America the Beautiful

Oh beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain, For purple mountain majesties, above the fruited plain.

America! America!

God shed His grace on thee, And crown thy good with brotherhood

Oh beautiful for heroes proved in liberating strife
Who more than self their country loved,

and mercy more than life

from sea to shining sea.

America! America!

May God thy gold refine

Till all success be nobleness,

and ev'ry gain divine

Oh beautiful for patriot dream that sees beyond the years.
Thine alabaster cities gleam undimmed by human tears.
America! America!
God shed His grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.