

America the Beautiful

Lyrics as amended by NYCLC

1. O beau - ti - ful for spa - cious skies, for am - ber waves of

2. O beau - ti - ful for pa - triot dream that sees be - yond the

grain; for pur - ple moun - tain maj - es - ties a -

years your al - a - bas - ter cit - ies gleam, un -

bove the fruit - ed plain! A - mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca!

dimmed by hu - man tears! A - mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca!

Be all that we can be and crown thy good with

Now mend your ev - ery flaw, con - firm your soul in

broth - er - hood from sea to shin - ing sea.

self - con - trol, your lib - er - ty in law.

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