THERE GOES THE NEIGHBORHOOD

The petition is plain and simple. Those signing it believe the lowincome housing project should not be located in this neighborhood. Julie's father is not prejudiced, but he does worry that the "wrong" kind of people might move in and that property values will go down. He also worries that the neighborhood might become dangerous for his daughter, as well as for the rest of the family. He is leaning toward signing the petition but decides to ask Julie for her opinion.

- What would you say if you were Julie?
- ▶ What if a group home for the mentally retarded was the subject of the petition?
- ▶ What if a retirement home for the elderly was the subject of the petition?
- ▶ What if a home for troubled teenagers was the subject of the petition?
- ▶ What if a halfway house for paroled prisoners was the subject of the petition?

Scripture Guide:

Leviticus 19:32 Joshua 23:11–13 Matthew 9:11 Luke 6:20-36 Acts 17:24-29 Acts 23:6