

**THE
PARTICIPANTS -
V21A**

Now Bigthana
and Teresh were
two of the king's
eunuchs who
guarded the
doorway.



**THE PROOF - V21B-
22A**

While Mordecai
was sitting at the
king's gate, they
became angry and
began to make
plans to kill King
Xerxes.

But Mordecai found
out about their
plans and told
Queen Esther.

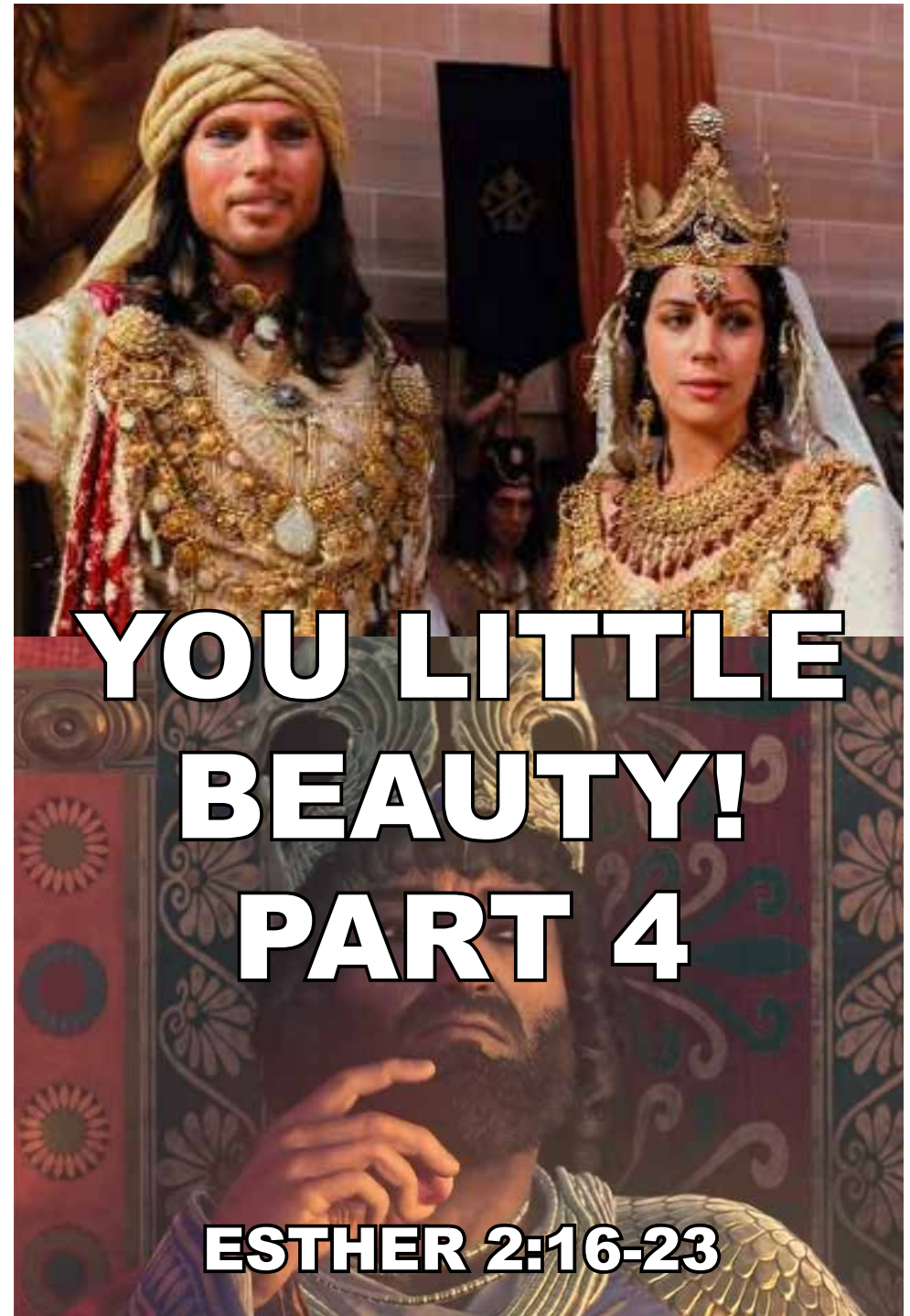
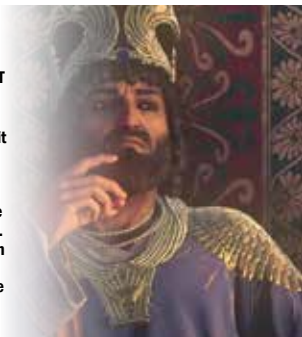


**THE PERSUASION
- V22B**

Then Esther told
the king how
Mordecai had
discovered the
evil plan.

**THE
PRONOUNCEMENT
- V23B**

When the report
was investigated, it
was found to be
true, and the two
officers who had
planned to kill the
king were hanged.
All this was written
down in the daily
court record in the
king's presence.

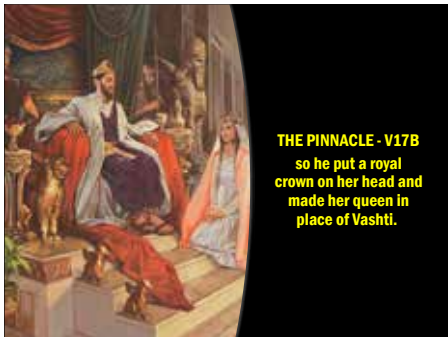


THE PROCESS OF SELECTION - V16-18



THE PRESENTATION - V16-17A

So Esther was taken to King Xerxes in the royal palace in the tenth month, the month of Tebeth, during Xerxes' seventh year as king. And the king was pleased with Esther more than with any of the other virgins. He liked her more than any of the others,

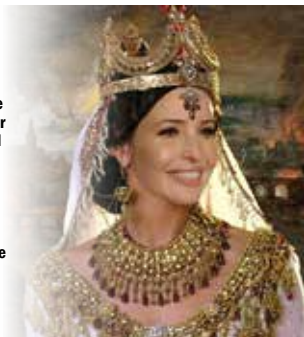


THE PINNACLE - V17B

so he put a royal crown on her head and made her queen in place of Vashti.

THE PROCLAMATION - V18

Then the king gave a great banquet for Esther and invited all his important men and royal officers. He announced a holiday for all the empire and had the government give away gifts.



THE PLACE OF SUBMISSION - V19-20



THE POSITION - V19

Now Mordecai was sitting at the king's gate when the girls were gathered the second time.



THE PRIVACY - V20A

Esther still had not told anyone about her family or who her people were, just as Mordecai had commanded her



THE PLOT SHOWN - V21-23

