



**Snapshot Response to  
“What About Me?”  
by Ed Young**

1. What is important about the sequence in which this Selection Snapshot takes place?

Possible response: The sequence shows that people need to have many experiences over time in order to gain knowledge.

2. Summarize, or retell, what happened after the boy met the merchant. Use the boldface words to guide you.

Possible response: The boy brought the merchant’s daughter to the carpenter. The happy carpenter built the boy a pen. The goat seller gave the boy goats. The man who raised goats gave the boy goat hair. The spinner turned the goat hair into thread for the carpetmaker, who made a carpet for the Wise One.

3. Draw a map of the boy’s journey. Label each stop with the character name plus a new, descriptive name for the character he visits. For example, instead of Wise One, label the first stop Wise One/Teacher.

Maps will vary. Labels should be appropriate and descriptive.