



### **General questions**

1. What problems can you identify in this story? Are solutions presented?
2. In what way might this story be relevant in your community?

### **Further exploration**

1. How have Tibetan communities maintained their cultural identity while living in the U.S.?
2. The Dalai Lama has emphasized that all Buddhists must reconcile their traditional belief system with the modern world. What could happen if those traditions aren't reconciled?
3. Jalue will be educated in both Western and Eastern traditions. What value is there in having such a blended experience?