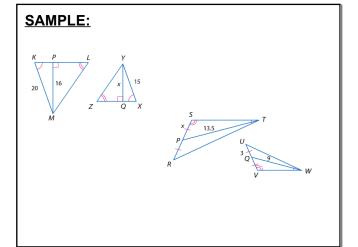
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Parts of Similar Triangles

## **Special Segments**

The following segments are always proportional in similar triangles. The scale factor of these segments is the SAME as the scale factor of any two sides.

- Altitudes
- Angle Bisectors
- Medians



## TRIANGLE ANGLE BISECTOR

An angle bisector in a triangle separates the opposite side into two segments that are proportional to the lengths of the other two sides.

$$\frac{KM}{LM} = \frac{KJ}{LJ}$$

