

Esther 1:13-22

Then WHAT did the king do?

WHO did the king turn to?

¹³ Then the king said to the wise men

WHO WHAT?

who understood the times—

WHY did the king turn to these men?

for it was the custom

Of WHO?

of the king

To WHAT?

so *to speak* this way

Before WHO?

before all

All WHO WHAT?

who knew *Persian* law

and

justice

¹⁴ and

were close to him,

WHO were these men?

namely, Carshena, Shethar, Admatha, Tarshish, Meres, Marsena,
and Memucan,

Specifically WHO?

the seven princes

OF WHERE?

of Persia

and

Media

WHO WHAT?

who had access

TO WHAT?

to the king's presence
and
sat in the first place in the kingdom—

WHAT was the question?

¹⁵ “According to law, what is to be done

WITH WHO?

with Queen Vashti,

WHY? WHAT did she do?

because she did not obey the command of King
Ahasuerus

The command that WHAT?
delivered by the eunuchs?”

And in the presence of WHO?

¹⁶ And in the presence of the king
and
the *other* officials,

WHO, said WHAT?

Memucan said, “Queen Vashti has wronged

WHO?

not only the king

but WHO else?

but

also all the princes

and

all the peoples

WHO were where?

who are in all the provinces of King
Ahasuerus.

WHAT was the concern?

¹⁷ For the queen's conduct

WHAT?

will become known

To WHO?
to all the women

WHAT would be the result?
Causing them to WHAT?
causing them to look

HOW?
with contempt

On WHO?
their husbands

Doing WHAT?
saying

WHAT?
'King Ahasuerus commanded that Queen
Vashti be brought in to his presence,
but
she did not come.'

And WHEN?
¹⁸ "This day

WHO?
the ladies

Of WHERE?
of Persia
and
Media

WHO WHAT?
who have heard of the queen's conduct

Will WHAT?
will speak in *the same way* to all the king's princes,
and

There will be WHAT?
there will be plenty of contempt
and
anger.

WHAT is the solution?

¹⁹ "If it pleases the king,

WHAT?

let a royal edict be issued by him

and

let it be written in the laws of Persia

and

Media

WHY written?

so that it cannot be repealed,

WHAT is to be written?

that Vashti may not come into the presence of King Ahasuerus,

and

WHAT else?

let the king give her royal position to another

WHO is WHAT?

who is more worthy than she.

WHEN, WHAT?

²⁰ "When the king's edict

Which he WHAT?

which he will make

Is WHAT? WHERE?

is heard throughout his kingdom,

Great as WHAT?

great as it is,

Then WHAT will all women do?

then all women will give honor to their husbands,

WHO are WHAT?

great

and

small."

Now WHAT?

²¹ This word

WHAT? WHO?

pleased the king

and
the princes,

And WHAT happened?

and
the king did as Memucan proposed.

WHAT then happened?

WHO? WHAT?

²²So he sent letters

to WHERE?
to all the king's provinces,

Specifically WHERE?

to each province

HOW?

according to its script

and

Specifically to WHO?

to every people

HOW?

according to their language,

WHAT was in the letters?

That every WHO?

that every man

Should be WHAT?

should be the master

WHERE?

in his own house

and

HOW were these letters announced?

the one who speaks

HOW?

in the language of his own people.