

The Power of One
Esther 3-4
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- 1) One person's **hatred** can doom a nation –Haman
 - a) It is painful to see the wicked **prospering** (3: 9)
 - b) It is discouraging to watch when the wicked are **promoted** (3:1)
 - c) It is scary to imagine when the wicked are **empowered** (3:10-11)
 - d) It is hard to tolerate the when wicked are **prescribing** (3:12-13)
- 2) One person's **vigilance** can arouse a nation - Mordecai
 - a) Vigilance will cost you your **anonymity** (3:2-4)
 - b) Vigilance may put you in **jeopardy** (3:12-15)
 - c) Vigilance will awaken you from **apathy** (3:14-15)
 - d) Vigilance will call for true **humility** (4:1-4)
- 3) One person's courage can deliver a nation - Esther.
 - a) Courage understands the **issues.** (4:4-9)
 - b) Courage understands the **risks.** (4:10-12)
 - c) Courage understands the **reasons.** (4:13-14)
 - d) Courage understands the **resource.** (4:15-17)

Remember this

- God has his **purposes**
- God has his **people**
- God is **patient**
- God will **prevail.** (Always)

What about me? Remember Mordecai, Remember Esther but also remember **Hathach** and the **maids.**