

THE ESTHER JOURNEY

A LOVE LETTER, FROM US.

Ladies,

As we come to the end of this Esther journey,
we don't want to rush past this moment.

We don't want to jump into the next thing
without pausing to honor what God has done **in us**.

This was never just a Bible study.
It was a season.

A season where God met us in fear,
in surrender,
in waiting, and
in quiet courage.

And before we close this chapter,
we want to walk through Esther **one last time**,
together.



THE STORY WE WALKED

The book of Esther is about a woman placed in a moment she didn't ask for,
facing a battle she didn't choose,
with responsibility she didn't feel ready for.

And yet, God trusted her with it.

God's name is never mentioned in Esther,
but His presence is undeniable.

From the outside, it looks like coincidence.
From the inside, it's divine orchestration.

Just like our lives.

"And who knows but that you have come to your royal position for such a time as this?"
(Esther 4:14)

Reflection:

- Where in my life am I in a "for such a time as this" season?
- How does it feel to know God has positioned me for something greater than I see?



WHAT GOD SHOWED US ALONG THE WAY

We learned that God is working, even when He feels silent.

There were moments this month where we didn't hear God clearly, but we felt Him deeply.

“That night the king could not sleep...”

(Esther 6:1)

God was moving in the unseen, and He still is.

Reflection:

- When have I felt God was silent but saw His work later?
- How can I trust His unseen timing more fully in my life?

We learned that we were always positioned, we just had to step into it

Esther didn't become queen in chapter 5.

She remembered who she was.

“Esther put on her royal robes...”

(Esther 5:1)

So many of us did the same this month.

Reflection:

- What “royal robes” has God already given me — that I need to step into?
- Where am I holding back instead of stepping forward?

We learned that courage comes before clarity

Esther stepped forward **before** the sceptre was extended.

“The king held out the golden sceptre...”
(Esther 5:2)

Some of us moved in faith without knowing the outcome and God met us there.

Reflection:

- Where am I being called to act in faith before I see the whole plan?
- How can I invite God into the fear that holds me back?

We learned that waiting is not wasted

Esther waited.

She trusted timing over urgency.

“Let the king and Haman come tomorrow...”
(Esther 5:8)

And while she waited, God worked.

Reflection:

- What areas of my life am I rushing instead of trusting God’s timing?
- How can waiting become a place of faith and strength?

We learned that God exposes what threatens us

The truth came out. Not through striving,
but through alignment.

“The adversary and enemy is this vile Haman.”
(Esther 7:6)

Some of us saw clarity this month
where confusion once lived.

Reflection:

- Where do I need God to reveal the truth in my life?
- How can I respond with courage when threats are exposed?

We learned that God doesn't just rescue. He rewrites

The decree was overruled.

“Write another decree...”
(Esther 8:8)

What was spoken over us
does not have the final word.

Reflection:

- Which negative words or circumstances do I need God to rewrite in my life?
- How can I align with God's redemptive power today?

We learned that some cycles end with us

This was one of the hardest truths
and one of the most freeing.

“Let the ten sons of Haman be hanged...”
(Esther 9:13)

God used Esther to finish what generations before her could not.

And some of you felt that deeply.

Reflection:

- What patterns or cycles in my life am I being called to end?
- How can I step into God’s plan to break generational chains?

BRINGING IT BACK TO US

This month we:

- surrendered control
- fasted in faith
- wrestled with fear
- waited without answers
- trusted God’s timing
- believed cycles could end

And whether you fasted fully, partially, or spiritually.
God saw your heart.

You showed up.
And that matters.

Reflection:

- Which of these steps was hardest for me, and why?
- What is God shaping in me through this journey?

A FINAL RECAP - WHAT WE ARE CARRYING FORWARD

Together, we learned:

- God calls us before we feel ready (Esther 4:14)
- Surrender prepares us for courage (Esther 4:15–17)
- Courage invites favor (Esther 5:1–2)
- Waiting is part of wisdom (Esther 5–6)
- God exposes and overturns what threatens us (Esther 7–8)
- Some battles end with us (Esther 9:13)
- What God does in us deserves to be remembered (Esther 9:28)

Reflection:

- Which of these truths speaks to me most right now?
- How can I carry this forward into my daily life?

A PRAYER FROM US TO YOU

FATHER,

THANK YOU FOR EVERY WOMAN IN THIS SPACE.

THANK YOU FOR THE COURAGE IT TOOK TO SHOW UP.

FOR THE TEARS, THE PRAYERS, THE FAITH, AND THE OBEDIENCE.

SEAL WHAT YOU HAVE DONE IN THIS SEASON.

PROTECT IT.

GROW IT.

AND REMIND EACH WOMAN THAT

YOU ARE STILL WORKING , EVEN NOW.

WE WERE BORN FOR SUCH A TIME AS THIS.

AMEN.