

AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL

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1. Oh beau-ti-ful for spa-cious skies, For am-ber waves of grain,—For pur-ple moun-tain
2. O beau-ti-ful for pil-grim feet, Whose stern im-pas-sion'd stress,—A thor-ough-fare for

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maj-es-ties A-bove the fruit-ed plain!—A-mer-i-ca! A-mer-i-ca! God shed His grace on
free-dom beat A-cross the wil-der-ness!—A-mer-i-ca! A-mer-i-ca! God mend thine ev-'ry

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thee,—And crown thy good with bro-ther-hood From sea to shin-ing sea!
flaw,—Con-firm thy soul in self con-trol, Thy lib-er-ty in law!