## **OLD TESTAMENT SURVEY**

Lesson 27 – Esther

A. When did the events in the book occur?
B. What are the overall theme(s) of the book?
C. Outline the major sections of the book.
Bonus #1. What can we learn about the actions and character of the following people?  • Ahasuerus  • Vashti  • Mordecai  • Haman  • Esther
Bonus #2. What is "Purim"? What is the word derived from?
Bonus #3. What are "hamantaschen"? What is the word derived from?
D. Are there any New Testament references to the book or its contents?
E. What lesson(s) can we learn from the book for use today?
F. What scripture would you choose to remind you of this book?