



The king said Mordecai should be honored in the streets. What was proclaimed about Mordecai?

Use the code to fill in the blanks.



8	S	F	W	H
7	N	T	K	D
6	M	L	O	G
5	I	E	A	R
	1	2	3	4

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 2,7 4,8 1,5 1,8      1,5 1,8      3,8 4,8 3,5 2,7

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Ages 7+

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# Esther Saves Her People

King Xerxes honored Haman. All the royal officials knelt down and paid honor to him. But Mordecai would not kneel down or pay him honor.

Find 12 differences between these 2 pictures.



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## What happened next?

Fit the words in the box on the blanks and read the story.  
Match each picture with its description.

pay	king	horse	notice	enraged
saw	past	kneel	people	trouble
help	sent	robes	punish	everyone
hurt	heard	royal	decided	relatives
kill	honor	Esther	dressed	remembered

- ① When Haman \_\_\_\_\_ that Mordecai would not \_\_\_\_\_ n \_\_\_\_\_ down and \_\_\_\_\_ him \_\_\_\_\_ n \_\_\_\_\_, he was \_\_\_\_\_. He wanted to \_\_\_\_\_ u \_\_\_\_\_ Mordecai and his \_\_\_\_\_ e \_\_\_\_\_.
- ② Haman \_\_\_\_\_ e \_\_\_\_\_ out a \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ to k \_\_\_\_\_ Mordecai and his people.

- ③ Queen \_\_\_\_\_ and Mordecai were \_\_\_\_\_. When she \_\_\_\_\_ r \_\_\_\_\_ of this \_\_\_\_\_, she went to the \_\_\_\_\_ i \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ h \_\_\_\_\_.
- ④ The king \_\_\_\_\_ that Mordecai had helped him in the \_\_\_\_\_ s \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to help and honor Mordecai.
- ⑤ Mordecai's people were not \_\_\_\_\_ t \_\_\_\_\_ and Mordecai was \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ y \_\_\_\_\_ r \_\_\_\_\_ and given a \_\_\_\_\_ s \_\_\_\_\_ to honor him.



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