

- I. Join those pursuing things greater than themselves- -
- Prov 2:1-5; 16:16;
Jer 32:1-5
- A. Especially those seeking God's word.
- B. Just use what you've got. Jer 32:6-15;
Jer 36:1-8, 19-28, 32
- II. Play a greater part when it is necessary- -
- A. Especially to get the word out.
- B. Get back up when you're knocked down Jer 43:1-7
- III. Recognize that you will be greatly misunderstood- -
- A. Especially when you are committed to God's word.
- B. You may have to go where you don't want to go. Jer 45:1-5
- IV. Don't seek great things for yourself- -
- A. Especially when you can be a part of God's greater work.
- B. God has a word for you.

Small Group Questions

1. What "great things" are you seeking in your life right now? Are they for you or for God?
2. Baruch supported the prophet Jeremiah. What ministry or person are you supporting? If not, who would you support and what's stopping you?
3. Share about a time you've been "knocked down"? What motivated you to get back up?
4. Think of Baruch and other people in the Bible who risked it all to obey God's Word. What were the truths/principles they believed? What risks did they take?
5. Are you willing to take risks to obey God? Is there any evidence in your life you have done so?