

America the Beautiful

enhanced piano accompaniment with vocal counter melody

Text: Katherine Lee Bates, 1839-1929
Music: Samuel A. Ward, 1848-1903

With dignity

instr cm

optional vocal counter melody - suggested for verses 3 and/or 4 - for soprano or tenor voices

Piano 1

enhanced piano accompaniment - can be used alone or with organ SATB as a piano/organ duet accompaniment

SATB

regular accompaniment as found in the current hymnbook of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

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3. Oh,

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Oh,

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

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beau - ti - ful for spa - cious skies, For am - ber waves of grain, For
 beau - ti - ful for pil - grim feet, Whose stern, im - pas - sioned stress, A
 beau - ti - ful for he - roes proved In lib - er - at - ing strife, Who
 beau - ti - ful for pa - triot dream That sees be - yond the years _____ Thine

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13

more than self their coun - try loved, And mer - cy more than life! A -
 al - a - bas - ter ci - ties gleam, Un - dimmed by hu - man tears! _____ A

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pur - ple moun - tain maj - es - ties A - bove the fruit - ed plain! A -
 thor - ough - fare - of free - dom beat A the wil - der - ness! A -
 more than self of coun - try loved, And cross 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 shed thy gold grace re - fine, Till
mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God shed his grace on thee, And

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mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God shed his grace on thee, And
mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God shed his grace on thee, And
mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! May God shed thy gold grace on 'ry re - fine, fine, Con -
mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God shed thy his gold grace on thee, thee, Till And

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all suc - cess good be with - no broth - ble - ness, And From ev' - ry gain di - vine. Oh, sea.
crown thy good with no broth - er - hood From sea to shin - ing di - vine. Oh, sea.

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crown thy good with broth - er - hood From sea to shin - ing sea. Oh,
firm thy soul in be self - con - trol, Thy lib - er - ty gain in law. Oh,
all suc - cess thy good with no ble - ness, And ev' - ry gain in vine. Oh,
crown thy good with broth - er - hood From sea to shin - ing sea. Oh,

1, 2, 3. 4.

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