# Cast monologues:

Windwhild

### Awol:

I got drafted. Seems I was needed to fight in the latest local non-war in Asia.

Well, I got myself conscripted, and uniformed, and yelled at, so almost programmed that I couldn't take it anymore.

Dodds, Tom, PFC C10006 is – AWOL. 5 months worth.

So I got to keep on the move.

Got to keep running.

#### Guiness:

My name is Guiness. I left the town I grew up in because it wouldn't allow me to breath or be free. Two months I've been bumming around now. If you want to know the truth, I don't really know what I'm looking for, but whatever it is, until I find it I've just gotta keep looking.

## Wyan:

I'm from Texas. But, I got in some hassles with the law down there so I decided to head up North, headed for the mountains. I was thinking there I could settle down, do some thinking, and get my head in a good place – and write some music. Oh, my name's Wyan.

### Melissa:

I'm 15. My name is Melissa and up until about 3 weeks ago I was in an orphanage. You see, it was like a prison there so one night I just split. It was reallythe only way, anyway my name's Melissa.

#### Mark:

I don't know why I left home really. Oh, my name is Mark. I mean I wasn't really having a hard time — I just started getting restless as hell — I wanted to feel, taste more of life! I'm lonely as hell — but there's nothing back home so I won't be going back there. I guess I'll just have to keep searching for something to hold on to.

### Roland:

One afternoon I was sitting in my apartment thinking about my life, – I mean really thinking! Here I am, I'm 22 years old and my whole life I've done everything exactly the way everybody else wanted me to do things. Hah, I've never really done anything I wanted to do – so one day I just decided to split. I'm movin', Man! Like, without any real direction right now, but – ah – it'll come. Oh, my name is Roland.

# Susan April:

I met a guy one night in the Village when I was stoned. After while things just started getting really rough between us – then he split for San Francisco and I haven't heard from him since – and, so I figured I'd go out there and try and find him – but I never quite make it. Oh, I'm pregnant, but that's not why I need him! Anyway, I'm Susan April.

## Alex:

My name's Alex. I do dope.