Excerpt from **Alive!** pages 9-11

(To support a lesson on geography)

Shopkeeper

What *village* are you from?

nicki

Village? We are from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Insert your own village or town.)

Shopkeeper 2

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Restates village name.) Who has heard of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

Chorus: Never heard of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Restating village name, with deliberate breaks between syllables.)

Shopkeeper 1

What *city-state* are you from?

john

State? We’re from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Insert your own.) (proudly)

Shopkeeper 2

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Restates state name.) Who has heard of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

Chorus: Never heard of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Restating state’s name, with deliberate breaks between syllables.)

shopkeeper 1

What *region* are you from?

sarah

Region? We’re from the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Insert your own region) part of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Insert your country name.)

Shopkeeper 2

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?(Restates country name) Who has heard of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?(country name)

Chorus: Never heard of (name of country).

shopkeeper 1

Where is this place you speak about?

sarah

Do you have a map?

All the shopkeepers begin laughing.

sarah

I’m sorry, I meant a globe?

Shopkeeper 2

Globe? What is a globe?

sarah

A globe is a round map, shaped like a ball.

Shopkeeper 1

Globe? Why would you want a round map?

All the shopkeepers begin laughing again.

sarah

Because the world is round of course.

The shopkeepers really start to roar.

And we’re from the other side of the world.

Such a commotion occurs that the police appear and speak to the crowd.