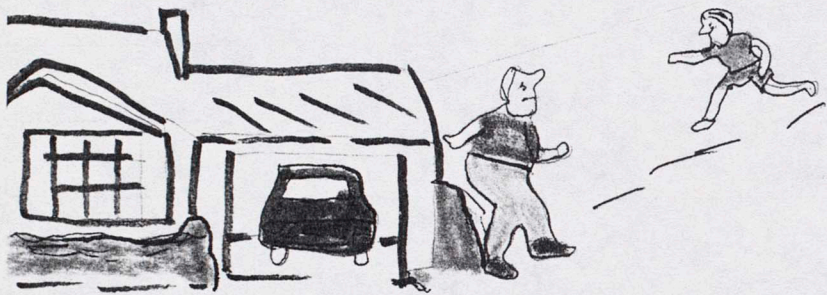


Here in the United States there are a lot of cars and trucks. When they pass by the house it is very noisy. And a lot of different. Peoples talk different languages. I see a lot of people with different colors of hair and eyes. I never saw green and blue eyes. and yellow and red hair before in Cambodia. I only saw black and brown eyes and black hair. I thought everybody in the world was the same color.

United States



The houses in the United States are different from the Cambodian houses. Here in the United States the houses have sinks, showers, and stoves with ovens and a lot more. In Cambodia we don't have these things. Because our village didn't have electricity and indoor plumbing. We had to go outside to get water, and when we took showers. We had to go to the river. I feel happy now that in the United State we have indoor plumbing and electricity. Everything seems much more convenient. I love it! I would not like to live with out electricity and indoor plumbing. But most important is that my family and I are free from war.

I feel very happy to be in the United States.