Between Earth and Sky

Flower Friends Themes

In “A Road Trip to Remember,” the flower friends make stops at various places throughout the United States. They see cities, woodlands, rolling farmland, desert, beaches, a lake, and oceans. If the girls already enjoyed Welcome to the Daisy Flower Garden, they may remember that the flowers come from various parts of the country and have family all around the world.

Lupe, the lupine is blue and honest and fair. She loves to summer in Maine. She’s in the driver’s seat on this journey’s road trip.

Zinnia, the zinnia, is spring green. She’s considerate and caring. She’s from Mexico and is Lupe’s first passenger on the trip.

Gloria, the morning glory, is purple. She represents the Girl Scout Law line, “respect myself and others.” She hosts her flower friends at her inn in Maine.

Sunny, the sunflower, is from Great Britain and is friendly and helpful. She joins the road trip in Pittsburgh.

Clover is green and sports white flowers. She uses resources wisely. She and her cousins join the road trip, too—to get to Alaska.

This makes them a great springboard for exploring various cultures. You might invite teens or adults who grew up in regions other than your own to join a Daisy gathering to talk about their hometowns, and the foods and trees that grow there. Guide the Daisies to see that differences are what make people—and places and plants—unique and interesting, and that differences, as well as similarities, are to be respected and appreciated.

Rosie, the rose, likes to “make the world a better place.” She joins the road trip in California.

Tula, the tulip, is red and courageous and strong. She’s from the Netherlands. She meets up with her traveling friends in Washington State.

Daisy represents all parts of the Girl Scout Law. The Daisy Flower Garden is named for her—and for all Girl Scout Daisies, including Girl Scout founder Juliette “Daisy” Gordon Low.

Gerri, the geranium, is magenta and respects authority. She stays home in the Daisy Flower Garden.

Mari, the marigold, is orange and “responsible for what I say and do.” She stays home in the Daisy Flower Garden.

Vi, the violet, is “a sister to every Girl Scout.” She’s from Australia. She stays in the Daisy garden, too.