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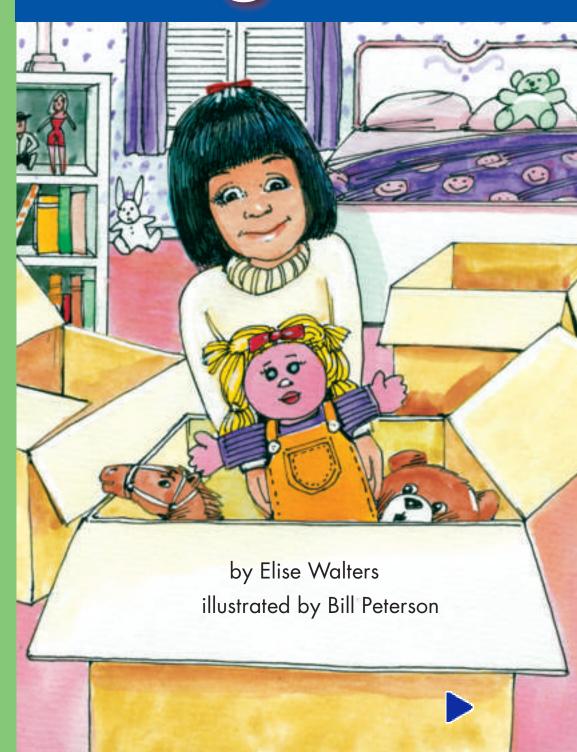
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Vocabulary

away

car

friends

house

our

school

very

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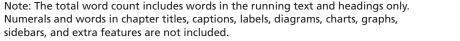


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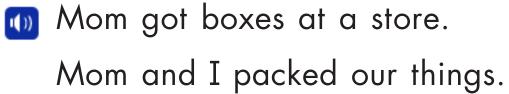


Mom got a new job.

Mom and I had to move away.





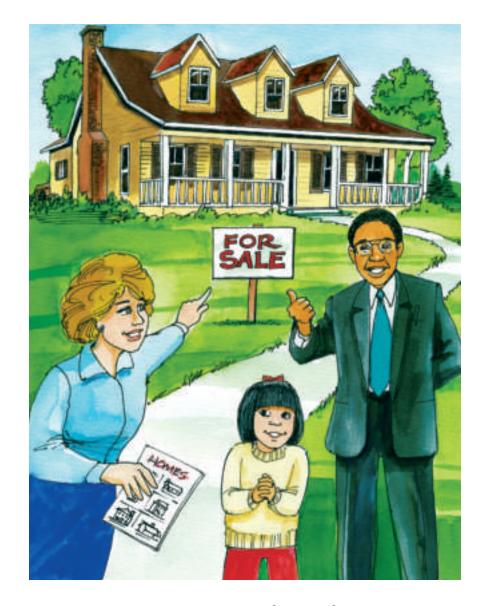




Mom got some ads.

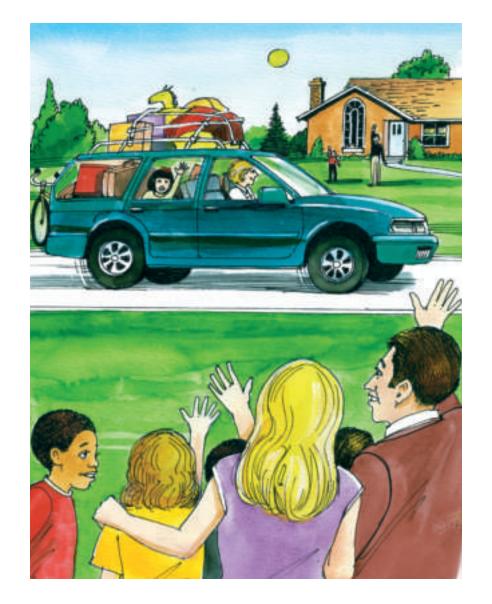
Mom and I looked for a new house.





Mom saw a very big house by a school.

Mom and I said it's fine for us.



Mom watches from the car.

Mom and I will miss our friends.





Coming to America



People often move from one place to another place. Sometimes these places are close together. But many times people move far away to a whole new country. Millions of people come to the United States from other countries. Many of them arrive first in New York City. When they get there, they are

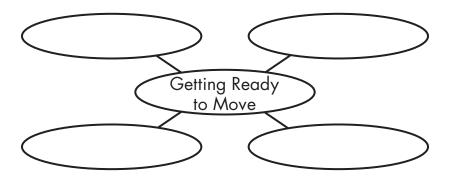
greeted by a famous symbol of freedom, the Statue of Liberty.



Think and Share (Read Together



- 1. What is the big idea of this story?
- 2. What does the family do to get ready for their move?



- **3.** What words from this story end in *-es?*
- 4. How would you feel if your family were going to move far away from where you live now?

