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1. Writing prompt: Reflect on the concept that the utopian life of abundance and comfort we are living is the product of the destruction of nature and is related to hierarchical Western ideology. Write at least **eight** complete and meaningful reflective sentences. How does this notion make you feel or relate to your own values and experiences?
2. What are some of the causes of deforestation in the Amazon and the rest of the world?
3. Given the above causes, speculate as to what will happen regarding deforestation in the future. Justify your answer.
4. Explain the concept of the “master” of a lake and what happens if human pollute the lake?
5. What is the Kenyan proverb? How does this proverb resonate with you?
6. What, in Buddhism, is important and valued regarding civilization?
7. Based on Buddhist thought, what is true about reaching utopia?
8. How are city and forest-living humans different? How did these reflections resonate with you and your life?
9. Reflection – This essay offers a different perspective on forestry and suggests we use “care (Teire)” in managing forests. How does this resonate with what you have learned thus far in forestry? Write at least four sentences.