

## QUESTIONS

1. What character traits were exhibited by Baruch in this story and what blessings followed as a reward for his faithfulness?
2. What are the indications within the story that the officials had a good idea of how the king would react to the scroll?
3. When might a routine duty suddenly require courage to do the right thing?
4. How does a public pronouncement of a written document add weight to a message someone wants to deliver?
5. What is our responsibility when a decision with moral consequences lies in the hands of someone above us in the chain of command?