

- Christmas and New Years should be spent with family and friends. In the winter of 2011 I decided to spend the holidays with my brother, his wife, and her mother in Germany. I flew from Seoul, Korea to Munich, Germany. When I arrived my brother was waiting for me at the airport. It was really great to see him and we took a train from the airport to his home in a nearby town near the mountains. At his house I met his wife, Ana, and her mother. Their house was decorated with Christmas lights and a tree.
- I would be spending a week there with my brother and his wife. On Christmas Ana and her mother spent all day cooking and preparing the food for dinner. It was so delicious. We had meat and cheese with bread and drinks. It was a very wonderful evening and we talked a lot. My brother talked about his job and I told him about my teaching job.
- The weather was cold and it snowed a lot in southern Germany. My brother, Ana, and I decided to go to the top of the biggest mountain in Germany, Zugspitze. The mountain was covered in snow and we had to take a cable car to the top. From the top I could see many other mountains and lakes. I felt very small at the top of the mountain and I was a little scared because of how high up I was. There were also people skiing and eating at a restaurant on the top of the mountain.
- On the third day, my brother had to work, so Ana and I took a drive in her car. We went to see some old castles in Germany. There are 5,000 castles in Germany. We visited the most famous castle in the world there, Neuschwanstein. It is a very large and beautiful castle. It is the same castle that you can see at Disneyworld.
- On my last two days I traveled around Germany by myself on a train and saw several small towns in the countryside. I did a lot of walking around and visited some old churches and bridges. My brother drove me to the airport in his car at the end of the week and I said goodbye. I hope to visit him again in Germany this fall and meet my brother's new baby, JJ.









1.	When did Mike go to Germany?	
2.	Who was Mike going to visit in Germany?	
3.	Where did Mike live stay in Germany?	
4.	How did Mike travel in Germany?	
5.	How was the weather in Germany?	
6.	What did Mike like about the castles?	
7.	What is the most famous castle in Germany?	
8.	What are the mountains called in Germany?	
9.	Does Mike want to visit Germany again?	
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