

Student Response: April 5, 2006

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In today's Notes from the Trail, Dave writes about the Amazon River being the life-blood of the people. What makes the Amazon River so important to the people living in the rainforest? Give examples.

Compare and contrast shopping at the Belen Market to shopping at a super market in the United States.

How does a plant benefit from having a sweet or attractive pulp? Give examples from today's Animals of the Amazon.

Using creativity, describe what a toucan looks like. Imagine what its habitat might look, feel, and smell like. What are some of the challenges a toucan might face?

Today's People of Peru discusses Ruben's, an Expedition Team member, motorcycle journey. Describe how long his trip was. List the countries he visited on his journey from north to south.

What were some of the challenges Ruben and Geraldine might have encountered on their motorcycle journey around South America? Look at a map or an atlas and list three physical features of South America that would have made this journey difficult.
