

# America the Beautiful

Words: Katherine Lee Bates

Music: Samuel Ward

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 2. O beau - ti - ful for he - roes proved In lib - er - at - ing strife, Who  
 3. O beau - ti - ful for pa - triot dream That sees be - yond the years Thine

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pur - ple moun - tain maj - es - ties A - bove the fruit - ed plain! A -  
 more than self their coun - try loved, And mer - cy more than life! A -  
 al - a - bas - ter cit - ies gleam, Un - dimmed by hu - man tears! A -

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 mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! May God thy gold re - fine, Till all suc - cess be  
 mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God mend thine eve - ry flaw, Con - firm thy soul in

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broth - er - hood From sea to shin - ing sea.  
 no - ble - ness, And eve - ry gain di - vine.  
 self - con - trol, Thy lib - er - ty in law.

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