

Mom: Justice means that everyone should be treated fairly by our laws.

All: And to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Dad: I think those last six words are the most important.



Act 5

Ken: Are we ready to eat yet?

Mom: As soon as June sets the table.

June: It's not my week to set the table! It's Ken's week. This is my week to clear the table.

Miriam: It's my week to empty the dishwasher.

Alex: Wow! Do you guys have a Constitution, too?

June: Come to think of it, we do have a lot of rules.

Mom: It makes our family run better.

Ken: I think we should have a family pledge.

Dad: That's a good idea!

Mom: Time to eat!

Ken: Can we say the Pledge of Allegiance before we eat dinner?

Mom: Okay. Place your right hands over your hearts. Ready? Begin.

All: I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Ken: I feel different now when I say the pledge.

Alex: I know what you mean. I feel like I understand it a lot more now.

Act 6

June: Remember when we went to see the world's largest American flag? It's huge! Pass the cauliflower, please.

Ken: It must be as big as our house.

Mom: The world's largest American flag is as big as our house, Alex's house, and all the other houses on our street.

Alex: We should have a flag for Dandelion Lane.

Dad: Maybe we could make our new flag the neighborhood flag.

Alex: I like that idea!

Ken: On Memorial Day, we could say the pledge.

Miriam: And we could tell everyone in our neighborhood to join us!

Mom: Well, everyone who wants to join us—that is.

Ken: Oh yeah, that's right. With liberty . . .

All: . . . and justice for all!



Song: Pledge of Allegiance

