

**Rule Change
Esther 8-10
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Let's Recap God's Sovereignty

- God showed his **unmistakable** providence – chapter 2
 - The King made an **unchangeable** law – chapter 3.
 - The Queen took an **unthinkable** risk – chapter 5
 - The Enemy died and **unspeakable** death – chapter 7
- 1) A new law is **enacted**
 - a) The queen continued to plea for her people (verses 3-4)
 - i) The old law of death was **still in effect** (verse 5-6)
 - ii) The new law of life was **now issued** (verses 7-13)
 - iii) The law of life was sent **with urgency** (verse 10,14)
 - 2) A new Life is **enabled** (chapter 9)
 - a) There was **fighting** (verses 5-16)
 - b) There was **feasting** (verses 17-31)
 - 3) A new ruler is **empowered** (chapter 10)
 - a) He's great in **Power** (9:15)
 - b)** He's received by his **people**
 - c) He seeking **good** for his people
 - d) His speaking **peace** to his people.

What do you see in the History of Esther?

- I see Satan in **Haman**
- I See Jesus in **Esther**
- I see Jesus in **Mordecai**
- I see myself in **trouble**
 - The law of Sin and death is still in effect (Romans 3:23; Romans 6:23; James 1:14-15)
- I see myself in **Jesus**
 - The law of life and liberty in Christ is so superior (Romans 8:1-2 Colossians 2:13-15)
- I see myself as a **courier**
 - Finally, brethren, pray for us, that the word of the Lord may run *swiftly* and be glorified, just as *it is* with you, ² and that we may be delivered from unreasonable and wicked men; for not all have faith. 2 Thessalonians 3:1-2

