

Scripture to read: Esther 4:06-12

Queen Esther who was ineffective though she had authority.

Mordecai told the person whom Esther sent everything that had happened to him, including the exact amount of money Haman had promised to pay into the royal treasury for the destruction of the Jews. He also gave him a copy of the text of the edict for their annihilation, which had been published in Susa, to show to Esther and explain it to her, and he told him to instruct her to go into the king's presence to beg for mercy and plead with him for her people. Then she instructed him to say to Mordecai, "All the king's officials and the people of the royal provinces know that for any man or woman who approaches the king in the inner court without being summoned the king has but one law: that they be put to death unless the king extends the gold scepter to them and spares their lives. But thirty days have passed since I was called to go to the king." When Esther's words were reported to Mordecai, he sent back this answer: "Do not think that because you are in the king's house you alone of all the Jews will escape.

Question:

King Esther spoke the truth. She would die, if she goes without the king summoning her? If this is the case, why is that they call her as cowardice?

Answer:

Many a times if we don't use the potency that our God has given us, We will become useless. If Esther who was a slave, would have remained as a slave. Esther also would have been destroyed along with them when Satan planned to destroy the Jews,. But now God has crowned this slave girl as a Queen in the Palace. In this situation, if Esther thinks of her position and her life without coming forward to help her people even after knowing that her step father and her people are in trouble, what else can we tell her, we can only call her as cowardice person. God has a reason for placing us where ever we are now. In this place or position we are in, we should build God's kingdom. God's will has to be fulfilled. when this doesn't happen, we become ineffective in our spiritual life. So in whichever way you

can, through your wealth, Income and your position, pray and work to be a blessing to the Kingdom of God. You alone are God's ambassador's in your vicinity.

If you falter in a time of trouble, how small is your strength! Proverbs 24:10

Prayer:

Our Good God, who loves us. Give us a courageous spirit to do thy work father. We will live a faithful life Lord.