

Young soccer players of the World Cup Sports Initiative end their tour in Frankfurt. June 23, 2006.

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Interviewer: What's your name, and how old are you?

Anna: I'm Anna, I'm 16 years old.

Interviewer: And how was the game yesterday? You saw Ghana playing against USA? What was it like to be in the stadium?

Anna: It's very impressive and exciting and I'm supporting the USA, but they lose. But I think it's okay.

Interviewer: I think it's okay, too. Ghana played really well. Ghana deserved that win. Great. It is Lebanon? Lebanon, okay. What's your name and how old are you?

Girl: I am (???), I am 15 years old.

Interviewer: And what's been the nicest part of your visit.

Girl: Visiting the President and Condoleeza Rice and meeting new people from different countries and different cultures.

Interviewer: How is Germany different from how you thought it would be?

Girl: It's so different. They have good hospitality, bad food.

Interviewer: Sie hat gesagt, ihr seid tolle Gastgeber, aber ihre Speise ist schlecht. [laughter, applause] Ich esse Kassler sehr gerne – and you are from?

Abdul: Pakistan

Interviewer: Pakistan. And your name?

Abdul: Abdul. I'm 16.

Interviewer: How popular is football back in Pakistan?

Abdul: Not very popular, but it is getting very popular. We play soccer at the (inaudible)

Interviewer: And what has been the most memorable thing of your visit to Germany? What are you going to remember the most?

Abdul: The White House and the ???, and the World Cup. I guess it's that game that I saw, imagining the World Cup, and it's true.