

CHAVA

(speaking to Fyedka)

My family still does not know about us. I will tell them, but I'm afraid. No, don't talk to my father. That would be the worst thing, I'm sure of it. I'll talk to him, I promise.

(Fyedka leaves as Tevye enters).

What were we talking about? Nothing, we were just talking. Papa, Fyedka and I have known each other for a long time. Papa, the world is changing, I know you think some things will never change, but we don't feel that way, Fyedka and I. We want to be married. You say that I should never talk about this again? Yes, Papa, I understand you.