

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. What does the culture clash say about how cultures value architecture differently?
- 2. Another problem is that there is a shortage of recorded information to guide a rebuilding that's faithful to the original temple design. Should there be restoration, even without original designs? Why or why not?
- 3. Even though the locals might not value the architecture for its own sake, a large part of the local economy is supported by tourists who mostly come to see the historic temples. Should there be a balance between cultural and economic reasons for reconstruction?