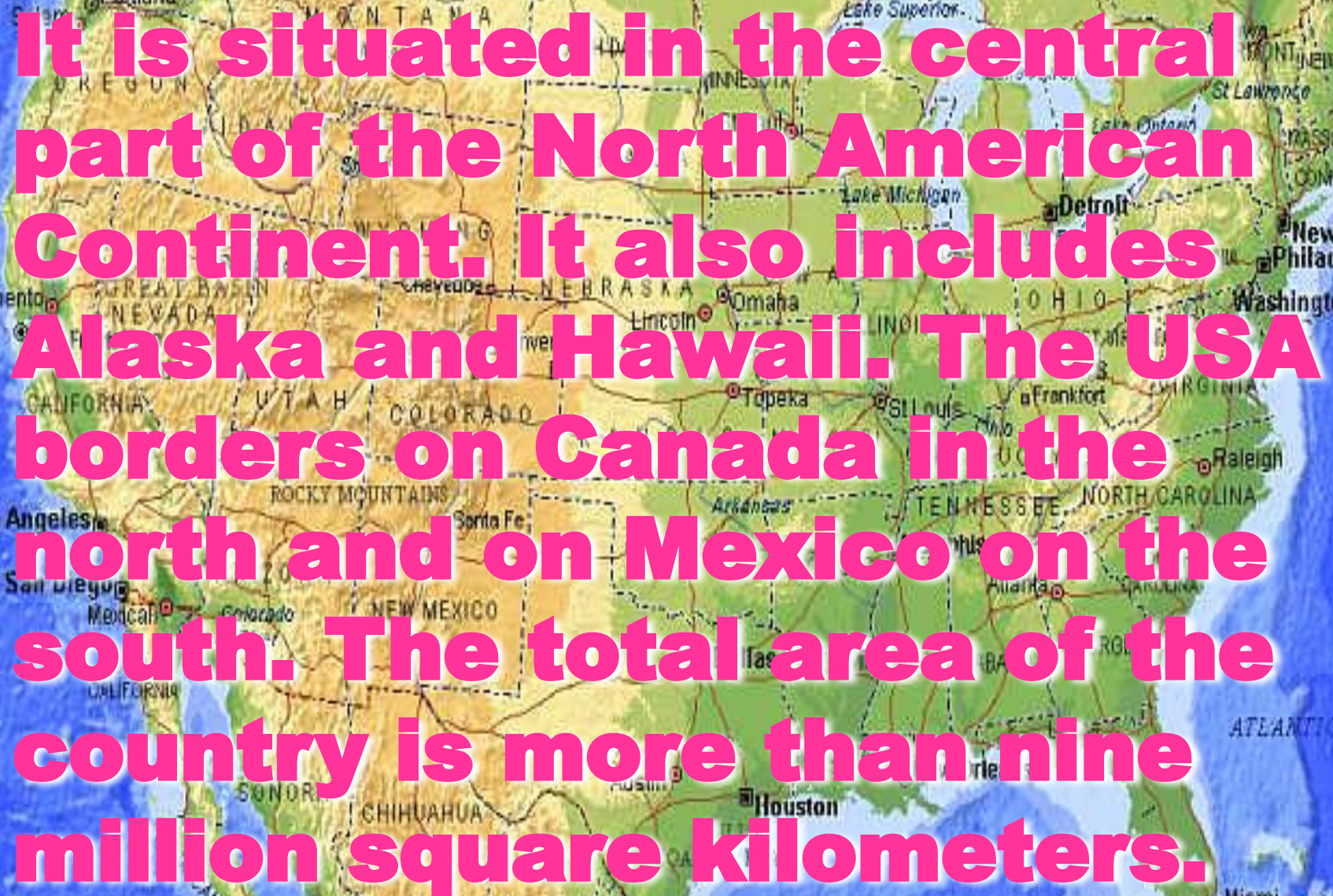




**THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**The United States of America is the fourth largest country in the world (after Russia, Canada and China).**



**It is situated in the central part of the North American Continent. It also includes Alaska and Hawaii. The USA borders on Canada in the north and on Mexico on the south. The total area of the country is more than nine million square kilometers.**

A scenic view of a beach with waves crashing onto the shore. In the distance, a city skyline is visible on the horizon. The text is overlaid in the center of the image.

**It is washed by the Pacific Ocean in the west and the Atlantic Ocean and the Gulf of Mexico in the east.**

A scenic view of a river flowing through a forested valley with mountains in the background. The river is in the foreground, reflecting the sky and surrounding greenery. The middle ground is filled with dense evergreen trees. In the background, a range of mountains is visible under a clear blue sky. The overall scene is peaceful and natural.

**The most important rivers in the USA are the Mississippi, the Colorado, the Ohio and the Hudson River. The main mountain chains are the Cordillera in the west and the Appalachian Mountains in the east. The Great Lakes on the border with Canada are the largest and the deepest in the USA.**

**Washington DC (District of Columbia) is the capital of the country and the seat of the government.**



**The Capitol, where the Congress meets is in the centre of the city.**



**The White House, the residence of the President, is the oldest public building in Washington and one of the most beautiful.**



**The largest cities of the USA  
are:**



# New York





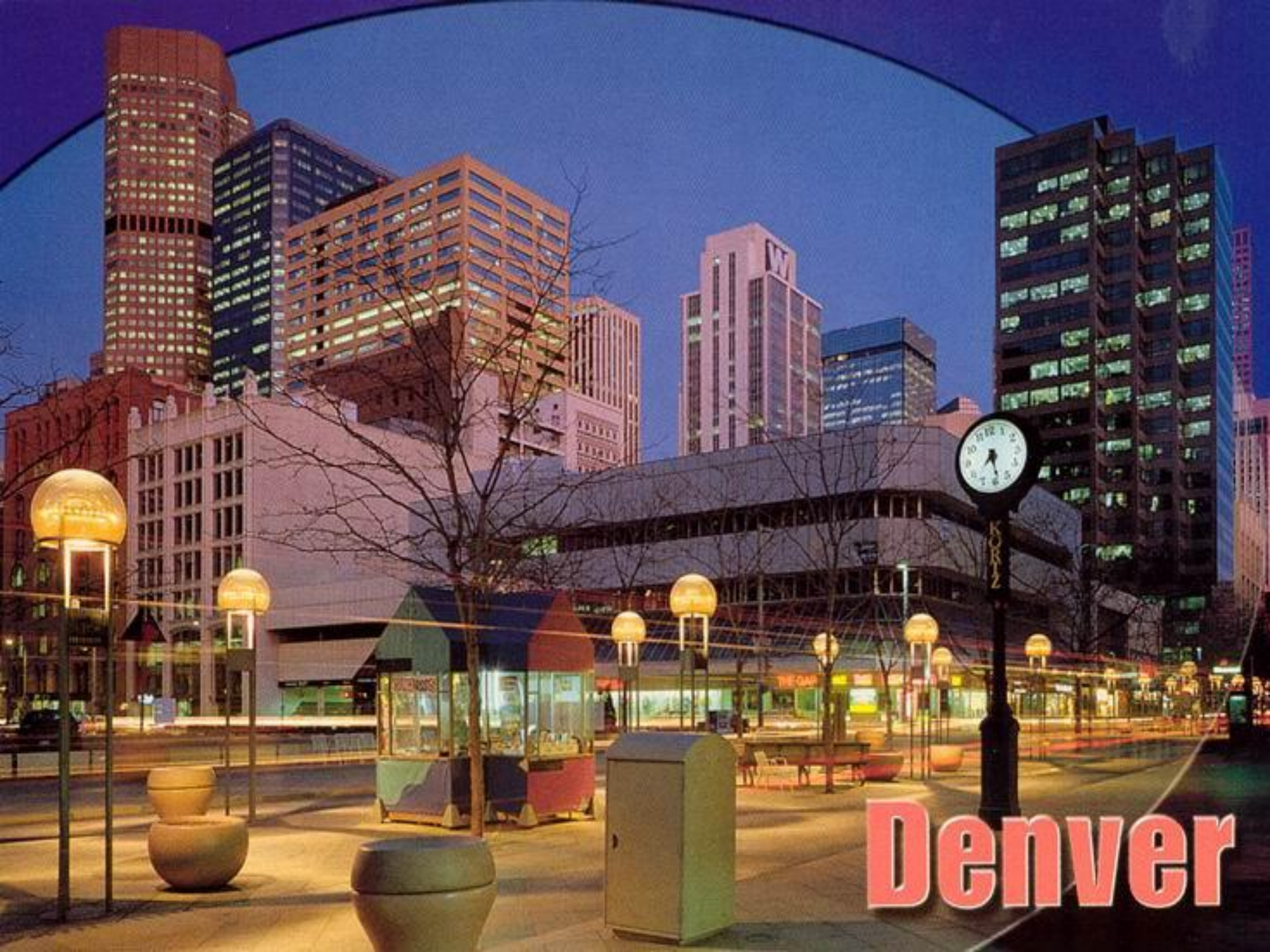
**Los Angeles**

**Chicago**



# Philadelphia





**Denver**



**San-Francisco**

# Baltimore



**Atlanta**





**... and many others.**



**One of the famous symbols of the USA is the Statue of Liberty.**



**The statue of Liberty is a woman who holds a torch up high. She symbolizes a welcome to a land of freedom.**





Спасибо за внимание!