

~HARBONA (36)
(Har-bo'na)

- One of Ahasuerus seven court officials sent to convey to Queen Vashti the kings word for her to appear before him. Then, at the time that Haman's scheme to exterminate the Jews was exposed, **Harbonas** mentioning the 50-cubit stake Haman had made for Mordecai prompted Ahasuerus to order that Haman himself be hanged on it.
- On the seventh day, when the kings heart was in a merry mood with wine, he said to Mehuman, Biztha, **Harbona**, Bigtha and Abagtha, Zethar and Carkas, the seven court officials that were ministering to the person of King Ahasuerus. (**Esther 1:10**)
- To bring Vashti the queen in the royal headdress before the king, to show the peoples and the princes her loveliness, for she was beautiful in appearance. (**Esther 1:11**)
- But Queen Vashti kept refusing to come at the kings word that was conveyed by means of the court officials. At this the king grew highly indignant and his very rage flared up within him. (**Esther 1:12**)
- **Harbona**, one of the court officials before the king, now said; Also, there is the stake that Haman made for Mordecai, who had spoken good concerning the king, standing in Haman's house, fifty cubits high. At that the king said; You men, hang him on it. (**Esther 7:9**)
- And they proceeded to hang Haman on the stake that he had prepared for Mordecai, and the king's rage itself subsided. (**Esther 7:10**)