

THANK A MIGRANT FARM WORKER



In *Malaika, Carnival Queen*, Malaika's father was a migrant farm worker, a seasonal agricultural worker, like my two grandfathers. They pick fruits like strawberries, apples, grapes, and other crops.

Migrant workers face many challenges. They are far from their friends and families and work long days. They may live in crowded housing and are not always made to feel like they belong in the communities where they work.

Write a letter to express your appreciation for the sacrifices and work that migrants do. Think about ways you will welcome them.

Dear Migrant Workers,

Sincerely, _____

REMEMBERING A LOVED ONE



In *Malaika, Carnival Queen*, Malaika learns that the man in her dream was her father, who passed away.

Sometimes we feel loss for our family members or friends when they are no longer with us.

Sometimes we have happy memories or dreams of them. And other times, we learn about them from the memories of the people who knew them, like Malaika did.

Draw a picture of a memory or dream that you have of your loved one.

A large, empty rectangular box with a black border, intended for a student to draw a picture of a memory or dream of a loved one.

Name: _____