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Say it! Write it! Repeat it!

I am Mary.

You are Joe.

He is John.

She is Elizabeth.

It is George Washington.

We are the Jones.

You are Smiths.

They are the Browns.

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We live on planet Earth.

This is the North American continent.

The United States of America is here.

The city of New York is big.

I enjoy Lake Michigan.

It is beautiful in the state of Washington.

The everglades are in Florida.

Florida is on the Atlantic coast.

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He went to the Vatican.

We toured the Lincoln Memorial.

We flew over the Golden Gate Bridge.

He worked for Eastman Kodak Company.

This is the Mona Lisa.

She did not like the Picasso.

He read it in the Farmer's Almanac.

Check Webster's Dictionary.