

End Times Prophecy in the Book of Esther Pt 2

This is the second part of my series on that amazing book from the Old Testament, the book of Esther. The book of Esther is unique in the entire Bible because it prophesies about the end of the Old Testament and the end of the New Testament. In this part, we will talk about how we as Christians and Catholics especially will defeat the Antichrist in the end times, and this is prophesied in Esther. But first let's look and see how Esther predicts the end of the Old Testament, especially through the use of numerology.

In Esther, King Ahasuerus symbolizes God and the nobles and the princes of his kingdom represent the Old Testament Jews, the chosen people. And the party that he throws for them which last a hundred and four score days symbolizes the Old Testament, because a hundred and four score days equals 180 days which is half a year and that half a year symbolizes the first half of the Old Testament. Following this long party comes a party for seven days to which the king invites the common people. The common people symbolize the Gentiles, and this short party also symbolizes the short mission of Jesus on earth.

Remember King Ahasuerus was drunk with wine. This does that mean he was out of his senses. This means he was filled with the Holy Spirit and the time had come for the beauty of Vashti his Queen to be shown to the Gentiles. And Vashti refused the king, therefore he exiled her and brought in a new queen, Queen Esther. Queen Esther symbolizes Christianity and the second half of revealed scripture. Let's see where in the book of Esther we see this indicated. In chapter 5 verse 3, the king offers Esther half of his kingdom; 'then the king said unto her, what is your request it shall be given you, even half of the kingdom.' Now this very important phrase is mentioned three times.

In verse number 6, 'and the king said to Esther at the banquet of wine, what is your petition, it shall be granted to you, even half of the kingdom.' And in chapter 7 verse 2, 'and the king said again unto Esther on the second day of the banquet of wine, what is your petition Queen Esther and it shall be granted to you, even to the half of the kingdom.' This half of the kingdom which is given to Esther refers to the second half of revealed scripture.

The New Testament belongs to Christianity. The Jews in the book of Esther symbolize end times Christians. Esther is of course Jewish. Her uncle Mordechai is Jewish. But the king has a prime minister by the name of Haman who symbolizes the Antichrist who hates Mordechai,

because Mordechai refuses to bend the knee to Haman. Therefore Haman plots to kill all the Jews in the kingdom. Being very superstitious, he does this by choosing lots. 'In the first month, that is Nisan in the 12th year of King Ahasuerus and the lot fell on the 12th month which is the month of Adar.' Now when the lot falls on the 12th month, the last month of the year, this symbolizes the last times, the days we are living in today, just another indication that this last half of the book of Esther is about the end times.

Haman cast lots to choose the month and the day on which to execute all the Jews. 'And letters were sent to annihilate all Jews on the 13th day of the 12th month, the month of Adar. In chapter 8 verse 12, 'the 13th day of the 12th month, the month of Adar'. In chapter 9 verse 1, 'the 13th day of the 12th month, the month of Adar.' Anytime a phrase is repeated three times, it's very important. We know the 12th month indicates the end times, the times we are living in today. The 13th day is also extremely important and this 13th day refers to Fatima when the Blessed Mother appeared to the shepherd children, always on the 13th day of the month. Fatima was also a prophecy of these end times.

Now does the book of Esther indicate how we will defeat the Antichrist? I believe we will find there is a chain of command. The Jews who symbolize end times Christians are represented by Mordechai who is Esther's uncle. I believe that he symbolizes the last pope, Peter II. He in turn appeals to his niece Esther, who I believe symbolizes the Blessed Virgin Mary. She in turn appeals to King Ahasuerus, who symbolizes God Almighty. And we also need to understand that Queen Esther will put burdens on her people.

Mary will have specific prayers for us to pray in order to defeat the Antichrist. As we see in chapter 4 verse 16, 'go, gather together all the Jews that are present in Shushan and fast for me, and neither eat nor drink three days, night or day: I also and my handmaids will fast'. Prayer and fasting is what will defeat Haman and the Antichrist. 'Likewise and so will I go into the king..' I believe Mary will ask us to pray and fast. So Mordechai went and did all that Esther had commanded and what is this prayer that will defeat the Antichrist?

We will soon see that the Rosary and the scapular are very important. Esther plans two banquets to which she invites King Ahasuerus, her husband and the evil Haman. She accuses Haman of plotting to kill her people and this angers King Ahasuerus greatly, and he storms out of the room where the banquet is being held. And then he returns, 'Then the king returned out of the palace garden into the banquet of wine;

and Haman was fallen upon the bed whereon Esther was. Then said the king: will he force the Queen also before me in my own house? As soon as the word went out of the king's mouth they covered Haman's face.' As soon as they cover Haman's face, his fate is sealed. Notice that there is no physical contact between the king and Haman, but there is physical contact between Esther and Haman. This is very significant.

If you go back to Genesis 3:15, also known as the protoevangelium, we see the defeat of the Antichrist also prophesied, and Mary will crush the head of the serpent, and the serpent will strike at her heel. Now some translations say, but the serpent will strike at his heel, namely Jesus' heel and that he will crush the serpent's head, but I believe that is a false translation. We can see from this passage of Esther, that the physical contact is between the prefiguring of Mary and that is Esther and Haman who prefigures the Antichrist.

Now notice the important numerology in this passage, 'And Harboonah one of the eunuchs, said before the king, behold also the gallows fifty cubits high which Haman had made for Mordechai.. stands in the house of Haman. Then the king said, hang him thereon.' What do these 50 cubits symbolize? 50 cubits would be the height of an eight storey building. It's hard to believe that the hangman's rope would be that long, in other words nearly 75 feet. The importance of this 50 cubits is that it symbolizes the Rosary the 50 hail Marys in a complete five decade Rosary.

The hangman's noose itself is symbolic, because that symbolizes the scapular. 'And the king commanded it so to be done; and the decree was given in Shusan; and they hanged Haman's 10 sons.' These 10 sons symbolize the 10 kings of the Antichrist. In verse 18 we read how the Jews take vengeance on their tormentors, 'But they that were killing in the city of Shusan, were employed in the slaughter on the 13th and 14th day of the same month; and on the 15th day they rested. And therefore they appointed that day to be a holy day of fasting and gladness.'

Now this numerology is also important I believe those three days symbolize the three days of darkness which will culminate at the battle of Armageddon. But we have a consolation of knowing that victory will belong to the church in the end. We have a consolation of knowing that Jesus will defeat the Antichrist, and we know that we have a very important part to play, because the Rosary and the Scapular are the two weapons that Jesus will use to win this final battle.