

Additional Study Notes

¹Key Definitions: Names of the Seven ²Chamberlains

- a. Mehuman (H4104) – Faithful
- b. Biztha (H968) – Booty
- c. Harbona (H2726) – Ass “donkey” driver
- d. Bigtha (H903) – In the wine press
- e. Abagtha (H5) – God-given
- f. Zethar (H2242) – Star, conqueror
- g. Carcas (H3752) - Severe

Key Definitions: Names of the Seven ³Princes (of the 127 Provinces)

- a. Carshena (H3771) – Illustrious
- b. Shethar (H8369) – A star
- c. Admatha (H133) – A testimony to them
- d. Tarshish (H8659) – Yellow Jasper
- e. Meres (H4825) – Lofty
- f. Marsena (H4826) – Worthy
- g. Memucan (H4462) - Dignified

Observations of Numbers Used in Chapter 1

Number 1	Number 2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ # of princes who stood in agreement with the plan to dethrone Queen Vashti (see verses 16 and 21) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ # of kingdoms/kings in parallel (King Ahasuerus and King Saul)
Number 3	Number 7
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 3rd year of King Ahasuerus' reign when he a feast (see verse 3) ○ # of accusations against Queen Vashti as of her defying the kings command (see verse 16) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ # of days King Ahasuerus held a fest in the court of the garden unto all the people present in Shushan (see verse 5) ○ Day of the feast where Queen Vashti was called by the king to present herself (see verse 10) ○ # of chamberlain who served in the presence of King Ahasuerus and who were also commanded to bring

¹ All definitions are Hebrew meaning from www.BlueLetterBible.org

² Chamberlain (H5631) – To castrate, eunuch

³ Princes (H8269) – Ruler, leader, chief, chieftan, officiant, captain, commander



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	<p>Queen Vashti before the king with royal crown (see verse 10)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ # of princes of Persia and Media who sat the first in the kingdom (see verse 14)
Number 8	Number 127
<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ # of colors mentioned in the palace area where the feast was taking place. (Note: marble wasn't counted as a color)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ # of provinces King Ahasuerus reigned and ruled over○ # of letters sent to the provinces announcing Queen Vashti's actions and her dethronement
Number 180	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ # of days King Ahasuerus showed the riches of kingdom, honor and majesty	

Key Reference Scriptures
