A Godly Man Mordecai

Book of Esther is often studied in regard to godly women.

Book is not solely about women.

Example of Godly man found in the story of Esther also.

What Can We Learn Of Mordecai?

A stranger in a foreign land - Esther 2:5-6

Fulfilled obligations toward the less fortunate - Esther 2:7

He served as her mentor and protector - Esther 2:10-11; 2:20

Took his obligation to his ruler seriously - Esther 2:21-23

Would give no man the honor that belonged to God alone - Esther 3:1-4

Devoted himself to the salvation of his people - Esther 4:1-2

Encouraged others to give of themselves also - Esther 4:8,13-14

Prayed for those who put themselves on the line - Esther 4:15-17

Wrote decree allowing Jews to defend themselves against their enemies - Esther 5

How Does This Example Help Us?

We are pilgrims in a foreign land - 1Peter 1:1; 2:11-12; Philippians 3:20

We need to live holy and upright before God - Philippians 2:14-16

We should practice pure religion as did Mordecai - James 1:27

We must fulfill our responsibility to our government - Romans 13:1-7; 1Peter 2:13-17; 1Timothy 2:1-2

We must honor God above all - Acts 5:29

We need to devote ourselves to serving our brethren - 1Thessalonians 4:9-10

We ought to strengthen and encourage one another - Hebrews 3:12-14

Much To Learn From Every Page Of Scripture

Don't discount the usefulness of a book or passage just because its main message seems to be for someone else.

There may be a message for you there also!

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