

**Captain's Son:** Where will you stay in America?

**Francis:** We will stay with my uncle's family in their home above the bakery.

**Captain's Son:** Do you have a job?

**Narrator:** Francis looks at his mother and smiles.

**Francis:** Yes! We will work at my uncle's bakery.

**Mama:** Francis, don't worry. We can answer all those questions. We will pass the test.

### Poem: Passing the Test

## Act 6

**Narrator:** The captain docks the ferry at Ellis Island.

**Captain:** Now, here we are at the Golden Door.

**Mama:** Thank you, Captain. You and your son have been so kind to us.

**Captain:** My son and I wish your family all the best. But first, promise me one thing?

**Mama:** Yes, of course. What is it?

**Captain:** Before you go inside, turn and take one more look at our Lady Liberty. She will send you

back two gifts—hope and determination. These gifts will help you get through Ellis Island today and will sustain you forever here in your new home of America.





## **AMERICA IS GOING TO BE MY HOME**

Oh, I've got hope  
And a ticket to opportunity  
I've got hope  
And a ticket to opportunity  
Oh, I've got hope  
And a ticket to opportunity  
America is going to be my home

Oh, I've got dreams  
And a ticket to opportunity  
I've got dreams  
And a ticket to opportunity

I've got dreams  
And a ticket to opportunity  
America is going to be my home

I've got plans  
And a ticket to opportunity  
I've got plans  
And a ticket to opportunity  
I've got plans  
And a ticket to opportunity  
America is going to be my home



## **PASSING THE TEST**

What is your name?  
Where are you from?  
You will need money.  
Do you have some?  
Do you have family?  
Where are they now?  
Who paid your way  
To come anyhow?  
Are you quite healthy?  
What are your plans?  
Where will you work?  
Where will you land?  
Answer these questions  
Answer with pride.  
America's open—  
Come on inside!