**STEP 1**

**Robert H. Jackson Opening Statement**

DIRECTIONS: Please complete the following questions based on the video clip of Jackson giving his opening statement at Nuremberg.

1. How does Jackson describe the crimes committed by the Nazis?
2. What does Jackson mean when he says *“That four great nations, flushed with victory and stung with injury stay the hand of vengeance and voluntarily submit their captive enemies to the judgment of the law is one of the most significant tributes that Power has ever paid to Reason”?*
3. How will the indictments be proven?
4. How were prisoners of war treated by the Nazis and why was this considered a crime?
5. What are the difficulties of trying this case?