



**PASTOR SHAWN STONE • WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14, 2019**

**FOR SUCH A TIME AS THIS**

**- ESTHER 4**

**I. AN UNDESIRABLE CHOICE**

A. God uses people \_\_\_\_\_, and  
 \_\_\_\_\_ people in all parts of society to fulfill  
 His \_\_\_\_\_.

**II. AN UNSHAKEABLE HOPE**

A. If you risk losing the “palace,” you \_\_\_\_\_  
 lose everything, but if you don’t risk, you \_\_\_\_\_  
 certainly lose everything.

• “If you cling to your life, you will lose it, and if you let your life go, you will save it.” - Luke 17:33

• “Even now,” declares the Lord, “return to me with all your heart, with fasting and weeping and mourning. Rend your heart and not your garments. Return to the Lord your God, for he is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and abounding in love, and he relents from sending calamity. Who knows? He may turn and relent and leave behind a blessing...” - Joel 2:12-14

**III. AN UNAVOIDABLE DUTY**

A. The providence of God doesn’t \_\_\_\_\_ our  
 responsibility, but \_\_\_\_\_ us to act.