

QUIERO SABER
I WANNA KNOW

**HONORING
GINI MYERS**

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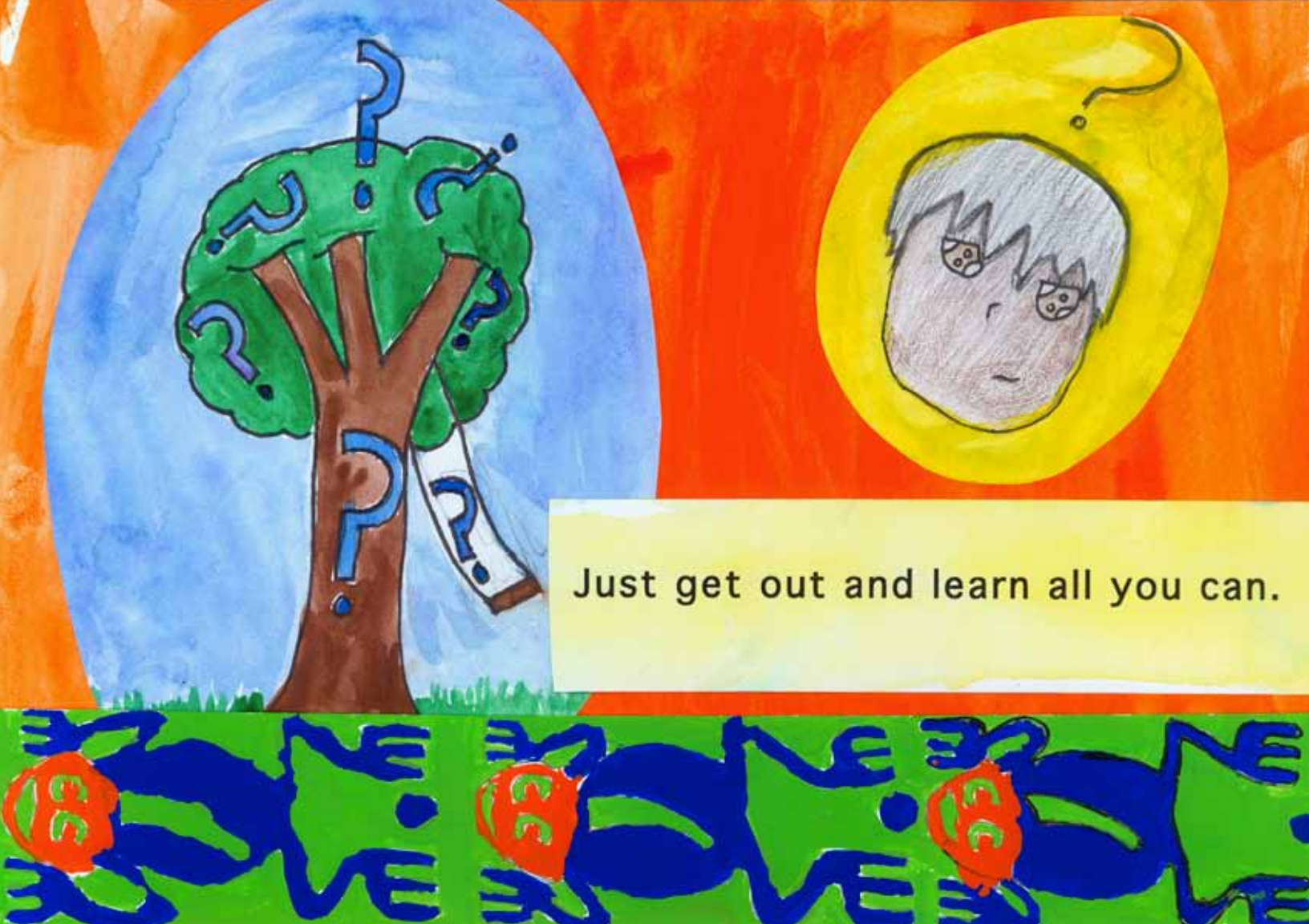
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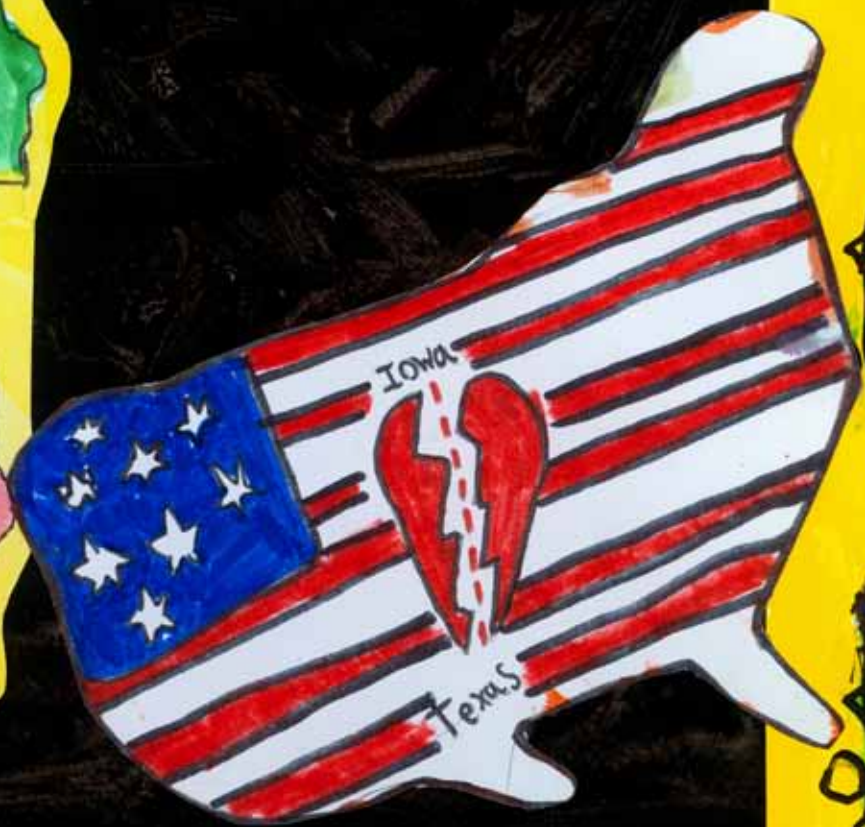
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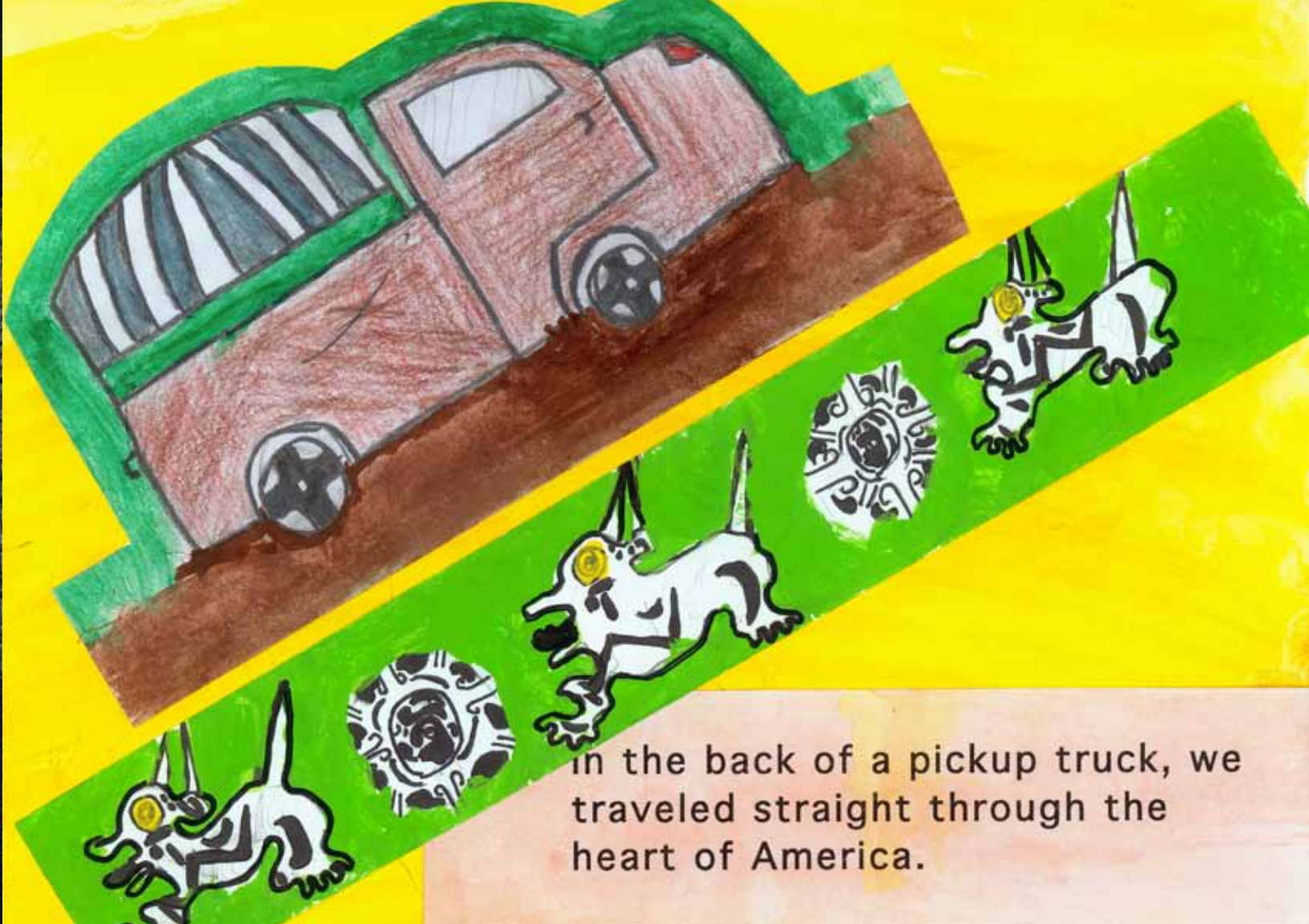
HONORING GINI MYERS



Just get out and learn all you can.

As a child, my family would travel
all the way from Texas up to Iowa.





in the back of a pickup truck, we
traveled straight through the
heart of America.



My family was migrant workers.
Harvesting crops from field to
field.

Mom and Dad,
nine brothers and sisters.



Everything we earned went to pay the bills.





Mom and Dad would leave in the morning. Nine of us looked after one another. They wouldn't get home until evening.



At home Spanish was spoken.





At school we didn't know the words that were said.



English I learned by listening.
Many years of listening helped me
get ahead.





Always give your life for others.



Take care of your family
Share with them your time.



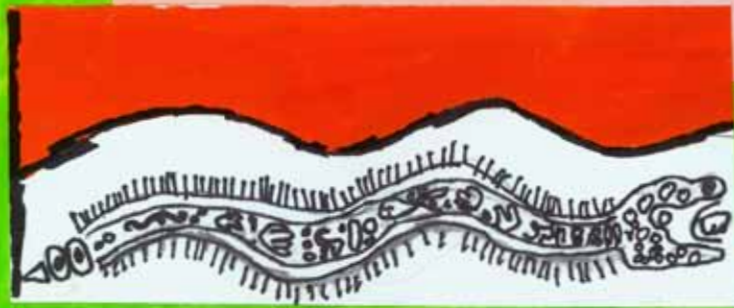


There are people in need
and you have more than enough.
Share with everyone.

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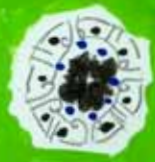


Don't sit back and wonder.
Get out and learn all you can.





Quiero Saber.
I wanna know.



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Elders' Wisdom, Children's Song is a program of Community Celebration of Place, a non-profit organization, which works with communities through music, performance, art and oral history to bring together children, elders, and people of different backgrounds-economic, faith, racial and cultural-in order to build intergenerational and multicultural opportunities for all schools and communities to prosper.

Dr. Tony Seeger, Curator Emeritus of Smithsonian Folkways, writes, *"When senior members of a community talk about their lives and work and children write songs with Larry Long about what they have learned from the elders, they create a remarkable celebration of humanity and hard work."*



To learn more about Elders' Wisdom,
Children's Song:
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