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## The Price of Power

### Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Brutus's betrayal shows that loyalty can be complicated—he had to choose between friendship and what he thought was best for Rome.
2. The play shows that power can change people and lead to fear, betrayal, and even violence.
3. Answers will vary, but students should explain why they see the senators as heroes trying to save Rome or as villains who caused chaos.
4. Answers will vary, but students should consider what Caesar did for Rome and what the senators feared.

