



General questions

1. What are the challenges presented in this story and what, if any approaches toward a solution to them?
2. In what way might this story be relevant in your community?

Further exploration

1. Are there any risks to partnerships between religion and government even if it's just focused on environmental policy? Why or why not?
2. Some scholars say the search for faith in China is linked to massive environmental problems. How could a return of religion to a largely state supported atheist society impact China?
3. Are there connections between religion and environment elsewhere in the world? How are they similar or different?