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*To Victoria Grace, for whom I would travel over land  
and sea again . . . and again.*

*—Daddy*

*And with great appreciation to Pam Gaston and the staff of Sunny Ridge Family  
Center and Nancy Baker, Natalia Mashkova, and the staff of World Child  
International for changing lives day after day.*

*—SLL*

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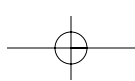
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