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Whatever the language, the message of Alaska was friendship, peace

About half of the more than 90 Soviets who visited Alaska last week stayed in the homes of people in Anchorage. They were greeted at the airport Feb. 20 by their host families. Above, from left, Ukhsima Ukhsima and Antonina Verbicky are greeted by Mary Lane. Center, from left, Nina Trapeznikova and Yekatrina Rultyneut pose with Alaskans Helen Carisi, seated, and her daughter. Below, Dr. Ted Mala greets Aleksei Lebedev.



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