

What will be, Your Purpose, for such a Time as This

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Esther 4:14

14 For if you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance for the Jews will arise from another place, but you and your father's family will perish. And who knows but that you have come to your royal position for such a time as this?". She had purpose.

Purpose: the reason for which something is done or created or for which something exists.
"the purpose of the meeting is to appoint a trustee"

- 1.

formal

design or intend (something) for a particular use.

"the clinic was specifically purposed for that age group"

- 2.

archaic

have (something) as one's intention or objective. And I find this answer surprising from the dictionary;
"all this God purposed, and all this he has accomplished"

What did the King of Persia, Queen Vashti, Haman, Mordecai and Esther and all whom were mentioned in the story have in common. Each and every one had a purpose from God. Everyone whom have been born, has a purpose, even God.

God's purpose in creation is to manifest His glory, establish a relationship with humanity, and provide a habitat for life, reflecting His love and intention for His creation. For us

Romans9:21-22

Does not the potter have the right to make from the same lump of clay one vessel for special occasions and another for common use? **22**What if God, intending to show His wrath and make His power known, bore with great patience the vessels of His wrath, prepared for destruction?

God has purpose for all His creation, every person that has been born throughout time has a purpose to fulfill. God does not predetermine how each one will use their purpose for good or evil, it will depend on the individual's decision as to how they will perceive and interact in a relationship with God or their own desires.

God has orchestrated things from the very beginning concerning those from the Book of Esther.

We can go as far back as Babylon and its last king Belshazzar as he stood in defiance and arrogance against God from chapter 5 of Daniel even after having Daniel interpret the written message on the king's wall.

Point of reference: Vashti was Belshazzar's daughter. When Darius the Mede attacked Belshazzar's kingdom and killed Belshazzar, he took pity on his daughter and instead of killing her took her as a

bride for his son; Khshayarsh, aka Ahasuerus (Hebrew), Xeres (Greek) whom became King of Persia.

Ref. Link below. For info on Vashti

<https://jwa.org/encyclopedia/article/vashti-midrash-and-aggadah>

Haman hated the Jews due to the destruction of the Amalekites, from which he descended from and were the enemies of the Jews. His heart was dark with hatred of the Jews and therefore predetermined what needed to be done to exterminate them.

Point of reference:

<https://www.jewishencyclopedia.com/articles/7124-haman-the-agagiteoint>

Reminder; it is the individual that will determine their purpose and how to use it for good or evil, not God, although He will permit it if you continue to turn from Him causing your own downfall.

All of us have purpose, we must seek God's ways to develop the perfect will of God within us so that we might glorify Him and not ourselves.