America The Beautiful  "Materna"

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1 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 from sea to shining sea.
2 O beau - ti - ful for he - roes proved in lib - er - at - ing strife, who
more than self their coun - try loved, and mer - cy more than life! A-
mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God mend thine ev - ery flaw, con-
firm thy soul in self - con - trol, thy li - ber - ty in law.
3 O beautiful for patriot dream that sees beyond the years thine alabaster cities gleam, undimmed by human tears! A -
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crown thy good with bro - ther - hood from sea to shin - ing sea.

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