

young. Some were talking and laughing, and some were crying. I guess everybody else was scared too. No one knew exactly what was going to happen to us. We just knew we were being taken to the Tanforan Race-tracks, which the army had turned into a camp for the Japanese. There were fourteen other camps like ours along the West Coast.

Vocabulary

forsaken (fōr·sā'kan) *adj.*: abandoned; deserted.
