the king H4428

**13** Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.

עַתָּה בְּכֹל לִי יֵשׁוּ הַיּוֹדִי אֲנִי נֹרָא הַמֶּלֶךְ וְכָל  
 H3605 H2088 H369 **Yet all this availeth** H0 H3605 **me nothing so long as** H6256

יֹשֵׁב הַיְּהוּדִי מֶרְדֵּכָי אֶת רֹאֵה אֲנִי אֶשֶׁר הַמֶּלֶךְ  
 H834 H589 **I see** H853 **Mordecai** H4782 **the Jew** H3064 **sitting** H3427

הַמֶּלֶךְ: בֵּשׂ עַר  
**gate** H8179 **at the king's** H4428

**14** Then said Zeresh his wife and all his friends unto him, Let a gallows be made of fifty cubits high, and to morrow speak thou unto the king that Mordecai may be hanged thereon: then go thou in merrily with the king unto the banquet. And the thing pleased Haman; and he caused the gallows to be made.

וַיַּעַשׂ אֶהֱבִי וְכָל אִשְׁתּוֹ וְזֶרֶשׁ לֹא אָמַר  
**Then said** H559 H0 **Zeresh** H2238 **his wife** H802 H3605 **and all his friends** H157 **and he caused** H6213

אָמַר וּבֹבֶי קְרוּ אֲמָה חֲמִשָּׁים יָמִים גָּבִי הַהֶעֱצָה  
**the gallows** H6086 **high** H1364 **of fifty** H2572 **cubits** H520 **and to morrow** H1242 **Then said** H559

וְאָמַר עָלַי מֶרְדֵּכָי אֶת וַיִּתֵּל וְהָמָלֶךְ  
**thou unto the king** H4428 **may be hanged** H8518 H853 **that Mordecai** H4782 H5921 **thereon then go** H935 H5973

וַיִּטְבַּח הַמֶּלֶךְ הַמֶּלֶךְ אֶל הַמִּשְׁתֵּה הַשֵּׁמֶרֶת וַיִּטְבַּח  
**thou unto the king** H4428 H413 **unto the banquet** H4960 **thou in merrily** H8056 **pleased** H3190 **And the thing** H1697

הַהֶעֱצָה: וַיַּעַשׂ הָמָן לְפָנָיו  
**Haman** H2001 **and he caused** H6213 **the gallows** H6086 H6440