

The Book of Esther

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1 Now it came about in the days (that Ahasuerus was hundred and twenty-seven divisions of India as far as Ethiopia:.) ² That in those days, when King Ahasuerus was ruling in Shushan, his strong town, ³ In the third year of his rule he gave a feast to all his captains and his servants; and the captains of his army of Persia and Media, the great men and the rulers of his divisions of kingdom, were present before him; ⁴ And for a long time, even eighty days, he let them see all the wealth and glory of his kingdom and the great power and honour which were his. ⁵ And at the end of that time, the king gave a feast for all the

people|strong = "H5971" who|strong = "H3605" were|strong = "H0428"
 present|strong = "H4672" in|strong = "H4428" Shushan, the|strong = "H3605"
 king's town, small|strong = "H6996" as|strong = "H5704" well
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 silver|strong = "H3701" rings|strong = "H1550" and|strong = "H3701"
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 gold|strong = "H2091" and|strong = "H3701" silver|strong = "H3701"
 on|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H5921" floor of|strong = "H5921" red
 and|strong = "H3701" white|strong = "H2353" and|strong = "H3701" yellow
 and|strong = "H3701" black stone. ⁷ And|strong = "H3027"
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 and|strong = "H3027" wine|strong = "H3196" of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H3027" kingdom|strong = "H4438", freely
 given|strong = "H8248" by|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027"
 king|strong = "H4428". ⁸ And|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
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 no|strong = "H0369" one|strong = "H0376" was|strong = "H0369" forced:
 for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
 had|strong = "H0369" given|strong = "H3245" orders|strong = "H3245"
 to|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" chief
 servants|strong = "H0376" of|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3605"
 house|strong = "H1004" to|strong = "H5921" do|strong = "H6213"
 as|strong = "H3651" was|strong = "H0369" pleasing to|strong = "H5921"
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 day|strong = "H3117", when|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0559"
 heart|strong = "H3820" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0559"
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 wine|strong = "H3196", he|strong = "H3117" gave|strong = "H0559"

orders|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559" Mehuman|strong = "H4104",
 Biztha|strong = "H0968", Harbona|strong = "H2726",
 Bigtha|strong = "H0903", and|strong = "H4428" Abagtha|strong = "H0005",
 Zethar|strong = "H2242", and|strong = "H4428" Carcas, the|strong = "H0559"
 seven|strong = "H7651" unsexed servants|strong = "H8334"
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 before|strong = "H6440" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" the|strong = "H0559"
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 him|strong = "H0853", crowned with|strong = "H0935" her|strong = "H7200"
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 the|strong = "H0853" captains|strong = "H8269" see|strong = "H7200"
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 gave|strong = "H0935" her|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0834" king's
 order|strong = "H3027", Vashti|strong = "H2060" the|strong = "H0834"
 queen|strong = "H4436" said|strong = "H1697" she|strong = "H0834"
 would|strong = "H0834" not come|strong = "H0935": then|strong = "H0935"
 the|strong = "H0834" king|strong = "H4428" was|strong = "H0834"
 very|strong = "H3966" angry|strong = "H7107", and|strong = "H0935"
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 the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559"
 to|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" wise|strong = "H2450"
 men|strong = "H2450", who|strong = "H3605" had|strong = "H4428"
 knowledge|strong = "H3045" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
 times|strong = "H6256", (for|strong = "H3588" this|strong = "H3651"
 was|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" king's way|strong = "H1697"
 with|strong = "H3045" all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"
 were|strong = "H1697" expert|strong = "H2450" in|strong = "H4428"
 law|strong = "H1881" and|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H4428"
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And|strong = "H4428" second only to|strong = "H0413"
 him|strong = "H0413" were|strong = "H8269" Carshena|strong = "H3771",
 Shethar|strong = "H8369", Admatha|strong = "H0133",
 Tarshish|strong = "H8659", Meres|strong = "H4825",
 Marsena|strong = "H4826", and|strong = "H4428"
 Memucan|strong = "H4462", the|strong = "H6440" seven|strong = "H7651"
 rulers|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H4428" Persia|strong = "H6539"
 and|strong = "H4428" Media|strong = "H4074", who|strong = "H3427"
 were|strong = "H8269" friends of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440"
 king|strong = "H4428", and|strong = "H4428" had|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H6440" first|strong = "H7223" places in|strong = "H3427"

the|strong = "H6440" kingdom|strong = "H4438":) 15
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 be|strong = "H3808" done|strong = "H6213" by|strong = "H5921"
 law|strong = "H1881" to|strong = "H5921" Vashti|strong = "H2060"
 the|strong = "H0853" queen|strong = "H4436", because|strong = "H5921"
 she|strong = "H0834" has|strong = "H0834" not|strong = "H3808"
 done|strong = "H6213" what|strong = "H4100" King|strong = "H4428"
 Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325", by|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921"
 servants, gave|strong = "H6213" her|strong = "H5921" orders
 to|strong = "H5921" do|strong = "H6213"? 16 And|strong = "H4428"
 before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" captains|strong = "H8269",
 Memucan|strong = "H4462" gave|strong = "H0559" his|strong = "H3605"
 answer|strong = "H0559": Vashti|strong = "H2060" the|strong = "H3605"
 queen|strong = "H4436" has|strong = "H0834" done|strong = "H3605" wrong,
 not|strong = "H3808" only|strong = "H0905" to|strong = "H0559"
 the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428", but|strong = "H3588"
 to|strong = "H0559" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 captains|strong = "H8269" and|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H0559"
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971"
 in|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" divisions
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4428"
 of|strong = "H4428" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325"; 17
 For|strong = "H3588" news|strong = "H0559" of|strong = "H4428"
 what|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H3605" queen|strong = "H4436"
 has|strong = "H4428" done|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H4428"
 come|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" ears
 of|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605" women|strong = "H0802",
 and|strong = "H0935" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H4428"
 no|strong = "H3808" longer|strong = "H3808" give|strong = "H0935"
 respect|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H0559" their|strong = "H3605"
 husbands|strong = "H1167" when|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H5921"
 is|strong = "H1697" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559"
 them|strong = "H0853", King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325"
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 Vashti|strong = "H2060" the|strong = "H3605" queen|strong = "H4436"
 to|strong = "H0559" come|strong = "H0935" before|strong = "H6440"
 him|strong = "H5921" and|strong = "H0935" she|strong = "H3588"
 came|strong = "H0935" not|strong = "H3808". 18 And|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H3605" wives of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
 captains|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H4428" Persia|strong = "H6539"
 and|strong = "H4428" Media|strong = "H4074", hearing|strong = "H8085"
 what|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H3605" queen|strong = "H4436"
 has|strong = "H0834" done|strong = "H3605", will|strong = "H0834"
 say|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" same|strong = "H2088"
 to|strong = "H0559" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" king's

captains|strong = "H8269". So|strong = "H0834" there|strong = "H2088" will|strong = "H0834" be|strong = "H1697" much|strong = "H1697" shame and|strong = "H4428" wrath|strong = "H7110". ¹⁹ If|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H5414" is|strong = "H0834" pleasing|strong = "H2895" to|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428", let|strong = "H5414" an|strong = "H5414" order|strong = "H1697" go|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318" from|strong = "H4480" him|strong = "H5414", and|strong = "H0935" let|strong = "H5414" it|strong = "H5414" be|strong = "H3808" recorded|strong = "H3789" among|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H6440" laws|strong = "H1881" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" Persians and|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H6440" Medes|strong = "H4074", so|strong = "H4480" that|strong = "H0834" it|strong = "H5414" may|strong = "H0834" never|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808" changed, that|strong = "H0834" Vashti|strong = "H2060" is|strong = "H0834" never|strong = "H3808" again|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H0935" come|strong = "H0935" before|strong = "H6440" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325"; and|strong = "H0935" let|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428" give|strong = "H5414" her|strong = "H5921" place|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H0935" another|strong = "H3808" who|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H0834" better|strong = "H2896" than|strong = "H4480" she|strong = "H0834". ²⁰ And|strong = "H4428" when|strong = "H3588" this|strong = "H1931" order, given|strong = "H5414" by|strong = "H0802" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428", is|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H6213" public through|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4438" (for|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H5414" is|strong = "H0834" great|strong = "H1419"), all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" wives|strong = "H0802" will|strong = "H0834" give|strong = "H5414" honour to|strong = "H5704" their|strong = "H3605" husbands|strong = "H1167", great|strong = "H1419" as|strong = "H0834" well|strong = "H0834" as|strong = "H0834" small|strong = "H6996". ²¹ And|strong = "H4428" this|strong = "H1697" suggestion seemed|strong = "H3190" good|strong = "H3190" to|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H1697" king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H1697" captains|strong = "H8269"; and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H1697" king|strong = "H4428" did|strong = "H6213" as|strong = "H1697" Memucan|strong = "H4462" said|strong = "H1697"; ²² And|strong = "H4428" sent|strong = "H7971" letters|strong = "H5612" to|strong = "H0413" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" divisions of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4428", to|strong = "H0413" every|strong = "H3605" division in|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" writing|strong = "H3791" commonly used|strong = "H1961" there|strong = "H1961", and|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H0413" every|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" language|strong = "H3956" which|strong = "H1004"

was|strong = "H1961" theirs, saying|strong = "H1696" that|strong = "H3605" every|strong = "H3605" man|strong = "H0376" was|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H0413" be|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3605" ruler in|strong = "H0413" his|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004", and|strong = "H4428" that|strong = "H3605" this|strong = "H3605" order was|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H0413" be|strong = "H1961" given out|strong = "H7971" in|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" language|strong = "H3956" of|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971".

2After|strong = "H0310" these|strong = "H0428" things|strong = "H1697", when|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0853" king's feelings were|strong = "H0834" calmer, the|strong = "H0853" thought|strong = "H2142" of|strong = "H4428" Vashti|strong = "H2060" and|strong = "H4428" what|strong = "H0834" she|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834" done|strong = "H6213" and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853" order|strong = "H1697" he|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H6213" against|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H5921", came back|strong = "H0310" to|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" mind|strong = "H2142". ² Then|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0559" servants|strong = "H5288" who|strong = "H5288" were|strong = "H5288" waiting on the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559" him|strong = "H1245", Let search|strong = "H1245" be|strong = "H4428" made|strong = "H1245" for|strong = "H1245" some fair young|strong = "H5288" virgins|strong = "H1330" for|strong = "H1245" the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428": ³ Let|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428" give|strong = "H5414" authority|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H0413" certain men|strong = "H3605" in|strong = "H0413" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" divisions of|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4438", to|strong = "H0413" get together|strong = "H6908" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" fair young|strong = "H5291" virgins|strong = "H1330" and|strong = "H3027" send|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H0413" to|strong = "H0413" Shushan, the|strong = "H3605" king's town, to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" women's house|strong = "H1004", under|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3605" care|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H4428" Hegai|strong = "H1896", the|strong = "H3605" king's servant, the|strong = "H3605" keeper|strong = "H8104" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" women|strong = "H0802": and|strong = "H3027" let|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H3605" things|strong = "H3605" needed for|strong = "H0413" making|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H0413" clean be|strong = "H3027" given|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H0413" them|strong = "H0413"; ⁴ And|strong = "H4428" let|strong = "H3651"

the|strong="H0834" girl|strong="H5291" who|strong="H0834"
 is|strong="H0834" pleasing|strong="H3190" to|strong="H1697"
 the|strong="H0834" king|strong="H4428" be|strong="H1697" queen
 in|strong="H4428" place|strong="H8478" of|strong="H4428"
 Vashti|strong="H2060". And|strong="H4428" the|strong="H0834"
 king|strong="H4428" was|strong="H0834" pleased|strong="H3190"
 with|strong="H1697" this|strong="H3651" suggestion;
 and|strong="H4428" he|strong="H0834" did|strong="H6213"
 so|strong="H3651". ⁵ Now|strong="H1961" there|strong="H1961"
 was|strong="H8034" a|strong="H1961" certain|strong="H0376"
 Jew|strong="H3064" in|strong="H0376" Shushan named|strong="H8034"
 Mordecai|strong="H4782", the|strong="H1961" son|strong="H1121"
 of|strong="H1121" Jair|strong="H2971", the|strong="H1961"
 son|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121" Shimei|strong="H8096",
 the|strong="H1961" son|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121"
 Kish|strong="H7027", a|strong="H1961" Benjamite|strong="H1145"; ⁶
 Who|strong="H0834" had|strong="H0834" been|strong="H0834"
 taken|strong="H1540" away|strong="H1540" from|strong="H1540"
 Jerusalem|strong="H3389" among|strong="H5973" those|strong="H0834"
 who|strong="H0834" had|strong="H0834" been|strong="H0834"
 made|strong="H1540" prisoner with|strong="H5973"
 Jeconiah|strong="H3204", king|strong="H4428" of|strong="H4428"
 Judah|strong="H3063", when|strong="H0834"
 Nebuchadnezzar|strong="H5019", king|strong="H4428"
 of|strong="H4428" Babylon|strong="H0894", had|strong="H0834"
 taken|strong="H1540" him|strong="H5973" away|strong="H1540". ⁷
 And|strong="H0001" he|strong="H1931" had|strong="H1961"
 been|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961" father|strong="H0001"
 to|strong="H1961" Hadassah|strong="H1919", that|strong="H3588"
 is|strong="H0369" Esther|strong="H0635", the|strong="H0853"
 daughter|strong="H1323" of|strong="H1323" his|strong="H3947" father's
 brother: for|strong="H3588" she|strong="H1931" had|strong="H1961"
 no|strong="H0369" father|strong="H0001" or|strong="H0369"
 mother|strong="H0517", and|strong="H0001" she|strong="H1931"
 was|strong="H0369" very beautiful|strong="H3303"; and|strong="H0001"
 when|strong="H3588" her|strong="H3947" father|strong="H0001"
 and|strong="H0001" mother|strong="H0517" were|strong="H1961"
 dead|strong="H4194", Mordecai|strong="H4782" took|strong="H3947"
 her|strong="H3947" for|strong="H3588" his|strong="H3947"
 daughter|strong="H1323". ⁸ So|strong="H3947" when|strong="H1961"
 the|strong="H0413" order|strong="H3027" made|strong="H1961"
 by|strong="H3027" the|strong="H0413" king|strong="H4428"
 was|strong="H1961" publicly given|strong="H8085" out|strong="H0413",
 and|strong="H3027" a|strong="H1961" number of|strong="H4428"
 girls|strong="H5291" had|strong="H1961" been|strong="H1961"
 placed|strong="H3947" in|strong="H0413" the|strong="H0413"

care|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H4428" Hegai|strong = "H1896"
 in|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0413" king's house|strong = "H1004"
 in|strong = "H0413" Shushan, Esther|strong = "H0635" was|strong = "H1961"
 taken|strong = "H3947" into|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0413" king's
 house|strong = "H1004" and|strong = "H3027" put|strong = "H3947"
 in|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0413" care|strong = "H3027"
 of|strong = "H4428" Hegai|strong = "H1896", the|strong = "H0413"
 keeper|strong = "H8104" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0413"
 women|strong = "H0802". ⁹ And|strong = "H4428" he|strong = "H5414"
 was|strong = "H0802" pleased|strong = "H3190" with|strong = "H1004"
 the|strong = "H0853" girl|strong = "H5291" and|strong = "H4428"
 was|strong = "H0802" kind|strong = "H2896" to|strong = "H5414"
 her|strong = "H0802"; and|strong = "H4428" he|strong = "H5414"
 quickly|strong = "H0926" gave|strong = "H5414" her|strong = "H0802"
 what|strong = "H2896" was|strong = "H0802" needed for|strong = "H1004"
 making|strong = "H5414" her|strong = "H0802" clean, and|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H0853" things which|strong = "H5869" were|strong = "H0802"
 hers by|strong = "H0802" right|strong = "H5869", and|strong = "H4428"
 seven|strong = "H7651" servant-girls who|strong = "H4428"
 were|strong = "H0802" to|strong = "H5414" be|strong = "H4428" hers
 from|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H0853" king's house|strong = "H1004":
 and|strong = "H4428" he|strong = "H5414" had|strong = "H4428"
 her|strong = "H0802" and|strong = "H4428" her|strong = "H0802"
 servant-girls moved to|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H0853"
 best|strong = "H2896" place|strong = "H5414" in|strong = "H1004"
 the|strong = "H0853" women's part of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853"
 house|strong = "H1004". ¹⁰ Esther|strong = "H0635" had|strong = "H0834"
 not|strong = "H3808" said what|strong = "H0834" family or|strong = "H3808"
 people|strong = "H5971" she|strong = "H0834" came from|strong = "H5921",
 for|strong = "H3588" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H0834"
 given|strong = "H6680" her|strong = "H5046" orders|strong = "H6680"
 not|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H5921" do|strong = "H6680"
 so|strong = "H3808". ¹¹ And|strong = "H1980" every|strong = "H3605"
 day|strong = "H3117" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" took|strong = "H0853"
 his|strong = "H3605" walk|strong = "H1980" before|strong = "H6440"
 the|strong = "H3605" square of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605"
 women's house|strong = "H1004", to|strong = "H1980" see|strong = "H3045"
 how|strong = "H4100" Esther|strong = "H0635" was|strong = "H0802"
 and|strong = "H1980" what|strong = "H4100" would|strong = "H4100"
 be|strong = "H1004" done|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H1980"
 her|strong = "H3605". ¹² Now|strong = "H1961" every|strong = "H3117"
 girl|strong = "H5291", when|strong = "H3588" her|strong = "H0413"
 turn|strong = "H1961" came|strong = "H0935", had|strong = "H1961"
 to|strong = "H0413" go|strong = "H0935" in|strong = "H0935"
 to|strong = "H0413" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325",
 after|strong = "H7093" undergoing, for|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H1961"

space of twelve months, what was ordered by the law for the women (for this was making them clean, that is with six months with oil of myrrh and six months with sweet perfumes and things as are needed for making women clean):¹³ And in this way the girl went in to the king; whatever she had a desire for was given to her with her from the women's house into the house of the king of H4428".¹⁴ In the evening and day after she came back to the house of the women, into the keeping of Shaashgaz, one of the king's unsexed servants who had the care of the king's wives: only if the king had delight in her and sent for her by name did she go in to him again.¹⁵ Now when the time came

for|strong = "H3588" Esther|strong = "H0635", the|strong = "H3605"
 daughter|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H4428" Abihail|strong = "H0032",
 his|strong = "H3605" father's brother, whom|strong = "H0834"
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H0834" taken|strong = "H3947"
 as|strong = "H0834" his|strong = "H3605" daughter|strong = "H1323",
 to|strong = "H0413" go|strong = "H0935" in|strong = "H0935"
 to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428",
 she|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H1961" request|strong = "H1697"
 for|strong = "H3588" nothing|strong = "H3808" but|strong = "H3588"
 what|strong = "H0834" Hegai|strong = "H1896", the|strong = "H3605" king's
 servant and|strong = "H0935" keeper|strong = "H8104" of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H3605" women|strong = "H0802", had|strong = "H0834" given
 her|strong = "H3605". And|strong = "H0935" Esther|strong = "H0635"
 was|strong = "H1961" looked|strong = "H7200" on|strong = "H0413" kindly
 by|strong = "H0413" all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H0834"
 saw|strong = "H7200" her|strong = "H3605". ¹⁶ So|strong = "H3947"
 Esther|strong = "H0635" was|strong = "H1931" taken|strong = "H3947"
 in|strong = "H8141" to|strong = "H0413" King|strong = "H4428"
 Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" in|strong = "H8141" his|strong = "H3947"
 house|strong = "H1004" in|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H0413"
 tenth|strong = "H6224" month|strong = "H2320", which|strong = "H1931"
 is|strong = "H1931" the|strong = "H0413" month|strong = "H2320"
 Tebeth|strong = "H2887", in|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H0413"
 seventh|strong = "H7651" year|strong = "H8141" of|strong = "H4428"
 his|strong = "H3947" rule|strong = "H4438". ¹⁷ And|strong = "H4428"
 Esther|strong = "H0635" was|strong = "H0802" more pleasing
 to|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
 than|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 women|strong = "H0802", and|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H6440"
 his|strong = "H3605" eyes she|strong = "H0635" was|strong = "H0802" fairer
 and|strong = "H4428" more full|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H4428"
 grace|strong = "H2580" than|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605"
 the|strong = "H3605" other|strong = "H3605" virgins|strong = "H1330":
 so|strong = "H5375" he|strong = "H0853" put|strong = "H7760"
 his|strong = "H3605" crown|strong = "H3804" on|strong = "H8478"
 her|strong = "H3605" head|strong = "H7218" and|strong = "H4428"
 made|strong = "H7760" her|strong = "H3605" queen in|strong = "H4428"
 place|strong = "H8478" of|strong = "H4428" Vashti|strong = "H2060". ¹⁸
 Then|strong = "H0853" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
 gave|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H5414" great|strong = "H1419"
 feast|strong = "H4960" for|strong = "H3027" all|strong = "H3605"
 his|strong = "H3605" captains|strong = "H8269" and|strong = "H3027"
 his|strong = "H3605" servants|strong = "H5650", even|strong = "H0853"
 Esther's feast|strong = "H4960"; and|strong = "H3027" he|strong = "H6213"
 gave|strong = "H5414" orders through|strong = "H3027" all|strong = "H3605"
 the|strong = "H3605" divisions of|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3605"

kingdom|strong = "H4428" for|strong = "H3027" a|strong = "H5414" day
of|strong = "H4428" rest from|strong = "H3027" work|strong = "H5414",
and|strong = "H3027" gave|strong = "H5414" wealth from|strong = "H3027"
his|strong = "H3605" store. ¹⁹ And|strong = "H4428"
when|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H6908" virgins|strong = "H1330" came
together|strong = "H6908" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H6908"
second|strong = "H8145" house of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6908"
women|strong = "H1330", Mordecai|strong = "H4782" took
his|strong = "H3427" seat|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427"
the|strong = "H6908" doorway of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6908"
king's house. ²⁰ Esther|strong = "H0635" had|strong = "H0834" still
said|strong = "H3982" nothing|strong = "H0369" of|strong = "H5921"
her|strong = "H5046" family or|strong = "H0369" her|strong = "H5046"
people|strong = "H5971", as|strong = "H0834" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
had|strong = "H0834" given|strong = "H6680" her|strong = "H5046"
orders|strong = "H6680"; for|strong = "H5921" Esther|strong = "H0635"
did|strong = "H6213" what|strong = "H0834" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
said|strong = "H3982", as|strong = "H0834" when|strong = "H1961"
she|strong = "H0834" was|strong = "H0369" living with|strong = "H0854"
him|strong = "H5921". ²¹ In|strong = "H3427" those|strong = "H1992"
days|strong = "H3117", while|strong = "H3117" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
was|strong = "H4428" seated|strong = "H3427" at|strong = "H3427"
the|strong = "H3117" king's doorway, two|strong = "H8147"
of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3117" king's servants,
Bigthan|strong = "H0904" and|strong = "H3027" Teresh|strong = "H8657",
keepers|strong = "H8104" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3117" door,
being|strong = "H8104" angry|strong = "H7107", were|strong = "H1992"
looking|strong = "H1245" for|strong = "H3027" a|strong = "H7971" chance
to|strong = "H7971" make|strong = "H3027" an|strong = "H7971" attack
on|strong = "H3117" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325". ²²
And|strong = "H4428" Mordecai|strong = "H4782", having|strong = "H4428"
knowledge|strong = "H3045" of|strong = "H4428" their|strong = "H3045"
purpose|strong = "H1697", sent|strong = "H0559" word|strong = "H1697"
of|strong = "H4428" it|strong = "H3045" to|strong = "H0559"
Esther|strong = "H0635" the|strong = "H0559" queen|strong = "H4436";
and|strong = "H4428" Esther|strong = "H0635" gave|strong = "H0559"
the|strong = "H0559" news|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559"
the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H4428" Mordecai's
name|strong = "H8034". ²³ And|strong = "H4428" when|strong = "H3117"
the|strong = "H6440" thing|strong = "H1697" had|strong = "H4428" been
looked|strong = "H1245" into|strong = "H5921", it|strong = "H5921"
was|strong = "H4428" seen to|strong = "H5921" be|strong = "H1697" true,
and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" two|strong = "H8147"
of|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H5921" were|strong = "H3117" put
to|strong = "H5921" death by|strong = "H5921" hanging|strong = "H8518"
on|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H4672" tree|strong = "H6086":

and it was put down in records before the king

3After these things, by order of Haman the son of Hammedatha the Agagite, was lifted up and given a position of honour and a higher place than all the other captains with him. 2 And all the king's servants who were in the king's house went down to Haman and gave him honour: for so the king had given orders. But Mordecai did not go down before him or give him honour. 3 Then the king's servants who were in the king's house said to Mordecai, Why do you go against the king's order? 4 Now when they had said this to him day after day and he gave them no attention, they let Haman have news of it, to see if Mordecai's behaviour would be overlooked: for he had said to

them|strong="H0413" that|strong="H0834" he|strong="H0834"
 was|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961" Jew|strong="H3064". ⁵
 And|strong="H7200" when|strong="H3588" Haman|strong="H2001"
 saw|strong="H7200" that|strong="H3588" Mordecai|strong="H4782"
 did|strong="H7812" not|strong="H0369" go down|strong="H7812" before
 him|strong="H7200" and|strong="H7200" give|strong="H7200"
 him|strong="H7200" honour, Haman|strong="H2001"
 was|strong="H0369" full|strong="H4390" of|strong="H4390"
 wrath|strong="H2534". ⁶ But|strong="H3588" it|strong="H3588"
 was|strong="H0834" not|strong="H3588" enough|strong="H3027"
 for|strong="H3588" him|strong="H7971" to|strong="H7971"
 make|strong="H5046" an|strong="H3588" attack on|strong="H3027"
 Mordecai|strong="H4782" only|strong="H0905"; for|strong="H3588"
 they|strong="H0834" had|strong="H0834" made|strong="H3605"
 clear|strong="H3605" to|strong="H7971" him|strong="H7971"
 who|strong="H0834" Mordecai's people|strong="H5971"
 were|strong="H0834"; so|strong="H7971" Haman|strong="H2001"
 made|strong="H3605" it|strong="H3588" his|strong="H3605" purpose
 to|strong="H7971" put|strong="H7971" an|strong="H3588" end
 to|strong="H7971" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"
 Jews|strong="H3064", even|strong="H3588" Mordecai's
 people|strong="H5971", through|strong="H3027" all|strong="H3605"
 the|strong="H3605" kingdom|strong="H4438" of|strong="H3027"
 Ahasuerus|strong="H0325". ⁷ In|strong="H8141" the|strong="H6440"
 first|strong="H7223" month|strong="H2320", the|strong="H6440"
 month|strong="H2320" Nisan|strong="H5212", in|strong="H8141"
 the|strong="H6440" twelfth year|strong="H8141" of|strong="H4428"
 King|strong="H4428" Ahasuerus|strong="H0325", from|strong="H6440"
 day|strong="H3117" to|strong="H3117" day|strong="H3117"
 and|strong="H4428" from|strong="H6440" month|strong="H2320"
 to|strong="H3117" month|strong="H2320" they|strong="H3117"
 went|strong="H6440" on|strong="H3117" looking for|strong="H3117"
 a|strong="H3117" sign given by|strong="H3117" Pur|strong="H6332"
 (that|strong="H3117" is|strong="H1931" chance) before|strong="H6440"
 Haman|strong="H2001", till the|strong="H6440" sign
 came|strong="H8141" out|strong="H6440" for|strong="H3117"
 the|strong="H6440" thirteenth day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H4428"
 the|strong="H6440" twelfth month|strong="H2320", the|strong="H6440"
 month|strong="H2320" Adar|strong="H0143". ⁸ And|strong="H4428"
 Haman|strong="H2001" said|strong="H0559" to|strong="H0559"
 King|strong="H4428" Ahasuerus|strong="H0325", There|strong="H0369"
 is|strong="H0369" a|strong="H0259" certain|strong="H0259"
 nation|strong="H5971" living here and|strong="H4428"
 there|strong="H0369" in|strong="H4428" small groups
 among|strong="H0996" the|strong="H3605" people|strong="H5971"
 in|strong="H4428" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" divisions

of|strong = "H4428" your|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4438";
 their|strong = "H3605" laws|strong = "H1881" are|strong = "H3426" different
 from|strong = "H6504" those|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H4428"
 any|strong = "H3605" other|strong = "H0259" nation|strong = "H5971",
 and|strong = "H4428" they|strong = "H0559" do|strong = "H6213"
 not|strong = "H0369" keep|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605" king's
 laws|strong = "H1881": for|strong = "H3605" this|strong = "H3605" reason
 it|strong = "H6213" is|strong = "H0369" not|strong = "H0369" right
 for|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
 to|strong = "H0559" let them|strong = "H0853" be|strong = "H4428". ⁹
 If|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H0518" is|strong = "H3027"
 the|strong = "H5921" king's pleasure, let a|strong = "H0518" statement
 ordering their|strong = "H5921" destruction|strong = "H0006"
 be|strong = "H3027" put|strong = "H0935" in|strong = "H5921"
 writing|strong = "H3789": and|strong = "H0935" I|strong = "H0518"
 will|strong = "H4428" give|strong = "H0006" to|strong = "H0413"
 those|strong = "H5921" responsible|strong = "H6213" for|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H5921" king's business|strong = "H4399", ten|strong = "H6235"
 thousand|strong = "H0505" talents|strong = "H3603" of|strong = "H4428"
 silver|strong = "H3701" for|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" king's
 store-house. ¹⁰ And|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H0853"
 king|strong = "H4428" took|strong = "H5493" his|strong = "H5414"
 ring|strong = "H2885" from|strong = "H5493" his|strong = "H5414"
 hand|strong = "H3027" and|strong = "H1121" gave|strong = "H5414"
 it|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5921" Haman|strong = "H2001",
 the|strong = "H0853" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
 Hammedatha the|strong = "H0853" Agagite|strong = "H0091",
 the|strong = "H0853" hater of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H0853"
 Jews|strong = "H3064". ¹¹ And|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0559"
 king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559"
 Haman|strong = "H2001", The|strong = "H0559" money|strong = "H3701"
 is|strong = "H4428" yours|strong = "H5414", and|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H0559" people|strong = "H5971", to|strong = "H0559"
 do|strong = "H6213" with|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H5414"
 whatever|strong = "H2896" seems|strong = "H5869" right|strong = "H5869"
 to|strong = "H0559" you|strong = "H5414". ¹² Then|strong = "H4428"
 on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" thirteenth day|strong = "H3117"
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" first|strong = "H7223"
 month|strong = "H2320", the|strong = "H3605" king's
 scribes|strong = "H5608" were|strong = "H0834" sent|strong = "H6680"
 for|strong = "H5921", and|strong = "H4428" they|strong = "H0834"
 put|strong = "H6680" in|strong = "H5921" writing|strong = "H3789" Haman's
 orders|strong = "H6680" to|strong = "H0413" all|strong = "H3605"
 the|strong = "H3605" king's captains|strong = "H8269" and|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H3605" rulers|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H4428"
 every|strong = "H3605" division of|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3605"

kingdom|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
chiefs|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H4428" every|strong = "H3605"
people|strong = "H5971": for|strong = "H5921" every|strong = "H3605"
division of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
kingdom|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"
writing|strong = "H3789" commonly used|strong = "H3605"
there|strong = "H3605", and|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H0413"
every|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H5921"
the|strong = "H3605" language|strong = "H3956" which|strong = "H0834"
was|strong = "H8034" theirs; it|strong = "H5921" was|strong = "H8034"
signed|strong = "H3789" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"
name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H4428" King|strong = "H4428"
Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" and|strong = "H4428" stamped
with|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" king's ring|strong = "H2885".
¹³ And|strong = "H3027" letters|strong = "H5612" were|strong = "H0802"
sent|strong = "H7971" by|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3605"
runners|strong = "H7323" into|strong = "H0413" every|strong = "H3605"
division of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
kingdom|strong = "H4428" ordering the|strong = "H3605" death
and|strong = "H3027" destruction|strong = "H8045" of|strong = "H4428"
all|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064", young|strong = "H5288"
and|strong = "H3027" old|strong = "H2205", little|strong = "H2945"
children|strong = "H2945" and|strong = "H3027" women|strong = "H0802",
on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" same|strong = "H1931"
day|strong = "H3117", even|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3605"
thirteenth day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
twelfth month|strong = "H2320", the|strong = "H3605"
month|strong = "H2320" Adar|strong = "H0143", and|strong = "H3027"
the|strong = "H3605" taking|strong = "H0962" of|strong = "H4428"
all|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605" goods by|strong = "H3027"
force|strong = "H3027". ¹⁴ A|strong = "H1961" copy|strong = "H6572"
of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" writing|strong = "H3791",
to|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" made|strong = "H5414" public
in|strong = "H3117" every|strong = "H3605" part of|strong = "H3117"
the|strong = "H3605" kingdom, was|strong = "H1961" sent|strong = "H5414"
out|strong = "H3605" to|strong = "H1961" all|strong = "H3605"
the|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971", so|strong = "H1961"
that|strong = "H3605" they|strong = "H3117" might be|strong = "H1961"
ready|strong = "H6264" when|strong = "H1961" that|strong = "H3605"
day|strong = "H3117" came|strong = "H1961". ¹⁵ The|strong = "H5414"
runners|strong = "H7323" went|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318"
quickly|strong = "H7323" by|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H5414" king's
order|strong = "H1697", and|strong = "H4428" a|strong = "H5414" public
statement was|strong = "H4428" made|strong = "H5414" in|strong = "H3427"
Shushan: and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5414" king|strong = "H4428"
and|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001" took|strong = "H3318" wine

together: but|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5414" town|strong = "H5892"
of|strong = "H4428" Shushan was|strong = "H4428" troubled.

4Now|strong = "H1419" when|strong = "H0834"
Mordecai|strong = "H4782" saw what|strong = "H0834"
was|strong = "H0834" done|strong = "H6213", pulling off|strong = "H3318"
his|strong = "H3605" robe, he|strong = "H0834" put|strong = "H3847"
on|strong = "H3847" haircloth, with|strong = "H3847" dust|strong = "H0665"
on|strong = "H3847" his|strong = "H3605" head, and|strong = "H1419"
went|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318" into|strong = "H8432"
the|strong = "H3605" middle|strong = "H8432" of|strong = "H3605"
the|strong = "H3605" town|strong = "H5892", crying|strong = "H2199"
out|strong = "H3318" with|strong = "H3847" a|strong = "H0834"
loud|strong = "H1419" and|strong = "H1419" bitter|strong = "H4751"
cry|strong = "H2199". ² And|strong = "H0935" he|strong = "H3588"
came|strong = "H0935" even|strong = "H5704" before|strong = "H6440"
the|strong = "H6440" king's doorway; for|strong = "H3588"
no|strong = "H0369" one|strong = "H0369" might come|strong = "H0935"
inside|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" king's door
clothed|strong = "H3830" in|strong = "H0935" haircloth. ³
And|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H4428" every|strong = "H3605" part
of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4428",
wherever|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H3605" king's
word|strong = "H1697" and|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3605"
order|strong = "H1697" came|strong = "H5060", there|strong = "H3605"
was|strong = "H0834" great|strong = "H1419" sorrow|strong = "H4553"
among the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064", and|strong = "H4428"
weeping|strong = "H1065" and|strong = "H4428" crying|strong = "H1065"
and|strong = "H4428" going without food; and|strong = "H4428" numbers
of|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H5060" were|strong = "H0834" stretched
on|strong = "H4725" the|strong = "H3605" earth covered
with|strong = "H1697" dust|strong = "H0665" and|strong = "H4428"
haircloth. ⁴ And|strong = "H0935" Esther's women|strong = "H5291"
and|strong = "H0935" her|strong = "H7971" servants came|strong = "H0935"
and|strong = "H0935" gave|strong = "H7971" her|strong = "H7971"
word|strong = "H5046" of|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H5921".
Then|strong = "H0853" great|strong = "H3966" was|strong = "H5291"
the|strong = "H0853" grief of|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853"
queen|strong = "H4436": and|strong = "H0935" she|strong = "H0635"
sent|strong = "H7971" robes|strong = "H0899" for|strong = "H5921"
Mordecai|strong = "H4782", so|strong = "H7971" that|strong = "H3808"
his|strong = "H5921" clothing|strong = "H0899" of|strong = "H5921"
haircloth might|strong = "H3966" be|strong = "H3808"
taken|strong = "H5493" off|strong = "H5921"; but|strong = "H3808"
he|strong = "H3808" would|strong = "H5291" not|strong = "H3808"

have|strong = "H3808" them|strong = "H0853". ⁵ Then|strong = "H2088"
 Esther|strong = "H0635" sent|strong = "H6680" for|strong = "H5921"
 Hathach|strong = "H2047", one|strong = "H2088" of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H6440" king's unsexed servants whom|strong = "H0834"
 he|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834" given|strong = "H6680"
 her|strong = "H5921" for|strong = "H5921" waiting on|strong = "H5921"
 her|strong = "H5921", and|strong = "H4428" she|strong = "H0834"
 gave|strong = "H6680" him|strong = "H5921" orders|strong = "H6680"
 to|strong = "H5921" go to|strong = "H5921" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
 and|strong = "H4428" see|strong = "H3045" what|strong = "H4100"
 this|strong = "H2088" was|strong = "H0834" and|strong = "H4428"
 why|strong = "H4100" it|strong = "H5921" was|strong = "H0834". ⁶
 So|strong = "H3318" Hathach|strong = "H2047" went|strong = "H3318"
 out|strong = "H3318" and|strong = "H4428" saw Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
 in|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H6440" open|strong = "H6440"
 square|strong = "H7339" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440"
 town|strong = "H8179" before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" king's
 doorway. ⁷ And|strong = "H4428" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
 gave|strong = "H0559" him|strong = "H5921" an|strong = "H0559"
 account|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H4428" what|strong = "H0834"
 had|strong = "H0834" taken place|strong = "H3605", and|strong = "H4428"
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" amount|strong = "H6575"
 of|strong = "H4428" money|strong = "H3701" which|strong = "H0834"
 Haman|strong = "H2001" had|strong = "H0834" said|strong = "H0559"
 he|strong = "H0834" would|strong = "H0559" put into|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H3605" king's store for|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"
 destruction|strong = "H0006" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
 Jews|strong = "H3064". ⁸ And|strong = "H0935" he|strong = "H0834"
 gave|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0853"
 copy|strong = "H6572" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853"
 order|strong = "H6680" which|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834"
 been|strong = "H0834" given|strong = "H5414" out|strong = "H6440"
 in|strong = "H5921" Shushan for|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5414"
 destruction|strong = "H8045", ordering him|strong = "H0413"
 to|strong = "H0413" let|strong = "H5414" Esther|strong = "H0635"
 see|strong = "H7200" it|strong = "H5414", and|strong = "H0935"
 to|strong = "H0413" make|strong = "H5414" it|strong = "H5414" clear
 to|strong = "H0413" her|strong = "H0413"; and|strong = "H0935"
 to|strong = "H0413" say to|strong = "H0413" her|strong = "H0413"
 that|strong = "H0834" she|strong = "H0834" was|strong = "H0834"
 to|strong = "H0413" go|strong = "H0935" in|strong = "H5921"
 to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428", requesting
 his|strong = "H5414" mercy|strong = "H2603", and|strong = "H0935"
 making|strong = "H5414" prayer for|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H0413"
 people|strong = "H5971". ⁹ And|strong = "H0935"
 Hathach|strong = "H2047" came|strong = "H0935" back|strong = "H0935"

and|strong = "H0935" gave|strong = "H0935" Esther|strong = "H0635"
 an|strong = "H0935" account|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1697"
 what|strong = "H1697" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H4782"
 said|strong = "H1697". ¹⁰ Then|strong = "H0559" Esther|strong = "H0635"
 sent|strong = "H6680" Hathach|strong = "H2047" to|strong = "H0413"
 say|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413" Mordecai|strong = "H4782": ¹¹
 It|strong = "H7121" is|strong = "H0834" common
 knowledge|strong = "H3045" among|strong = "H0413" all|strong = "H3605"
 the|strong = "H3605" king's servants|strong = "H5650" and|strong = "H0935"
 the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H4428"
 every|strong = "H3605" part|strong = "H0905" of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4428", that|strong = "H0834"
 if|strong = "H0834" anyone|strong = "H3605", man|strong = "H0376"
 or|strong = "H3808" woman|strong = "H0802", comes|strong = "H0935"
 to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
 in|strong = "H0935" his|strong = "H3605" inner|strong = "H6442" room
 without|strong = "H3808" being sent for|strong = "H7121",
 there|strong = "H2088" is|strong = "H0834" only|strong = "H0905"
 one|strong = "H0259" law|strong = "H1881" for|strong = "H7121"
 him|strong = "H0413", that|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834"
 is|strong = "H0834" to|strong = "H0413" be|strong = "H4191"
 put|strong = "H4191" to|strong = "H0413" death|strong = "H4191";
 only|strong = "H0905" those|strong = "H3605" to|strong = "H0413"
 whom|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H3605" king's rod of|strong = "H4428"
 gold|strong = "H2091" is|strong = "H0834" stretched out|strong = "H3045"
 may|strong = "H0376" keep|strong = "H0935" their|strong = "H3605"
 lives|strong = "H2421": but|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H0589"
 have|strong = "H0834" not|strong = "H3808" been|strong = "H0834" sent
 for|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H0413" come|strong = "H0935"
 before|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
 these|strong = "H2088" thirty|strong = "H7970" days|strong = "H3117". ¹²
 And|strong = "H1697" they said|strong = "H1697" these
 words|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H1697" Mordecai|strong = "H4782". ¹³
 Then|strong = "H0559" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" sent|strong = "H7725"
 this|strong = "H7725" answer|strong = "H7725" back|strong = "H7725"
 to|strong = "H0413" Esther|strong = "H0635": Do|strong = "H0408"
 not|strong = "H0408" have|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" idea
 that|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605" in|strong = "H0413"
 the|strong = "H3605" king's house|strong = "H1004" will|strong = "H4428"
 be|strong = "H0408" safe from|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H3605" fate
 of|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 Jews|strong = "H3064". ¹⁴ If|strong = "H0518" at|strong = "H1004"
 this|strong = "H2063" time|strong = "H6256" you|strong = "H0859" say
 nothing|strong = "H0518", then|strong = "H0859" help and|strong = "H1004"
 salvation will|strong = "H4310" come|strong = "H5060" to|strong = "H6256"
 the|strong = "H3588" Jews|strong = "H3064" from|strong = "H0006"

some|strong = "H4725" other|strong = "H0312" place|strong = "H4725",
 but|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H0859" and|strong = "H1004"
 your|strong = "H3045" father's family|strong = "H1004"
 will|strong = "H4310" come|strong = "H5060" to|strong = "H6256"
 destruction|strong = "H0006": and|strong = "H1004" who|strong = "H4310"
 is|strong = "H4310" to|strong = "H6256" say that|strong = "H3588"
 you|strong = "H0859" have|strong = "H0001" not|strong = "H0518"
 come|strong = "H5060" to|strong = "H6256" the|strong = "H3588"
 kingdom|strong = "H4438" even|strong = "H3588" for|strong = "H3588"
 such|strong = "H2063" a|strong = "H3588" time|strong = "H6256"
 as|strong = "H3588" this|strong = "H2063"? ¹⁵ Then|strong = "H0559"
 Esther|strong = "H0635" sent|strong = "H7725" them|strong = "H0413"
 back|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H0413" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
 with|strong = "H0413" this|strong = "H7725" answer|strong = "H7725": ¹⁶
 Go|strong = "H0935", get|strong = "H0935" together|strong = "H5921"
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064"
 who|strong = "H0834" are|strong = "H0834" present|strong = "H4672"
 in|strong = "H5921" Shushan, and|strong = "H0935" go|strong = "H0935"
 without|strong = "H3808" food|strong = "H0398" for|strong = "H5921"
 me|strong = "H0413", taking|strong = "H0935" no|strong = "H3808"
 food|strong = "H0398" or|strong = "H3808" drink|strong = "H8354"
 night|strong = "H3915" or|strong = "H3808" day|strong = "H3117"
 for|strong = "H5921" three|strong = "H7969" days|strong = "H3117":
 and|strong = "H0935" I|strong = "H0589" and|strong = "H0935"
 my|strong = "H3605" women|strong = "H0398" will|strong = "H0834"
 do|strong = "H0408" the|strong = "H3605" same|strong = "H3651";
 and|strong = "H0935" so|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H0589"
 will|strong = "H0834" go|strong = "H0935" in|strong = "H5921"
 to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428",
 which|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H0834" against|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H3605" law|strong = "H1881": and|strong = "H0935"
 if|strong = "H0834" death is|strong = "H0834" to|strong = "H0413"
 be|strong = "H3808" my|strong = "H3605" fate|strong = "H3117",
 then|strong = "H0853" let|strong = "H0408" it|strong = "H5921"
 come|strong = "H0935". ¹⁷ So|strong = "H6213" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
 went away|strong = "H3605" and|strong = "H3605" did|strong = "H6213"
 everything|strong = "H3605" as|strong = "H0834" Esther|strong = "H0635"
 had|strong = "H0834" said.

5Now|strong = "H1961" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"
 third|strong = "H7992" day|strong = "H3117", Esther|strong = "H0635"
 put|strong = "H3847" on|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H5921" queen's
 robes|strong = "H4438", and|strong = "H4428" took|strong = "H1961"
 her|strong = "H5921" place|strong = "H1961" in|strong = "H3427"
 the|strong = "H5921" inner|strong = "H6442" room|strong = "H1004"

of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5921" king's house|strong = "H1004", facing the|strong = "H5921" king's house|strong = "H1004": and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428" was|strong = "H1961" seated|strong = "H3427" on|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" high seat|strong = "H3678" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H5921" king's house|strong = "H1004", facing the|strong = "H5921" doorway|strong = "H6607" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004". ² And|strong = "H3027" when|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428" saw|strong = "H7200" Esther|strong = "H0635" the|strong = "H0853" queen|strong = "H4436" waiting in|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853" inner room, looking|strong = "H7200" kindly on|strong = "H7200" her|strong = "H7200" he|strong = "H0834" put|strong = "H5375" out|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H0853" rod of|strong = "H4428" gold|strong = "H2091" in|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H5375" hand|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H1961" her|strong = "H7200". So|strong = "H1961" Esther|strong = "H0635" came|strong = "H1961" near|strong = "H7126" and|strong = "H3027" put|strong = "H5375" her|strong = "H7200" fingers on|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H0853" top|strong = "H7218" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853" rod. ³ Then|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559", What|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100" your|strong = "H5414" desire, Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635", and|strong = "H4428" what|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100" your|strong = "H5414" request|strong = "H1246"? I|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H4428" give|strong = "H5414" it|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H0559" you|strong = "H5414", even|strong = "H5704" to|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0559" half|strong = "H2677" of|strong = "H4428" my|strong = "H5414" kingdom|strong = "H4438". ⁴ And|strong = "H0935" Esther|strong = "H0635" in|strong = "H5921" answer|strong = "H0559" said|strong = "H0559", If|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H0518" seems good|strong = "H2895" to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428", let the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H0935" Haman|strong = "H2001" come|strong = "H0935" today|strong = "H3117" to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0559" feast|strong = "H4960" which|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0834" have|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H6213" ready for|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H0413". ⁵ Then|strong = "H0853" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559", Let Haman|strong = "H2001" come|strong = "H0935" quickly|strong = "H4116", so|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H0834" what|strong = "H0834" Esther|strong = "H0635" has|strong = "H0834" said|strong = "H0559" may|strong = "H0834" be|strong = "H1697" done|strong = "H6213". So|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H0935" Haman|strong = "H2001" came|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413"

the|strong = "H0853" feast|strong = "H4960" which|strong = "H0834"
Esther|strong = "H0635" had|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H6213" ready.

⁶ And|strong = "H4428" while|strong = "H5704" they|strong = "H5704"
were|strong = "H4428" drinking|strong = "H4960" wine|strong = "H3196"
the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559"
to|strong = "H0559" Esther|strong = "H0635", What|strong = "H4100"
is|strong = "H4100" your|strong = "H5414" prayer? for|strong = "H4960"
it|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H4428"
given|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H0559" you|strong = "H5414"
and|strong = "H4428" what|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100"
your|strong = "H5414" request|strong = "H1246"? for|strong = "H4960"
it|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H4428"
done|strong = "H6213", even|strong = "H5704" to|strong = "H0559"
the|strong = "H0559" half|strong = "H2677" of|strong = "H4428"
my|strong = "H5414" kingdom|strong = "H4438". ⁷ Then|strong = "H6030"
Esther|strong = "H0635" said|strong = "H0559" in|strong = "H0559"
answer|strong = "H6030", My|strong = "H0559" prayer and|strong = "H0559"
my|strong = "H0559" request|strong = "H1246" is|strong = "H0559" this: ⁸
If|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0834" have|strong = "H0834"
the|strong = "H0853" king's approval, and|strong = "H0935"
if|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H5414" is|strong = "H0834"
the|strong = "H0853" king's pleasure to|strong = "H0413"
give|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H0413" my|strong = "H5414" prayer
and|strong = "H0935" do|strong = "H6213" my|strong = "H5414"
request|strong = "H1246", let|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H0853"
king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H0935" Haman|strong = "H2001"
come|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0853"
feast|strong = "H4960" which|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0834"
will|strong = "H0834" make|strong = "H5414" ready for|strong = "H5921"
them|strong = "H0413", and|strong = "H0935" tomorrow|strong = "H4279"
I|strong = "H0834" will|strong = "H0834" do|strong = "H6213"
as|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428"
has|strong = "H0834" said|strong = "H0413". ⁹ Then|strong = "H6965"
on|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"
Haman|strong = "H2001" went|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318"
full|strong = "H4390" of|strong = "H4428" joy|strong = "H5921"
and|strong = "H6965" glad|strong = "H8056" in|strong = "H5921"
heart|strong = "H3820"; but|strong = "H3808" when|strong = "H3117"
he|strong = "H1931" saw|strong = "H7200" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853" king's doorway,
and|strong = "H6965" he|strong = "H1931" did|strong = "H3808"
not|strong = "H3808" get|strong = "H6965" to|strong = "H5921"
his|strong = "H5921" feet or|strong = "H3808" give|strong = "H7200"
any|strong = "H4480" sign of|strong = "H4428" fear before|strong = "H4480"
him|strong = "H5921", Haman|strong = "H2001" was|strong = "H1931"
full|strong = "H4390" of|strong = "H4428" wrath|strong = "H2534"

against|strong = "H5921" Mordecai|strong = "H4782". ¹⁰
 But|strong = "H0935" controlling himself|strong = "H0413",
 he|strong = "H0853" went|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413",
 his|strong = "H7971" house|strong = "H1004"; and|strong = "H0935"
 he|strong = "H0853" sent|strong = "H7971" for|strong = "H0413"
 his|strong = "H7971" friends|strong = "H0157" and|strong = "H0935"
 Zeresh|strong = "H2238", his|strong = "H7971" wife|strong = "H0802". ¹¹
 And|strong = "H1121" he|strong = "H0834" gave them|strong = "H1992"
 an|strong = "H5375" account|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H1121"
 the|strong = "H3605" glories of|strong = "H1121" his|strong = "H3605"
 wealth|strong = "H6239", and|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605"
 number|strong = "H7230" of|strong = "H1121" children|strong = "H1121"
 he|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834", and|strong = "H1121"
 the|strong = "H3605" ways in|strong = "H5921" which|strong = "H0834"
 he|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834" been|strong = "H0834" honoured
 by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428",
 and|strong = "H1121" how|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834"
 had|strong = "H0834" put|strong = "H5375" him|strong = "H5921"
 over|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" captains|strong = "H8269"
 and|strong = "H1121" servants|strong = "H5650" of|strong = "H1121"
 the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428". ¹² And|strong = "H0935"
 Haman|strong = "H2001" said|strong = "H0559" further,
 Truly|strong = "H3588", Esther|strong = "H0635" the|strong = "H0853"
 queen|strong = "H4436" let|strong = "H0637" no|strong = "H3808" man
 but|strong = "H3588" myself|strong = "H0589" come|strong = "H0935"
 in|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0853"
 feast|strong = "H4960" which|strong = "H0834" she|strong = "H0834"
 had|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H6213" ready for|strong = "H3588"
 the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428"; and|strong = "H0935"
 tomorrow|strong = "H4279" again I|strong = "H0589" am|strong = "H0589"
 to|strong = "H0413" be|strong = "H3808" her|strong = "H0413" guest
 with|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428". ¹³
 But|strong = "H7200" all|strong = "H3605" this|strong = "H2088"
 is|strong = "H0369" nothing|strong = "H0369" to|strong = "H0369"
 me|strong = "H7200" while|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0589"
 see|strong = "H7200" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" the|strong = "H3605"
 Jew|strong = "H3064" seated|strong = "H3427" by|strong = "H3605"
 the|strong = "H3605" king's doorway. ¹⁴ Then|strong = "H0853"
 his|strong = "H3605" wife|strong = "H0802" Zeresh|strong = "H2238"
 and|strong = "H0935" all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605"
 friends|strong = "H0157" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413"
 him|strong = "H0413", Let|strong = "H8056" a|strong = "H0935" pillar,
 fifty|strong = "H2572" cubits|strong = "H0520" high|strong = "H1364",
 be|strong = "H1697" made|strong = "H6213" ready for|strong = "H5921"
 hanging|strong = "H8518" him|strong = "H0413", and|strong = "H0935"
 in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" morning|strong = "H1242"

get|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
 to|strong = "H0413" give|strong = "H0935" orders|strong = "H0559"
 for|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" hanging|strong = "H8518"
 of|strong = "H4428" Mordecai|strong = "H4782": then|strong = "H0853"
 you|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H1697" able
 to|strong = "H0413" go|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413"
 the|strong = "H3605" feast|strong = "H4960" with|strong = "H5973"
 the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428" with|strong = "H5973"
 a|strong = "H0935" glad|strong = "H8056" heart. And|strong = "H0935"
 Haman|strong = "H2001" was|strong = "H0802" pleased|strong = "H3190"
 with|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H3605" suggestion,
 and|strong = "H0935" he|strong = "H6213" had|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H3605" pillar made|strong = "H6213".

6That|strong = "H3117" night|strong = "H3915" the|strong = "H0853"
 king|strong = "H4428" was|strong = "H1961" unable to|strong = "H0559"
 get|strong = "H0935" any|strong = "H1961" sleep|strong = "H8142";
 and|strong = "H0935" he|strong = "H1931" sent|strong = "H0559"
 for|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H0853" books|strong = "H5612"
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853" records|strong = "H1697";
 and|strong = "H0935" while|strong = "H1961" some|strong = "H3117"
 one|strong = "H1931" was|strong = "H1961" reading|strong = "H7121"
 them|strong = "H0853" to|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0853"
 king|strong = "H4428", ² It|strong = "H5921" came|strong = "H4672"
 out|strong = "H7971" that|strong = "H0834" it|strong = "H5921"
 was|strong = "H0834" recorded|strong = "H3789" in|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H0834" book how|strong = "H0834"
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H0834" given|strong = "H3027"
 word|strong = "H5046" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0834" designs
 of|strong = "H4428" Bigthana|strong = "H0904" and|strong = "H3027"
 Teresh|strong = "H8657", two|strong = "H8147" of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H0834" king's servants, keepers|strong = "H8104"
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0834" door, by|strong = "H5921"
 whom|strong = "H0834" an|strong = "H7971" attack on|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H0834" king|strong = "H4428" had|strong = "H0834"
 been|strong = "H0834" designed. ³ And|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559",
 What|strong = "H4100" honour and|strong = "H4428" reward
 have|strong = "H1697" been|strong = "H3808" given to|strong = "H0559"
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" for|strong = "H5921" this|strong = "H2088"?
 Then|strong = "H2088" the|strong = "H0559" servants|strong = "H5288"
 who|strong = "H5288" were|strong = "H1697" waiting on|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559",
 Nothing|strong = "H3808" has|strong = "H4428" been|strong = "H3808"
 done|strong = "H6213" for|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921". ⁴

Then|strong = "H0853" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559", Who|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H0834" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853" outer|strong = "H2435" room|strong = "H1004"? Now|strong = "H0935" Haman|strong = "H2001" had|strong = "H0834" come|strong = "H0935" into|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0853" outer|strong = "H2435" room|strong = "H1004" to|strong = "H0559" get|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0853" king's authority|strong = "H5921" for|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853" hanging|strong = "H8518" of|strong = "H4428" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853" pillar which|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H3559" ready|strong = "H3559" for|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921". ⁵ And|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0559" king's servants|strong = "H5288" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413" him|strong = "H0413", See|strong = "H2009", Haman|strong = "H2001" is|strong = "H2009" waiting in|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0559" outer room. And|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559", Let him|strong = "H0413" come|strong = "H0935" in|strong = "H0935". ⁶ So|strong = "H4480" Haman|strong = "H2001" came|strong = "H0935" in|strong = "H0935". And|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559" him|strong = "H0935", What|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H0834" to|strong = "H0559" be|strong = "H0376" done|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0559" man|strong = "H0376" whom|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" has|strong = "H0834" delight|strong = "H2654" in|strong = "H0935" honouring? Then|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0559" thought|strong = "H0559" came|strong = "H0935" into|strong = "H0935" Haman's mind|strong = "H3820", Whom|strong = "H0834", more|strong = "H4480" than|strong = "H4480" myself|strong = "H3820", would|strong = "H4310" the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" have|strong = "H0834" pleasure|strong = "H2654" in|strong = "H0935" honouring? ⁷ And|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001", answering the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428", said|strong = "H0559", For|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0559" man|strong = "H0376" whom|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428" has|strong = "H0834" delight|strong = "H2654" in|strong = "H0413" honouring, ⁸ Let|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414" take|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0834" robes|strong = "H3830" which|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0834" king|strong = "H4428" generally puts|strong = "H5414" on|strong = "H5921", and|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0834" horse|strong = "H5483" on|strong = "H5921" which|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0834" king|strong = "H4428" goes|strong = "H0935", and|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0834" crown|strong = "H3804" which|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H0834" on|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5414" head|strong = "H7218": ⁹

And|strong = "H3027" let|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H0853"
 robes|strong = "H3830" and|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H0853"
 horse|strong = "H5483" be|strong = "H0376" given|strong = "H5414"
 to|strong = "H5921" one|strong = "H0376" of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H0853" king's most|strong = "H4428" noble|strong = "H6579"
 captains|strong = "H8269", so|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H0834"
 they|strong = "H0834" may|strong = "H0376" put|strong = "H5414"
 them|strong = "H5414" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853"
 man|strong = "H0376" whom|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0853"
 king|strong = "H4428" has|strong = "H0834" delight|strong = "H2654"
 in|strong = "H5921" honouring, and|strong = "H3027" let|strong = "H5414"
 him|strong = "H5414" go on|strong = "H5921" horseback|strong = "H5483"
 through|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H0853" streets|strong = "H7339"
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853" town|strong = "H5892",
 with|strong = "H3847" men|strong = "H0376" crying|strong = "H7121"
 out|strong = "H6440" before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H5414",
 So|strong = "H6213" let|strong = "H5414" it|strong = "H5414"
 be|strong = "H0376" done|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H0853" man|strong = "H0376" whom|strong = "H0834"
 the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428" has|strong = "H0834"
 delight|strong = "H2654" in|strong = "H5921" honouring. ¹⁰
 Then|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559" Haman|strong = "H2001",
 Go|strong = "H5307" quickly|strong = "H4116", and|strong = "H4428"
 take|strong = "H3947" the|strong = "H3605" robes|strong = "H3830"
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" horse|strong = "H5483",
 as|strong = "H0834" you|strong = "H0834" have|strong = "H0834"
 said|strong = "H0559", and|strong = "H4428" do|strong = "H6213"
 even|strong = "H3651" so|strong = "H3651" to|strong = "H0559"
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" the|strong = "H3605" Jew|strong = "H3064",
 who|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H0834" seated|strong = "H3427"
 at|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3605" king's doorway:
 see|strong = "H0834" that|strong = "H0834" you|strong = "H0834"
 do|strong = "H6213" everything|strong = "H3605" as|strong = "H0834"
 you|strong = "H0834" have|strong = "H0834" said|strong = "H0559". ¹¹
 Then|strong = "H3947" Haman|strong = "H2001" took|strong = "H3947"
 the|strong = "H0853" robes|strong = "H3830" and|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H0853" horse|strong = "H5483", and|strong = "H4428" dressing
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" in|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853"
 robes|strong = "H3830", he|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H6213"
 him|strong = "H0853" go on|strong = "H3847" horseback|strong = "H5483"
 through the|strong = "H0853" streets|strong = "H7339" of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H0853" town|strong = "H5892", crying|strong = "H7121"
 out|strong = "H6440" before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H0853",
 So|strong = "H6213" let it|strong = "H7121" be|strong = "H0376"
 done|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H0376" the|strong = "H0853"

man|strong = "H0376" whom|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0853"
king|strong = "H4428" has|strong = "H0834" delight|strong = "H2654"
in|strong = "H4428" honouring. ¹² And|strong = "H4428"
Mordecai|strong = "H4782" came|strong = "H0413" back|strong = "H7725"
to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0413" king's doorway.
But|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001" went|strong = "H7725"
quickly|strong = "H1765" back|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H0413"
his|strong = "H7725" house|strong = "H1004", sad and|strong = "H4428"
with|strong = "H0413" his|strong = "H7725" head|strong = "H7218"
covered|strong = "H2645". ¹³ And|strong = "H0802"
Haman|strong = "H2001" gave|strong = "H0559" his|strong = "H3605"
wife|strong = "H0802" Zeresh|strong = "H2238" and|strong = "H0802"
all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" friends|strong = "H0157"
an|strong = "H3588" account|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H6440"
what|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834" taken|strong = "H5608"
place|strong = "H3605". Then|strong = "H0853" his|strong = "H3605"
wise|strong = "H2450" men|strong = "H2450" and|strong = "H0802"
his|strong = "H3605" wife|strong = "H0802" Zeresh|strong = "H2238"
said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559" him|strong = "H0853",
If|strong = "H0518" Mordecai|strong = "H4782", who|strong = "H0834"
is|strong = "H0834" starting to|strong = "H0559" get the|strong = "H3605"
better of|strong = "H6440" you|strong = "H0834", is|strong = "H0834"
of|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H3605" seed|strong = "H2233"
of|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064",
you|strong = "H0834" will|strong = "H0834" not|strong = "H3808"
be|strong = "H3808" able|strong = "H3201" to|strong = "H0559"
do|strong = "H0518" anything|strong = "H3605" against|strong = "H6440"
him|strong = "H0853", but|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H0834"
will|strong = "H0834" certainly|strong = "H3588" go|strong = "H2490"
down|strong = "H5307" before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H0853". ¹⁴
While|strong = "H5750" they|strong = "H0834" were|strong = "H0834"
still|strong = "H5750" talking|strong = "H1696", the|strong = "H0853" king's
servants came|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413" take|strong = "H0935"
Haman|strong = "H2001" to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0853"
feast|strong = "H4960" which|strong = "H0834" Esther|strong = "H0635"
had|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H6213" ready.

7So|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0935" king|strong = "H4428"
and|strong = "H0935" Haman|strong = "H2001" came|strong = "H0935"
to|strong = "H0935" take|strong = "H0935" wine with|strong = "H5973"
Esther|strong = "H0635" the|strong = "H0935" queen|strong = "H4436". ²
And|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0559" king|strong = "H4428"
said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559" Esther|strong = "H0635"
again|strong = "H8145" on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0559"
second|strong = "H8145" day|strong = "H3117", while|strong = "H5704"

they|strong="H3117" were|strong="H3117" drinking|strong="H4960",
 What|strong="H4100" is|strong="H4100" your|strong="H5414" prayer,
 Queen|strong="H4436" Esther|strong="H0635"? for|strong="H3117"
 it|strong="H5414" will|strong="H4428" be|strong="H1571"
 given|strong="H5414" to|strong="H0559" you|strong="H5414";
 and|strong="H4428" what|strong="H4100" is|strong="H4100"
 your|strong="H5414" request|strong="H1246"? for|strong="H3117"
 it|strong="H5414" will|strong="H4428" be|strong="H1571"
 done|strong="H6213", even|strong="H1571" to|strong="H0559"
 the|strong="H0559" half|strong="H2677" of|strong="H4428"
 my|strong="H5414" kingdom|strong="H4438". ³ Then|strong="H6030"
 Esther|strong="H0635" the|strong="H0559" queen|strong="H4436",
 answering, said|strong="H0559", If|strong="H0518" I|strong="H0518"
 have|strong="H5869" your|strong="H5414" approval, O|strong="H5315"
 king|strong="H4428", and|strong="H4428" if|strong="H0518"
 it|strong="H5414" is|strong="H5315" the|strong="H0559" king's pleasure,
 let|strong="H5414" my|strong="H5414" life|strong="H5315"
 be|strong="H5315" given|strong="H5414" to|strong="H0559"
 me|strong="H5414" in|strong="H5921" answer|strong="H6030"
 to|strong="H0559" my|strong="H5414" prayer, and|strong="H4428"
 my|strong="H5414" people|strong="H5971" at|strong="H5921"
 my|strong="H5414" request|strong="H1246": ⁴ For|strong="H3588"
 we|strong="H3588" are|strong="H5650" given|strong="H5650"
 up|strong="H4428", I|strong="H0589" and|strong="H4428"
 my|strong="H3588" people|strong="H5971", to|strong="H0369"
 destruction|strong="H8045" and|strong="H4428" death
 and|strong="H4428" to|strong="H0369" be|strong="H4428" cut
 off|strong="H4428". If|strong="H3588" we|strong="H3588"
 had|strong="H0369" been|strong="H0006" taken as|strong="H3588"
 men-servants and|strong="H4428" women-servants for|strong="H3588"
 a|strong="H3588" price, I|strong="H0589" would|strong="H8198"
 have|strong="H0369" said nothing|strong="H0369", for|strong="H3588"
 our|strong="H3588" trouble|strong="H6862" is|strong="H0369" little
 in|strong="H4428" comparison with|strong="H4428" the|strong="H3588"
 king's loss. ⁵ Then|strong="H2088" King|strong="H4428"
 Ahasuerus|strong="H0325" said|strong="H0559" to|strong="H0559"
 Esther|strong="H0635" the|strong="H0559" queen|strong="H4436",
 Who|strong="H0834" is|strong="H0834" he|strong="H0834"
 and|strong="H4428" where|strong="H0834" is|strong="H0834"
 he|strong="H0834" who|strong="H0834" has|strong="H0834"
 had|strong="H0834" this|strong="H2088" evil thought|strong="H0559"
 in|strong="H4428" his|strong="H0834" heart|strong="H3820"? ⁶
 And|strong="H4428" Esther|strong="H0635" said|strong="H0559",
 Our|strong="H2088" hater and|strong="H4428" attacker
 is|strong="H2088" this|strong="H2088" evil|strong="H7451"
 Haman|strong="H2001". Then|strong="H2088" Haman|strong="H2001"

was full of fear before the king and the queen.⁷ And the king's wrath got up from the feast and he went into the garden: and Haman got to his feet to make a prayer for his life to Esther for that the king's purpose was evil against him.⁸ Then the king came back from the garden into the room where they had been drinking; and Haman stretched out on the seat where Esther was. Then the king said, Is he taking the queen by force before my eyes in my house? And while the king's words were on the king's lips, they put a cloth over Haman's face.⁹ Then Harbonah, one of the unsexed servants waiting before the king, said, See, the pillar fifty cubits high, which Haman made for Mordecai, who said a good word for the king, is still in its place in Haman's

house|strong = "H1004". Then|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H0559"
king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559", Put him|strong = "H5921"
to|strong = "H0559" death by|strong = "H5921" hanging|strong = "H8518"
him|strong = "H5921" on|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H5921". ¹⁰
So|strong = "H0834" Haman|strong = "H2001" was|strong = "H0834"
put|strong = "H3559" to|strong = "H5921" death by|strong = "H5921"
hanging|strong = "H8518" him|strong = "H5921" on|strong = "H5921"
the|strong = "H0853" pillar he|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834"
made|strong = "H3559" for|strong = "H5921" Mordecai|strong = "H4782".
Then|strong = "H0853" the|strong = "H0853" king's wrath|strong = "H2534"
became less.

8That|strong = "H3588" day|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0853"
king|strong = "H4428" gave|strong = "H5414" all|strong = "H3117"
the|strong = "H0853" family|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H4428"
Haman|strong = "H2001", the|strong = "H0853" hater of|strong = "H4428"
the|strong = "H0853" Jews|strong = "H3064", to|strong = "H0935"
Esther|strong = "H0635" the|strong = "H0853" queen|strong = "H4436".
And|strong = "H0935" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" came|strong = "H0935"
before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428",
for|strong = "H3588" Esther|strong = "H0635" had|strong = "H4428"
made|strong = "H5414" clear what|strong = "H4100" he|strong = "H1931"
was|strong = "H1931" to|strong = "H0935" her|strong = "H5046". ²
And|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428"
took|strong = "H5493" off|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5414"
ring|strong = "H2885", which|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834"
had|strong = "H0834" taken|strong = "H5493" from|strong = "H5493"
Haman|strong = "H2001", and|strong = "H4428" gave|strong = "H5414"
it|strong = "H7760" to|strong = "H5921" Mordecai|strong = "H4782".
And|strong = "H4428" Esther|strong = "H0635" put|strong = "H5414"
Mordecai|strong = "H4782" over|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853"
family|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001". ³
Then|strong = "H1696" Esther|strong = "H0635" again|strong = "H3254"
came|strong = "H5307" before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H0853"
king|strong = "H4428", falling|strong = "H5307" down|strong = "H5307"
at|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" feet|strong = "H7272",
and|strong = "H4428" made|strong = "H1696" request|strong = "H6440"
to|strong = "H1696" him|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H5921"
weeping|strong = "H1058", that|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834"
would|strong = "H0834" put a|strong = "H1696" stop to|strong = "H1696"
the|strong = "H0853" evil|strong = "H7451" purposes|strong = "H4284"
of|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001" the|strong = "H0853"
Agagite|strong = "H0091" and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853"
designs|strong = "H4284" which|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834"
had|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H1696" against|strong = "H5921"

the|strong = "H0853" Jews|strong = "H3064". ⁴ Then|strong = "H6965"
 the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428" put out|strong = "H6440"
 the|strong = "H0853" rod of|strong = "H4428" gold|strong = "H2091"
 to|strong = "H6440" Esther|strong = "H0635", and|strong = "H6965"
 she|strong = "H0635" got|strong = "H6965" up|strong = "H6965"
 before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428". ⁵
 And|strong = "H1121" she|strong = "H0834" said|strong = "H0559",
 If|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H0518" is|strong = "H0834"
 the|strong = "H3605" king's pleasure and|strong = "H1121"
 if|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H0589" have|strong = "H0834"
 his|strong = "H3605" approval and|strong = "H1121" this|strong = "H1697"
 thing|strong = "H1697" seems|strong = "H3605" right|strong = "H5869"
 to|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
 and|strong = "H1121" I|strong = "H0589" am|strong = "H0589" pleasing
 to|strong = "H0559" him|strong = "H5921", then|strong = "H0853" let
 letters|strong = "H5612" be|strong = "H1121" sent|strong = "H7725"
 giving|strong = "H3787" orders|strong = "H0559" against|strong = "H5921"
 those|strong = "H3605" which|strong = "H0834" Haman|strong = "H2001",
 the|strong = "H3605" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
 Hammedatha the|strong = "H3605" Agagite|strong = "H0091",
 sent|strong = "H7725" out|strong = "H6440" for|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H3605" destruction|strong = "H0006" of|strong = "H1121"
 the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064" in|strong = "H5921"
 all|strong = "H3605" divisions of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605"
 kingdom|strong = "H4428": ⁶ For|strong = "H3588" how|strong = "H0349"
 is|strong = "H0834" it|strong = "H3588" possible for|strong = "H3588"
 me|strong = "H7200" to|strong = "H3201" see|strong = "H7200"
 the|strong = "H0853" evil|strong = "H7451" which|strong = "H0834"
 is|strong = "H0834" to|strong = "H3201" overtake|strong = "H4672"
 my|strong = "H7200" nation|strong = "H5971"? how|strong = "H0349"
 may|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0834" see|strong = "H7200"
 the|strong = "H0853" destruction|strong = "H7451" of|strong = "H4672"
 my|strong = "H7200" people|strong = "H5971"? ⁷ Then|strong = "H2009"
 King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" said|strong = "H0559"
 to|strong = "H0559" Esther|strong = "H0635" the|strong = "H0853"
 queen|strong = "H4436" and|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H0559"
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" the|strong = "H0853" Jew|strong = "H3064",
 See|strong = "H2009" now|strong = "H2009", I|strong = "H0834"
 have|strong = "H0834" given|strong = "H5414" Esther|strong = "H0635"
 the|strong = "H0853" family|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H4428"
 Haman|strong = "H2001", and|strong = "H3027" he|strong = "H0834"
 has|strong = "H0834" come to|strong = "H0559" his|strong = "H5414" death
 by|strong = "H5921" hanging|strong = "H8518", because|strong = "H5921"
 he|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H5414" an|strong = "H5414" attack
 on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853" Jews|strong = "H3064". ⁸
 So|strong = "H0834" now|strong = "H3588" send a|strong = "H3588"

letter|strong = "H3791" about|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0834"
 Jews|strong = "H3064", writing|strong = "H3789" whatever|strong = "H0834"
 seems|strong = "H5869" good|strong = "H2896" to|strong = "H7725"
 you|strong = "H0859", in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0834" king's
 name|strong = "H8034", and|strong = "H4428" stamping it|strong = "H5921"
 with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0834" king's ring|strong = "H2885":
 for|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H3588" writing|strong = "H3789"
 signed|strong = "H3789" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0834" king's
 name|strong = "H8034" and|strong = "H4428" stamped
 with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0834" king's ring|strong = "H2885"
 may|strong = "H0834" not|strong = "H0369" be|strong = "H8034" changed.
⁹ Then|strong = "H4428" at|strong = "H0413" that|strong = "H0834"
 time|strong = "H6256", on|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605"
 twenty-third|strong = "H6242" day|strong = "H2320" of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H3605" third|strong = "H7992" month|strong = "H2320",
 which|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H3605"
 month|strong = "H2320" Sivan|strong = "H5510", the|strong = "H3605" king's
 scribes|strong = "H5608" were|strong = "H0834" sent|strong = "H6680"
 for|strong = "H7121"; and|strong = "H3967" everything|strong = "H3605"
 ordered|strong = "H6680" by|strong = "H0413" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
 was|strong = "H0834" put|strong = "H6680" in|strong = "H0413"
 writing|strong = "H3789" and|strong = "H3967" sent|strong = "H6680"
 to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064"
 and|strong = "H3967" the|strong = "H3605" captains|strong = "H8269"
 and|strong = "H3967" the|strong = "H3605" rulers|strong = "H8269"
 and|strong = "H3967" the|strong = "H3605" chiefs|strong = "H8269"
 of|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" divisions
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4428"
 from|strong = "H5704" India|strong = "H1912" to|strong = "H0413"
 Ethiopia|strong = "H3568", a|strong = "H7121" hundred|strong = "H3967"
 and|strong = "H3967" twenty-seven divisions, to|strong = "H0413"
 every|strong = "H3605" division in|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605"
 writing|strong = "H3789" commonly used|strong = "H3605"
 there|strong = "H3605", and|strong = "H3967" to|strong = "H0413"
 every|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H0413"
 their|strong = "H3605" language|strong = "H3956", and|strong = "H3967"
 to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064"
 in|strong = "H0413" their|strong = "H3605" writing|strong = "H3789"
 and|strong = "H3967" their|strong = "H3605" language|strong = "H3956". ¹⁰
 The|strong = "H7971" letters|strong = "H5612" were|strong = "H1121"
 sent|strong = "H7971" in|strong = "H3789" the|strong = "H7971"
 name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H1121" King|strong = "H4428"
 Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" and|strong = "H1121" stamped
 with|strong = "H3027" his|strong = "H7971" ring|strong = "H2885",
 and|strong = "H1121" they|strong = "H7323" were|strong = "H1121" taken
 by|strong = "H3027" men|strong = "H1121" on|strong = "H7392"

horseback|strong = "H5483", going on|strong = "H7392"
the|strong = "H7971" quick-running horses|strong = "H5483" used
for|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H7971" king's business,
the|strong = "H7971" offspring|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
his|strong = "H7971" best horses|strong = "H5483": ¹¹ In|strong = "H5921"
these|strong = "H3605" letters the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"
gave|strong = "H5414" authority|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H5921"
the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064" in|strong = "H5921"
every|strong = "H3605" town|strong = "H5892" to|strong = "H5921" come
together|strong = "H5921" and|strong = "H4428" make|strong = "H5414"
a|strong = "H5414" fight for|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3605"
lives|strong = "H5315", and|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H5921"
send|strong = "H5414" death|strong = "H5315" and|strong = "H4428"
destruction|strong = "H8045" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"
power of|strong = "H4428" any|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971"
in|strong = "H5921" any|strong = "H3605" part|strong = "H5921"
of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4428"
attacking them|strong = "H5414" or|strong = "H0802" their|strong = "H3605"
children|strong = "H2945" or|strong = "H0802" their|strong = "H3605"
women|strong = "H0802", and|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H5921"
take|strong = "H0962" their|strong = "H3605" goods from|strong = "H5921"
them|strong = "H5414" by|strong = "H5921" force, ¹² On|strong = "H3117"
one|strong = "H0259" day|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H4428"
every|strong = "H3605" division of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
kingdom|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325",
that|strong = "H3605" is|strong = "H1931", on|strong = "H3117"
the|strong = "H3605" thirteenth day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H4428"
the|strong = "H3605" twelfth month|strong = "H2320", the|strong = "H3605"
month|strong = "H2320" Adar|strong = "H0143". ¹³ A|strong = "H1961"
copy|strong = "H6572" of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605"
writing|strong = "H3791", to|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"
made|strong = "H5414" public as|strong = "H1961" an|strong = "H1961"
order in|strong = "H3117" every|strong = "H3605" division
of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom, was|strong = "H1961"
given|strong = "H5414" out|strong = "H3605" to|strong = "H1961"
all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971",
so|strong = "H1961" that|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
Jews|strong = "H3064" might be|strong = "H1961" ready
when|strong = "H1961" that|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117"
came|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1961" give|strong = "H5414"
punishment to|strong = "H1961" their|strong = "H3605" haters. ¹⁴
So|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" men went|strong = "H3318"
out|strong = "H3318" on|strong = "H7392" the|strong = "H5414"
quick-running horses|strong = "H7409" used|strong = "H5414"
on|strong = "H7392" the|strong = "H5414" king's business|strong = "H1697",
wasting no|strong = "H5414" time|strong = "H3318" and|strong = "H4428"

forced on|strong = "H7392" by|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" king's order|strong = "H1697"; and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5414" order|strong = "H1697" was|strong = "H4428" given|strong = "H5414" out|strong = "H3318" in|strong = "H4428" Shushan, the|strong = "H5414" king's town. ¹⁵ And|strong = "H4428" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" went|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318" from|strong = "H3318" before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428", dressed|strong = "H3830" in|strong = "H4428" king-like robes|strong = "H3830" of|strong = "H4428" blue|strong = "H8504" and|strong = "H4428" white|strong = "H2353", and|strong = "H4428" with|strong = "H3318" a|strong = "H3318" great|strong = "H1419" crown|strong = "H5850" of|strong = "H4428" gold|strong = "H2091" and|strong = "H4428" clothing|strong = "H3830" of|strong = "H4428" purple|strong = "H0713" and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" best linen|strong = "H0948": and|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H1419" the|strong = "H6440" town|strong = "H5892" of|strong = "H4428" Shushan gave|strong = "H8055" loud|strong = "H1419" cries of|strong = "H4428" joy|strong = "H8055". ¹⁶ And|strong = "H8057" the|strong = "H1961" Jews|strong = "H3064" had|strong = "H1961" light and|strong = "H8057" joy|strong = "H8057" and|strong = "H8057" honour. ¹⁷

And|strong = "H0776" in|strong = "H5921" every|strong = "H3605" part|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H0776" in|strong = "H5921" every|strong = "H3605" town|strong = "H5892", wherever|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H3605" king's letter and|strong = "H0776" his|strong = "H3605" order|strong = "H1697" came|strong = "H5060", the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064" were|strong = "H0834" glad with|strong = "H5921" great|strong = "H7227" joy|strong = "H8057", and|strong = "H0776" had|strong = "H0834" a|strong = "H3588" feast|strong = "H4960" and|strong = "H0776" a|strong = "H3588" good|strong = "H2896" day|strong = "H3117". And|strong = "H0776" a|strong = "H3588" great|strong = "H7227" number of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776" became|strong = "H1697" Jews|strong = "H3064": for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" fear|strong = "H6343" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064" had|strong = "H0834" come|strong = "H5307" on|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921".

⁹Now|strong = "H3117" on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0834" thirteenth day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0834" twelfth month|strong = "H2320", which|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0834" month|strong = "H2320" Adar|strong = "H0143", when|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0834" time|strong = "H3117" came|strong = "H5060" for|strong = "H3117"

the|strong = "H0834" king's order|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H3117"
 be|strong = "H1697" put into|strong = "H2015" effect|strong = "H3117",
 on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0834" very day|strong = "H3117"
 when|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0834" haters of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H0834" Jews|strong = "H3064" had|strong = "H0834"
 been|strong = "H0834" hoping to|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H0834"
 rule|strong = "H1697" over|strong = "H7980" them|strong = "H1992";
 though|strong = "H1931" the|strong = "H0834" opposite|strong = "H8147"
 had|strong = "H0834" come|strong = "H5060" about|strong = "H1697",
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0834" Jews|strong = "H3064"
 had|strong = "H0834" rule|strong = "H1697" over|strong = "H7980"
 their|strong = "H1992" haters; ² On|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H3588"
 day, the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064" came|strong = "H0376"
 together|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3605"
 towns|strong = "H5892" through|strong = "H3027" all|strong = "H3605"
 the|strong = "H3605" divisions of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
 kingdom|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325",
 for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" purpose of|strong = "H4428"
 attacking all|strong = "H3605" those|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"
 were|strong = "H0376" attempting evil|strong = "H7451"
 against|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921": and|strong = "H3027"
 everyone|strong = "H3605" had|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H5921"
 give|strong = "H5307" way|strong = "H6440" before|strong = "H6440"
 them|strong = "H5921", for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605"
 fear|strong = "H6343" of|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H5921"
 had|strong = "H4428" come|strong = "H5307" on|strong = "H5921"
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971". ³
 And|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 chiefs|strong = "H8269" and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
 captains|strong = "H8269" and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"
 rulers|strong = "H8269" and|strong = "H4428" those|strong = "H3605"
 who|strong = "H0834" did|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605" king's
 business|strong = "H4399" gave|strong = "H6213" support|strong = "H5375"
 to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064";
 because|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" fear|strong = "H6343"
 of|strong = "H4428" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H0834"
 come|strong = "H5307" on|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H0853". ⁴
 For|strong = "H3588" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" was|strong = "H0376"
 great|strong = "H1419" in|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H3605" king's
 house|strong = "H1004", and|strong = "H1980" word of|strong = "H4428"
 him|strong = "H3605" went|strong = "H1980" out|strong = "H3605"
 through|strong = "H1980" every|strong = "H3605" part of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4428": for|strong = "H3588"
 the|strong = "H3605" man|strong = "H0376" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
 became|strong = "H1980" greater|strong = "H1419" and|strong = "H1980"
 greater|strong = "H1419". ⁵ So|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605"

Jews|strong = "H3064" overcame all|strong = "H3605"
 their|strong = "H3605" attackers with|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 sword|strong = "H2719" and|strong = "H2719" with|strong = "H3605" death
 and|strong = "H2719" destruction|strong = "H0012", and|strong = "H2719"
 did|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605" haters
 whatever|strong = "H3605" they|strong = "H7522" had|strong = "H3064"
 a|strong = "H5221" desire|strong = "H7522" to|strong = "H3605"
 do|strong = "H6213". ⁶ And|strong = "H3967" in|strong = "H0376" Shushan
 the|strong = "H2026" Jews|strong = "H3064" put to|strong = "H0376" death
 five|strong = "H2568" hundred|strong = "H3967" men|strong = "H0376". ⁷
 They put to|strong = "H0853" death Parshandatha|strong = "H6577",
 Dalphon|strong = "H1813", Aspatha|strong = "H0630", ⁸
 Poratha|strong = "H6334", Adalia|strong = "H0118",
 Aridatha|strong = "H0743", ⁹ Parmashta|strong = "H6534",
 Arisai|strong = "H0747", Aridai|strong = "H0742", and|strong = "H0853"
 Vaizatha|strong = "H2055", ¹⁰ The|strong = "H0853" ten|strong = "H6235"
 sons|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Haman|strong = "H2001"
 the|strong = "H0853" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
 Hammedatha, the|strong = "H0853" hater of|strong = "H1121"
 the|strong = "H0853" Jews|strong = "H3064"; but|strong = "H3808"
 they|strong = "H3808" put|strong = "H7971" not|strong = "H3808"
 a|strong = "H7971" hand|strong = "H3027" on|strong = "H3027"
 any|strong = "H2026" of|strong = "H1121" their|strong = "H7971" goods. ¹¹
 On|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"
 the|strong = "H6440" number|strong = "H4557" of|strong = "H4428"
 those|strong = "H1931" who|strong = "H1931" had|strong = "H4428" been
 put|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0935" death in|strong = "H0935"
 the|strong = "H6440" town of|strong = "H4428" Shushan
 was|strong = "H1931" given to|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H6440"
 king|strong = "H4428". ¹² And|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H0853"
 king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0559"
 Esther|strong = "H0635" the|strong = "H0853" queen|strong = "H4436",
 The|strong = "H0853" Jews|strong = "H3064" have|strong = "H0376"
 put|strong = "H5414" five|strong = "H2568" hundred|strong = "H3967"
 men|strong = "H0376" to|strong = "H0559" death in|strong = "H4428"
 Shushan, as|strong = "H1121" well as|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H0853"
 ten|strong = "H6235" sons|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
 Haman|strong = "H2001": what|strong = "H4100" then|strong = "H0853"
 have|strong = "H0376" they|strong = "H0376" done|strong = "H6213"
 in|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H0853" rest|strong = "H7605"
 of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H0853" kingdom|strong = "H4428"!
 Now|strong = "H5414" what|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100"
 your|strong = "H5414" prayer? for|strong = "H4428" it|strong = "H5414"
 will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H5750" given|strong = "H5414"
 to|strong = "H0559" you|strong = "H5414"; what|strong = "H4100"
 other|strong = "H5750" request|strong = "H1246" have|strong = "H0376"

you|strong = "H5414"? and|strong = "H1121" it|strong = "H5414"
 will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H5750" done|strong = "H6213". ¹³
 Then|strong = "H0853" Esther|strong = "H0635" said|strong = "H0559",
 If|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H5414" is|strong = "H0834"
 the|strong = "H0853" king's pleasure, let|strong = "H5414"
 authority|strong = "H5921" be|strong = "H1571" given|strong = "H5414"
 to|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0853" Jews|strong = "H3064"
 in|strong = "H5921" Shushan to|strong = "H0559" do|strong = "H6213"
 tomorrow|strong = "H4279" as|strong = "H0834" has|strong = "H0834"
 been|strong = "H0834" done|strong = "H6213" today|strong = "H3117",
 and|strong = "H1121" let|strong = "H5414" orders|strong = "H0559"
 be|strong = "H1571" given|strong = "H5414" for|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H0853" hanging|strong = "H8518" of|strong = "H1121"
 Haman's ten|strong = "H6235" sons|strong = "H1121". ¹⁴
 And|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428"
 said|strong = "H0559" that|strong = "H3651" this|strong = "H3651"
 was|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H0559" be|strong = "H1121"
 done|strong = "H6213", and|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H0853"
 order|strong = "H0559" was|strong = "H4428" given|strong = "H5414"
 out|strong = "H0853" in|strong = "H4428" Shushan, and|strong = "H1121"
 the|strong = "H0853" hanging|strong = "H8518" of|strong = "H1121"
 Haman's ten|strong = "H6235" sons|strong = "H1121" was|strong = "H4428"
 effected. ¹⁵ For|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H0853"
 Jews|strong = "H3064" who|strong = "H0834" were|strong = "H0834"
 in|strong = "H3117" Shushan came|strong = "H0376"
 together|strong = "H1571" again|strong = "H7971" on|strong = "H3117"
 the|strong = "H0853" fourteenth day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H0376"
 the|strong = "H0853" month|strong = "H2320" Adar|strong = "H0143"
 and|strong = "H3967" put|strong = "H7971" to|strong = "H7971" death
 three|strong = "H7969" hundred|strong = "H3967" men|strong = "H0376"
 in|strong = "H3117" Shushan; but|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H0834"
 put|strong = "H7971" not|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H7971"
 hand|strong = "H3027" on|strong = "H3117" their|strong = "H7971" goods.
¹⁶ And|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H0853" other Jews|strong = "H3064"
 in|strong = "H5921" every|strong = "H4082" division of|strong = "H4428"
 the|strong = "H0853" kingdom|strong = "H4428" came
 together|strong = "H5921", fighting for|strong = "H5921"
 their|strong = "H5921" lives|strong = "H5315", and|strong = "H3027" got
 salvation from|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921" haters
 and|strong = "H3027" put|strong = "H7971" seventy-five|strong = "H7657"
 thousand|strong = "H0505" of|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H0853"
 to|strong = "H5921" death|strong = "H5315"; but|strong = "H3808"
 they|strong = "H0834" did|strong = "H0834" not|strong = "H3808"
 put|strong = "H7971" a|strong = "H7971" hand|strong = "H3027"
 on|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921" goods. ¹⁷
 This|strong = "H3117" they|strong = "H3117" did|strong = "H6213"

on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0853" thirteenth day|strong = "H3117"
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0853" month|strong = "H2320"
 Adar|strong = "H0143"; and|strong = "H3117" on|strong = "H3117"
 the|strong = "H0853" fourteenth day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"
 the|strong = "H0853" same|strong = "H0853" month|strong = "H2320"
 they|strong = "H3117" took|strong = "H0853" their|strong = "H3117"
 rest|strong = "H5117", and|strong = "H3117" made|strong = "H6213"
 it|strong = "H5117" a|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"
 of|strong = "H3117" feasting|strong = "H4960" and|strong = "H3117"
 joy|strong = "H8057". ¹⁸ But|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0853"
 Jews|strong = "H3064" in|strong = "H3117" Shushan came|strong = "H5117"
 together|strong = "H6950" on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0853"
 thirteenth and|strong = "H3117" on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0853"
 fourteenth day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0853"
 month; and|strong = "H3117" on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0853"
 fifteenth day|strong = "H3117" they|strong = "H0834" took|strong = "H0853"
 their|strong = "H0834" rest|strong = "H5117", and|strong = "H3117"
 made|strong = "H6213" it|strong = "H5117" a|strong = "H0834"
 day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" feasting|strong = "H4960"
 and|strong = "H3117" joy|strong = "H8057". ¹⁹ So|strong = "H3651"
 the|strong = "H0853" Jews|strong = "H3064" of|strong = "H0376"
 the|strong = "H0853" country|strong = "H6521" places|strong = "H3651"
 living|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" unwalled|strong = "H6521"
 towns|strong = "H5892" make|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H0853"
 fourteenth day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H0376" the|strong = "H0853"
 month|strong = "H2320" Adar|strong = "H0143" a|strong = "H5921"
 day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H0376" feasting|strong = "H4960"
 and|strong = "H3117" joy|strong = "H8057" and|strong = "H3117"
 a|strong = "H5921" good|strong = "H2896" day|strong = "H3117",
 a|strong = "H5921" day|strong = "H3117" for|strong = "H5921"
 sending|strong = "H4916" offerings one|strong = "H0376"
 to|strong = "H5921" another|strong = "H7453". ²⁰ And|strong = "H4428"
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" sent|strong = "H7971" letters|strong = "H5612"
 to|strong = "H0413" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 Jews|strong = "H3064" in|strong = "H0413" every|strong = "H3605" division
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4428"
 of|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325", near|strong = "H7138"
 and|strong = "H4428" far|strong = "H7350", ²¹ Ordering
 them|strong = "H0853" to|strong = "H1961" keep|strong = "H6213"
 the|strong = "H3605" fourteenth day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"
 the|strong = "H3605" month|strong = "H2320" Adar|strong = "H0143"
 and|strong = "H6965" the|strong = "H3605" fifteenth day|strong = "H3117"
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" same|strong = "H0853"
 month|strong = "H2320", every|strong = "H3605" year|strong = "H8141", ²²
 As|strong = "H0834" days|strong = "H3117" on|strong = "H3117"
 which|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0853" Jews|strong = "H3064"

had|strong = "H0834" rest|strong = "H5117" from|strong = "H0376"
 their|strong = "H1992" haters, and|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0853"
 month|strong = "H2320" which|strong = "H0834" for|strong = "H3117"
 them|strong = "H1992" was|strong = "H0834" turned|strong = "H2015"
 from|strong = "H0376" sorrow|strong = "H3015" to|strong = "H0376"
 joy|strong = "H8057", and|strong = "H3117" from|strong = "H0376" weeping
 to|strong = "H0376" a|strong = "H0834" good|strong = "H2896"
 day|strong = "H3117": and|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H0834"
 they|strong = "H1992" were|strong = "H0834" to|strong = "H0376"
 keep|strong = "H6213" them|strong = "H1992" as|strong = "H0834"
 days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H0376" feasting|strong = "H4960"
 and|strong = "H3117" joy|strong = "H8057", of|strong = "H0376"
 sending|strong = "H4916" offerings to|strong = "H0376"
 one|strong = "H0376" another|strong = "H7453" and|strong = "H3117"
 good|strong = "H2896" things|strong = "H1992" to|strong = "H0376"
 the|strong = "H0853" poor|strong = "H0034". ²³ And|strong = "H0853"
 the|strong = "H0853" Jews|strong = "H3064" gave|strong = "H6213"
 their|strong = "H0834" word to|strong = "H0413" go|strong = "H2490"
 on|strong = "H0413" as|strong = "H0834" they|strong = "H0834"
 had|strong = "H0834" been|strong = "H0834" doing|strong = "H6213"
 and|strong = "H0853" as|strong = "H0834" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"
 had|strong = "H0834" given them|strong = "H0413" orders
 in|strong = "H0413" writing|strong = "H3789"; ²⁴ Because|strong = "H3588"
 Haman|strong = "H2001", the|strong = "H3605" son|strong = "H1121"
 of|strong = "H1121" Hammedatha the|strong = "H3605"
 Agagite|strong = "H0091", the|strong = "H3605" hater of|strong = "H1121"
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064",
 had|strong = "H3588" made|strong = "H3605" designs for|strong = "H3588"
 their|strong = "H3605" destruction|strong = "H0006", attempting
 to|strong = "H5921" get a|strong = "H3588" decision by|strong = "H5921"
 Pur|strong = "H6332" (that|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H1931", chance)
 with|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H3588" view|strong = "H5921"
 to|strong = "H5921" putting an|strong = "H3588" end to|strong = "H5921"
 them|strong = "H5921" and|strong = "H1121" cutting them|strong = "H5921"
 off|strong = "H5921"; ²⁵ But|strong = "H0935" when|strong = "H0834"
 the|strong = "H0853" business was|strong = "H0834" put|strong = "H0935"
 before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H0853" king|strong = "H4428",
 he|strong = "H0834" gave|strong = "H0559" orders|strong = "H0559"
 by|strong = "H5921" letters|strong = "H5612" that|strong = "H0834"
 the|strong = "H0853" evil|strong = "H7451" design|strong = "H4284"
 which|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834"
 made|strong = "H7725" against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853"
 Jews|strong = "H3064" was|strong = "H0834" to|strong = "H0559"
 be|strong = "H1121" turned|strong = "H7725" against|strong = "H5921"
 himself|strong = "H6440"; and|strong = "H1121" that|strong = "H0834"
 he|strong = "H0834" and|strong = "H1121" his|strong = "H5921"

sons were to be put to death by hanging. ²⁶ So these days were named the Purim of Purim. And so, because words of the letter what seen with and come The a an seed those to do so be that keep days the year those to in every every town never time would kept Jews the them

from|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" minds of|strong = "H3117" their|strong = "H3605" seed|strong = "H2233". ²⁹ Then|strong = "H6965" Esther|strong = "H0635" the|strong = "H3605" queen|strong = "H4436", daughter|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H1323" Abihail|strong = "H0032", and|strong = "H6965" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" the|strong = "H3605" Jew|strong = "H3064", sent a|strong = "H3605" second|strong = "H8145" letter|strong = "H0107" giving the|strong = "H3605" force of|strong = "H1323" their|strong = "H3605" authority|strong = "H8633" to|strong = "H6965" the|strong = "H3605" order about|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" Purim|strong = "H6332". ³⁰ And|strong = "H3967" he|strong = "H7971" sent|strong = "H7971" letters|strong = "H5612" to|strong = "H0413" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064" in|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" hundred|strong = "H3967" and|strong = "H3967" twenty-seven divisions of|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4438" of|strong = "H1697" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325", with|strong = "H0413" true|strong = "H0571" words|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1697" peace|strong = "H7965", ³¹ Giving the|strong = "H0853" force of|strong = "H3117" law to|strong = "H5921" these|strong = "H0428" days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" Purim|strong = "H6332" at|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921" fixed times|strong = "H3117", as|strong = "H0834" they|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834" been|strong = "H0834" ordered by|strong = "H5921" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" the|strong = "H0853" Jew|strong = "H3064" and|strong = "H6965" Esther|strong = "H0635" the|strong = "H0853" queen|strong = "H4436", and|strong = "H6965" in|strong = "H5921" keeping with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853" rules they|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H0834" made|strong = "H0834" for|strong = "H5921" themselves|strong = "H5315" and|strong = "H6965" their|strong = "H5921" seed|strong = "H2233", in|strong = "H5921" connection|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921" time|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" going without food and|strong = "H6965" their|strong = "H5921" cry|strong = "H2201" for|strong = "H5921" help|strong = "H6965". ³² The|strong = "H1697" order|strong = "H1697" given by|strong = "H6965" Esther|strong = "H0635" gave the|strong = "H1697" force of|strong = "H1697" law to|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H1697" rules about|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H1697" Purim|strong = "H6332"; and|strong = "H6965" it|strong = "H6965" was|strong = "H1697" recorded|strong = "H3789" in|strong = "H3789" the|strong = "H1697" book|strong = "H5612".

10And|strong = "H0776" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" put|strong = "H7760" a|strong = "H7760" tax on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H0776" and|strong = "H0776" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"