

## The Roman Empire & Its Fall

*Directions: Use your textbook (p.11-12) to help you answer the following questions:*

1. Give three reasons why Rome succeeded as a civilization.
2. **When** was the city of Rome conquered, and by **who**?
3. What was a “barbarian”?
4. Describe some ways that the former Roman Empire changed after its “fall”?
5. Use the information under “Why Did Rome Fall?” to help you come up with a list of some of the general “symptoms” of a declining civilization. Use this list to make a short advertisement/article about “how you know when your civilization is in decline.”