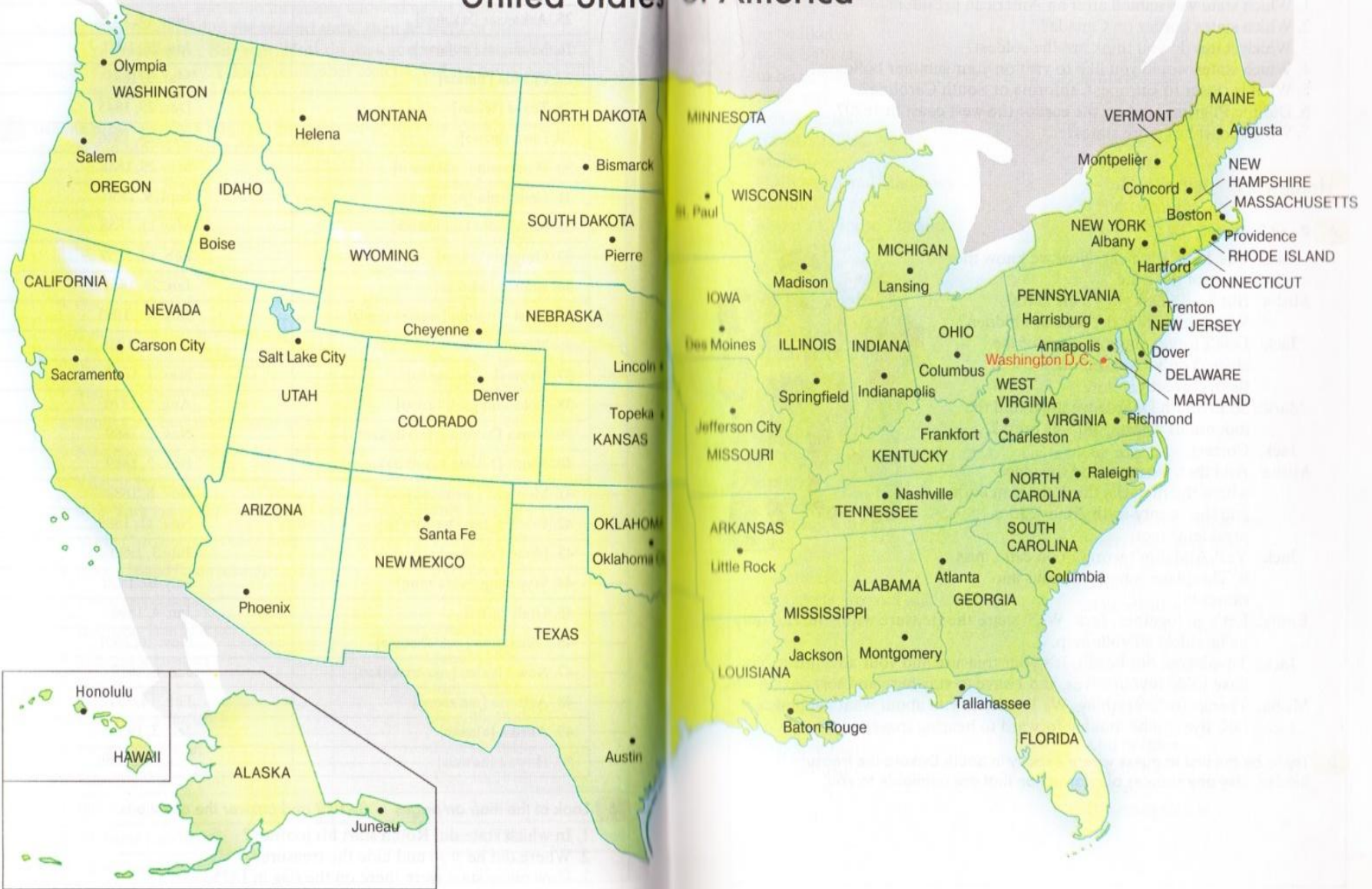
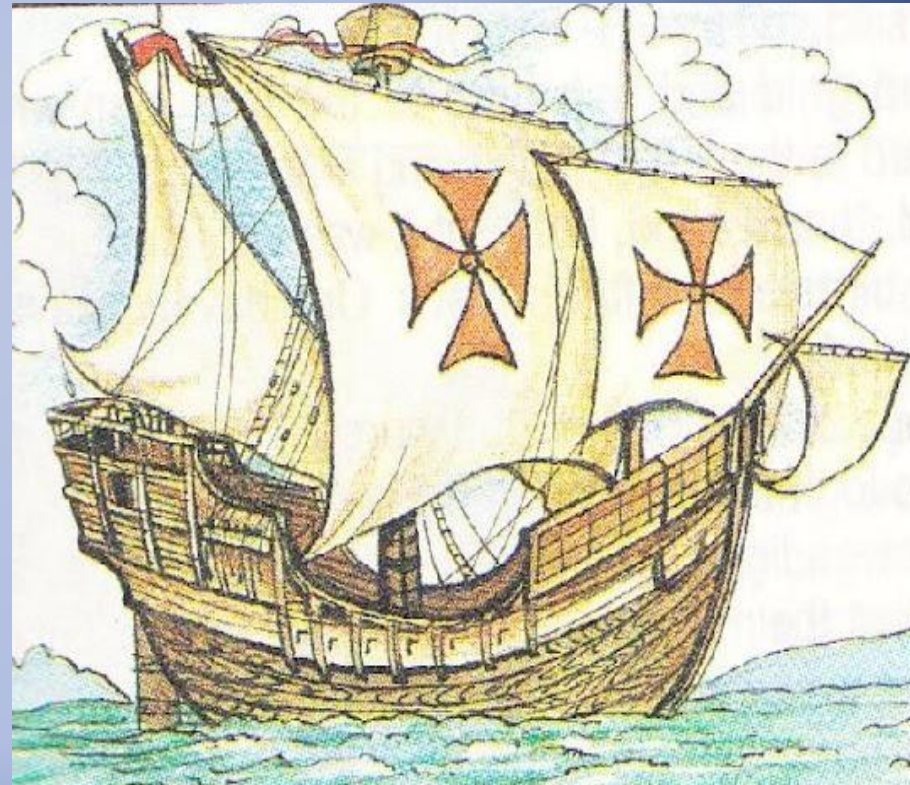
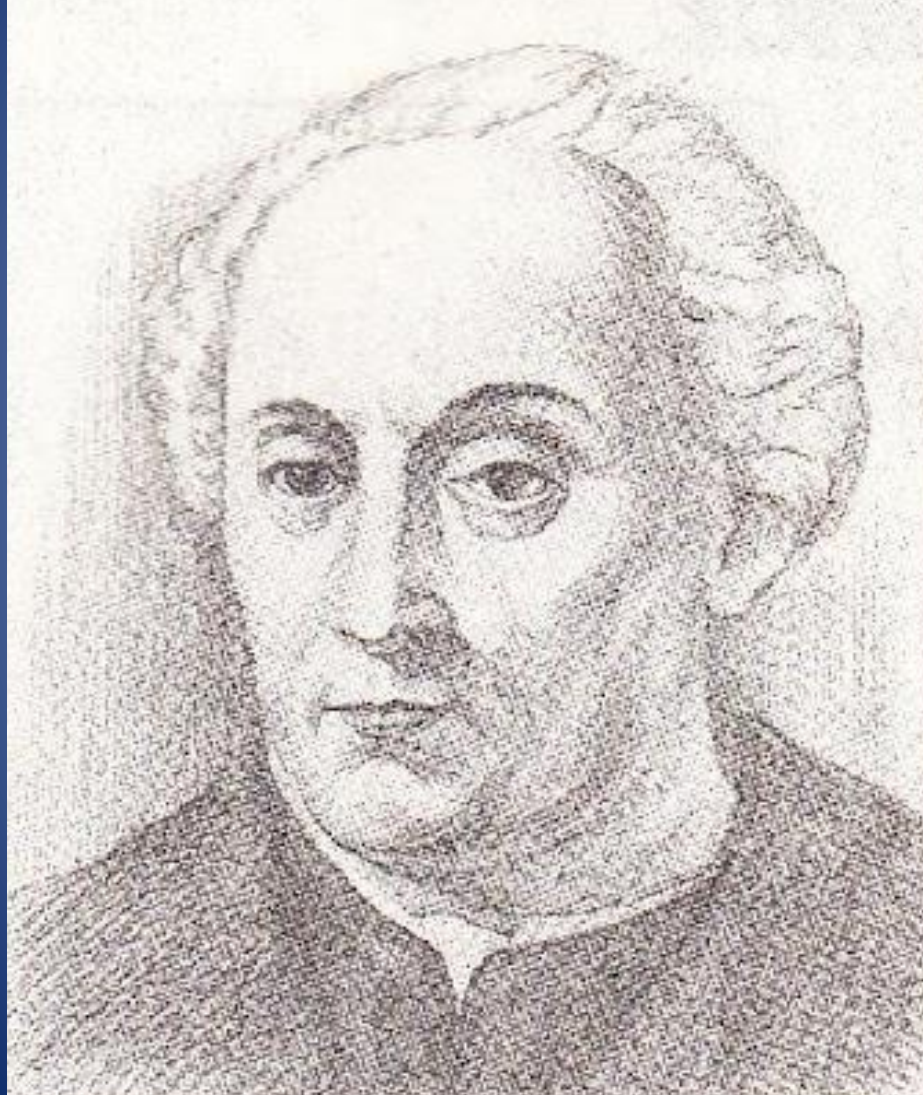


AMERICAN GREATS

United States of America

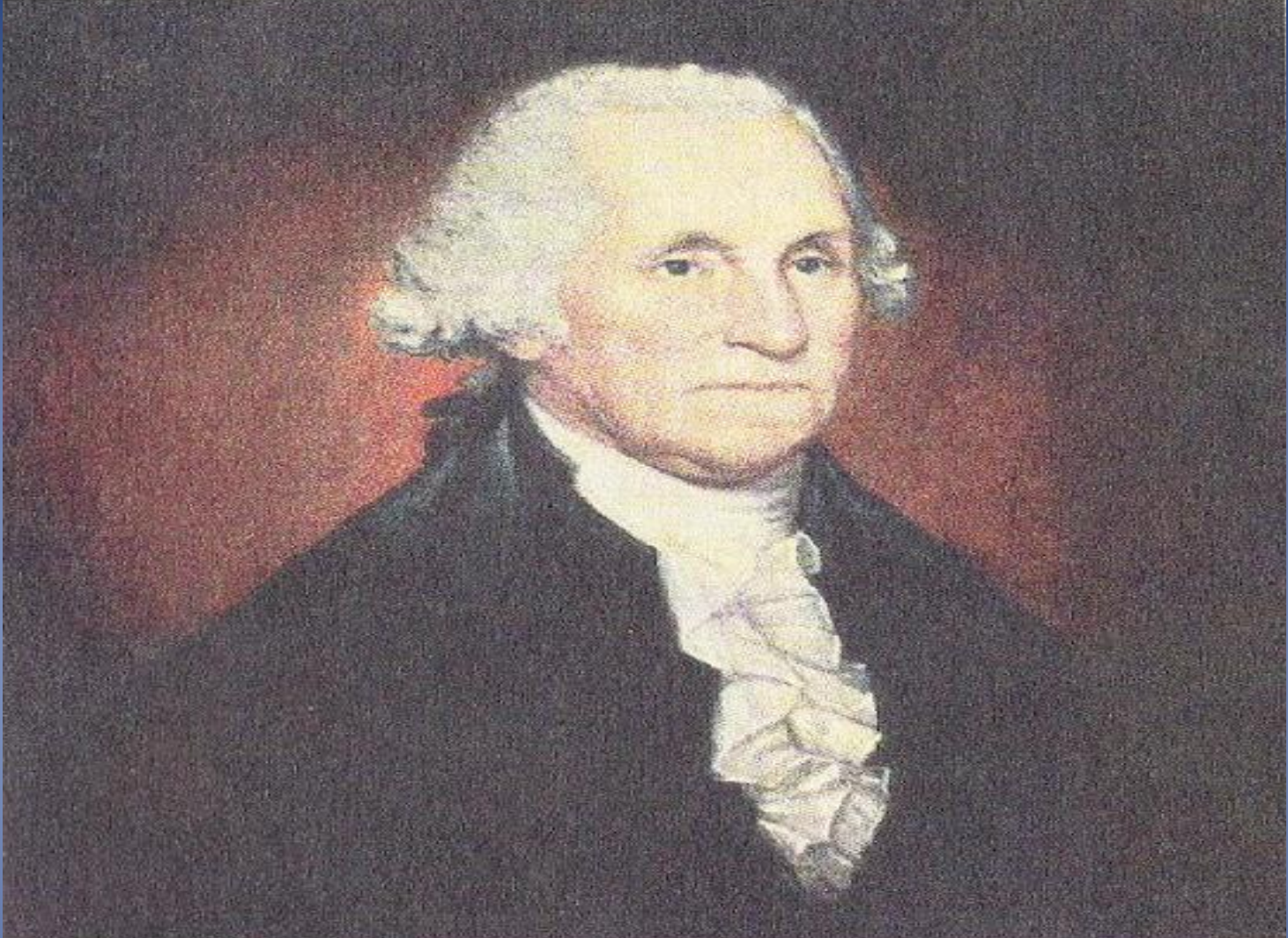


How it all began...



P1- P2- P3

- 1) Where is the USA situated?
- 2) Why is the USA called “the melting pot”?
- 3) Who discovered America?
- 4) When did it happen?
- 5) Who were the first settlers on the continent?
- 6) What was the original number of colonies in the USA?
- 7) Who became the first president of the USA?

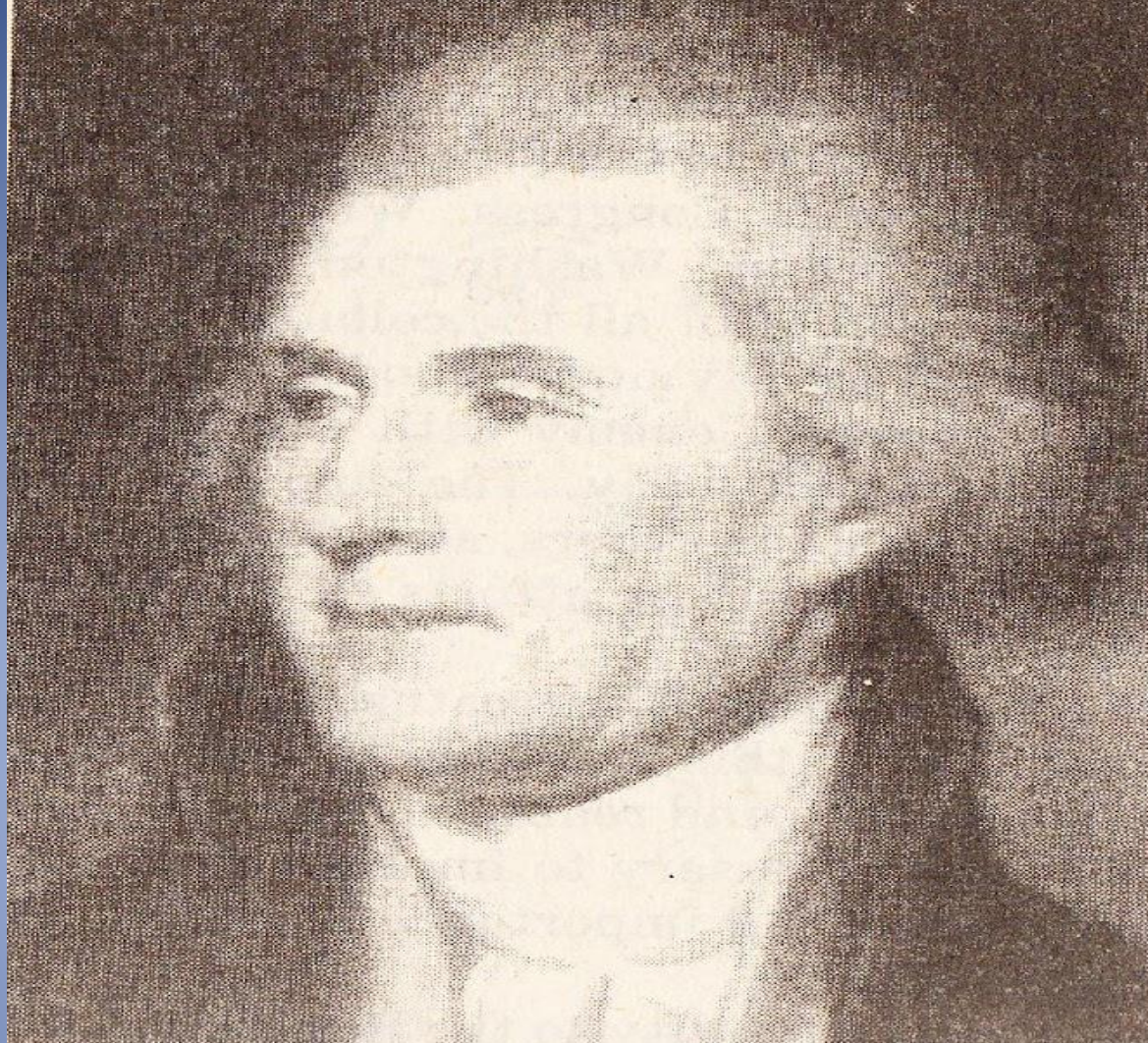


George
Washington

(1732-1799)



The White House



Thomas Jefferson

(1743-1826)

THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

The unanimous Declaration of the thirteen united States of America

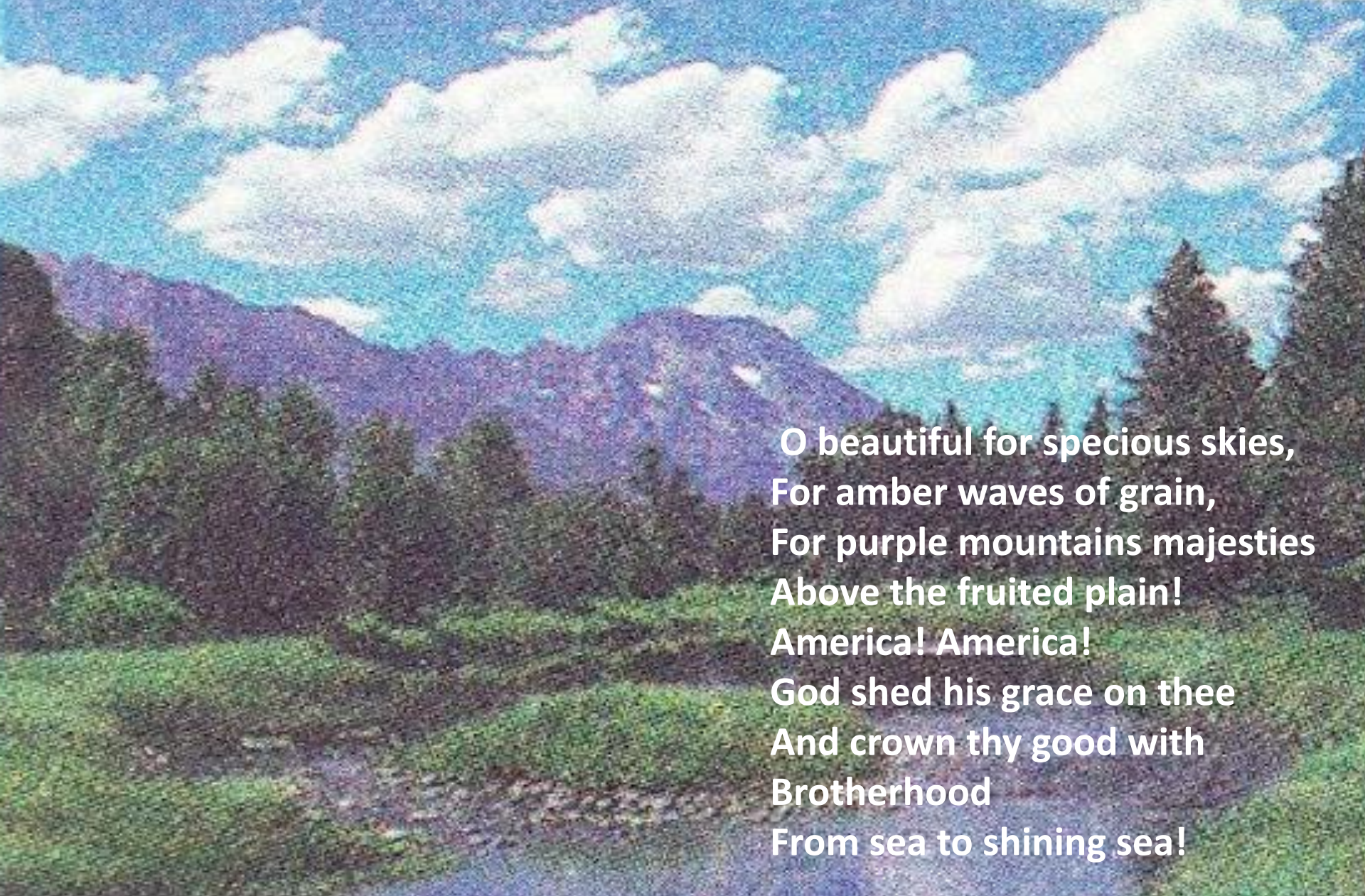
IN CONGRESS, JULY 4, 1776.

The unanimous Declaration of the thirteen united States of America,

When in the Course of human Events it becomes necessary for one People to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the Powers of the earth, the separate and equal Station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent Respect to the Opinions of Mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the Separation. We and our forefathers are born with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness. That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just Powers from the Consent of the Governed, — That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its Foundation on such Principles, and organizing its Powers in such Form, as to them shall seem most likely to promote their Safety and Happiness. Prudence in the long Course of human Affairs, has shewn that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient Causes, and according to the strict Sense of Justice, that a People should not be obliged to erect new Governments, merely upon the Complaint of some Grievances, when a long and established Form of Government has been found to be adapted to their Situation, and the History of the present United States of America, has shewn that they have long been united under a single Form of Government, which has by its wise and moderate Administration, endeavored to secure to them the Blessings of Liberty, Peace and Prosperity. But a long Train of abuses and Usurpations, which have drawn after them the most extensive and oppressive Consequences, have excited in the Minds of the most wise and virtuous Men of the United States, a just Sense of their Grievances, and a firm Determination to throw off the British Yoke, and to assume among the Powers of the earth, the separate and equal Station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them. In Support of this Declaration, we have a String of Reasons, which place upon the Record our just Claims to Independence, and our firm Determination to stand or fall on our own Merit. We therefore the Representatives of the United States of America, in General Congress assembled, do hereby declare that these United States are, and of Right ought to be, free and independent States, that they are absolved from all Allegiance to the British Crown, and that all political Connections with Great Britain, ought to be totally dissolved; and that as Free and Independent States, they have full Power to levy War, conclude Peace, contract Alliances, enter into Commercials, and to do all other Acts and Things which Independent States may of Right do. And for the Support of this Declaration, we have signed our Names, and the united Declaration of the Representatives of the thirteen united States of America, in Witness whereof, we have hereunto set our Hands and Seals, at the City of Philadelphia, the fourth Day of July, in the second Year of the Independence of the United States of America.

John Hancock
John Adams
Samuel Adams
John Jay
Benjamin Franklin
Thomas Jefferson
Richard Stockton
George Clinton
John Mifflin
Robert Morris
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America the Beautiful!

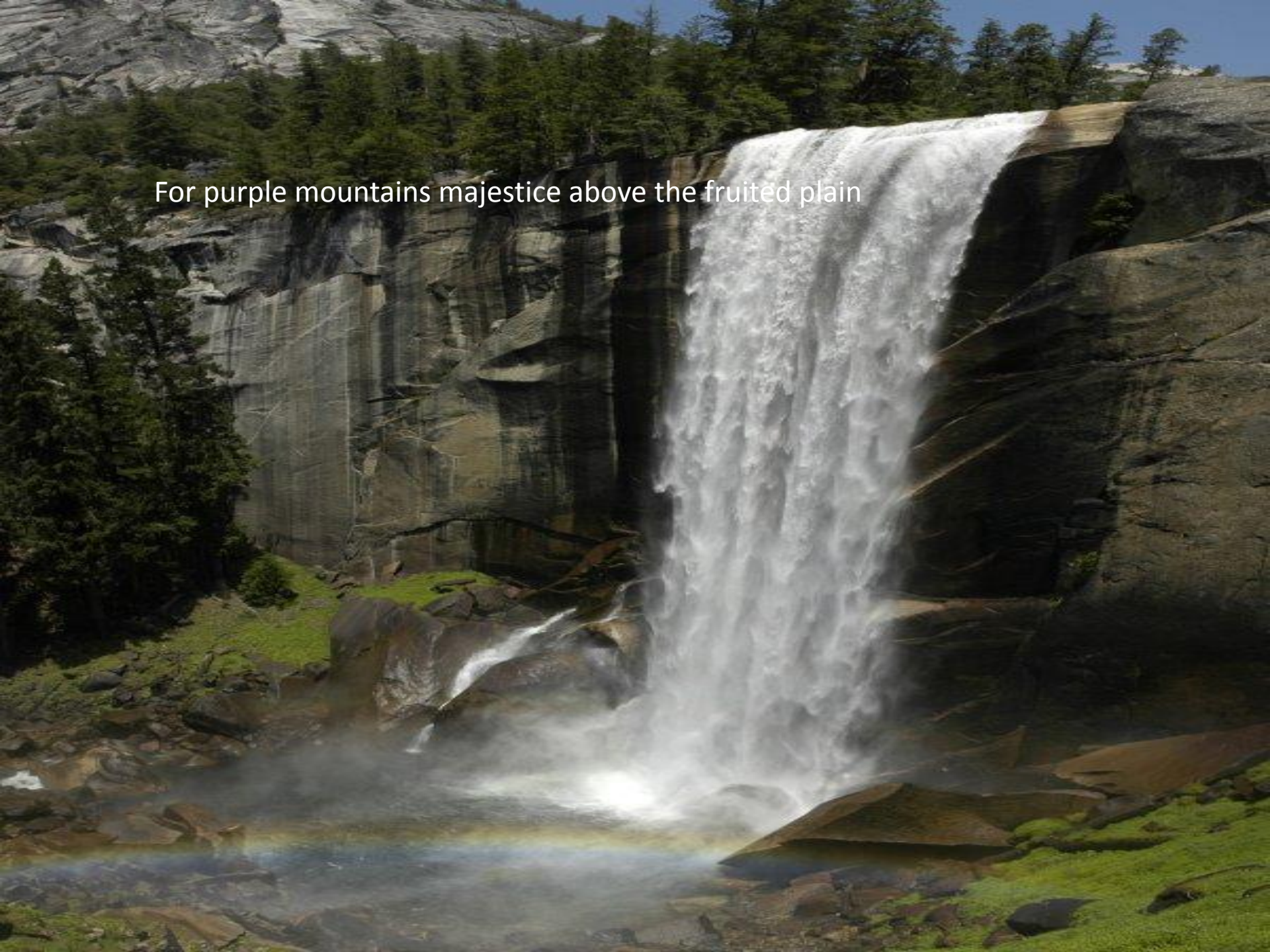


O beautiful for specious skies,
For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountains majesties
Above the fruited plain!
America! America!
God shed his grace on thee
And crown thy good with
Brotherhood
From sea to shining sea!

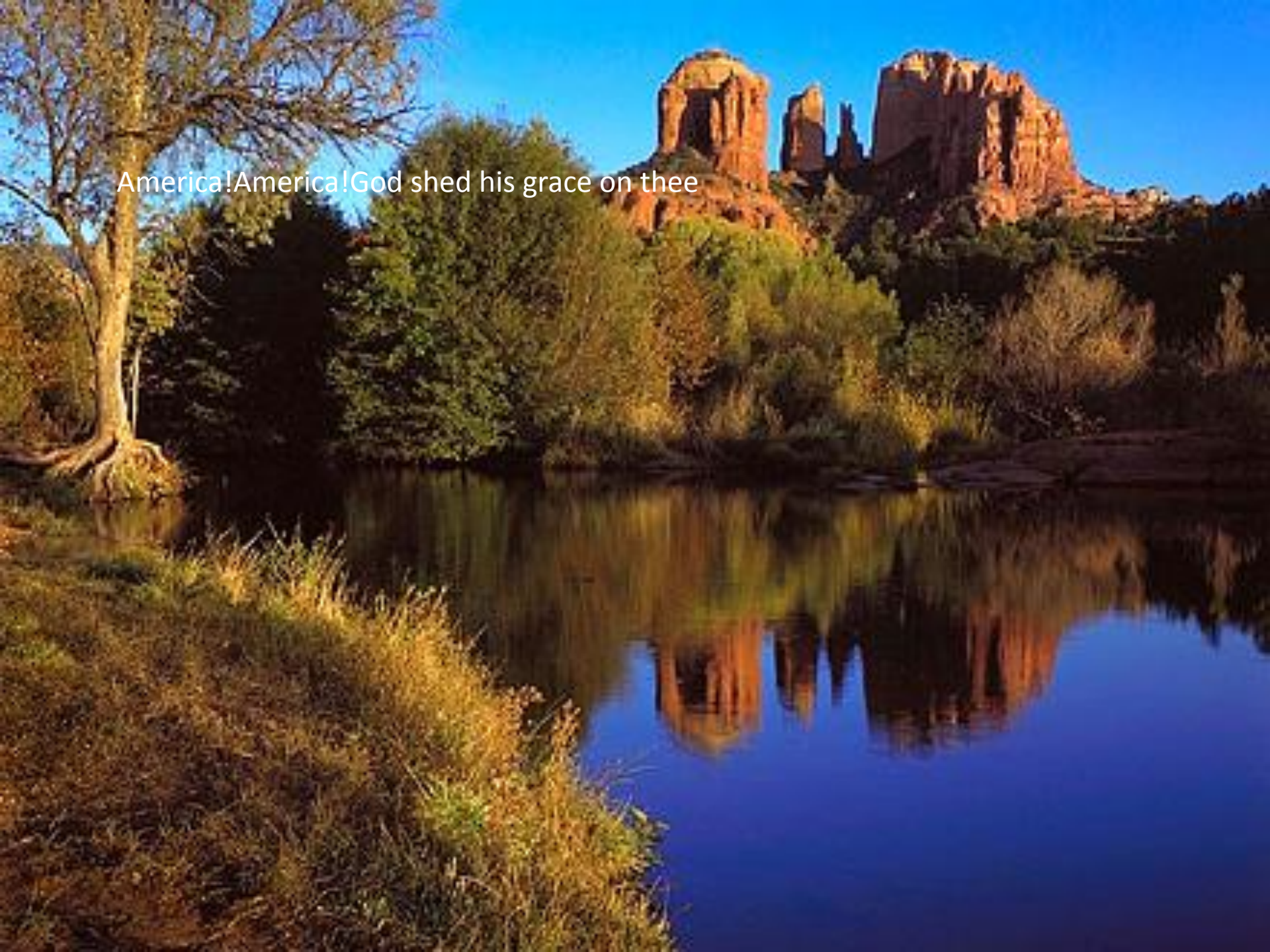
Oh, beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain



For purple mountains majestice above the fruited plain



America!America!God shed his grace on thee



And crown thy good with brotherhood



A scenic landscape photograph featuring a large, calm blue lake in the center. The lake is framed by dark green evergreen trees in the foreground and middle ground. In the background, a range of rugged mountains is visible under a clear blue sky. Some of the mountain peaks are covered in snow. The overall scene is bright and clear, suggesting a sunny day.

From sea to shining sea!

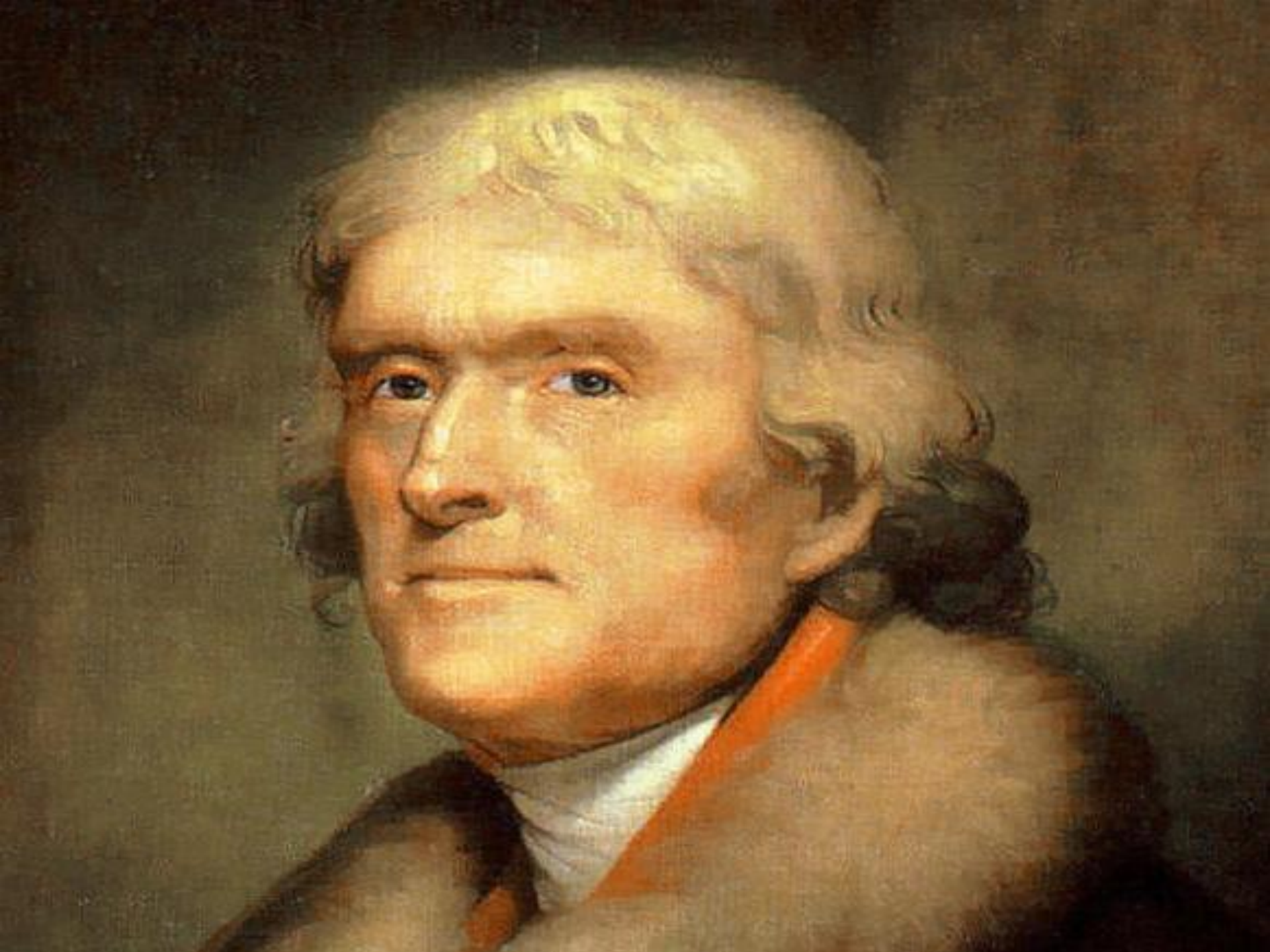








Abraham Lincoln

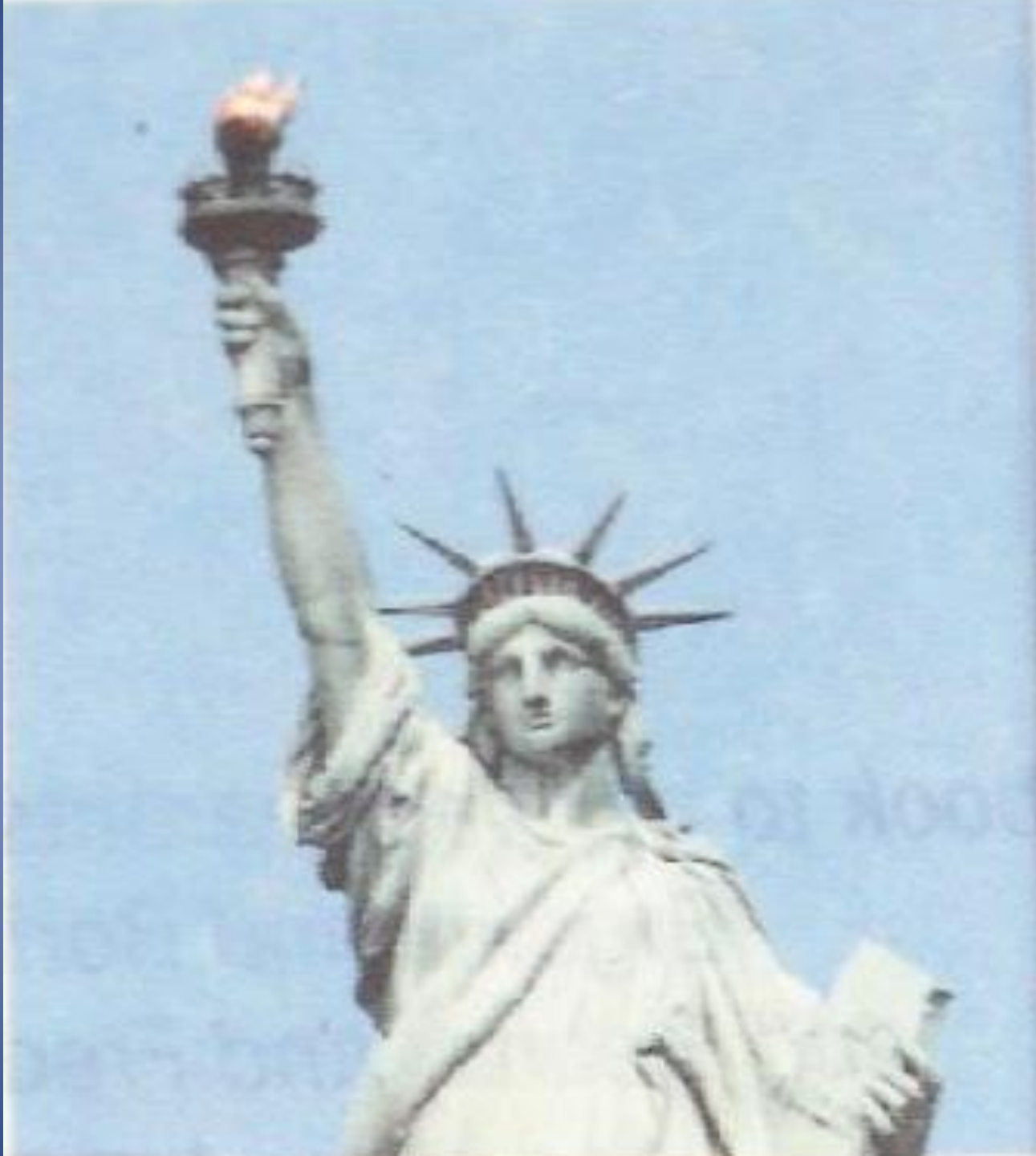








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The City That Never Sleeps

I. True or False?

- *New York is a 24-hour city.*
- *New York has four boroughs.*
- *“Mets” and “Yankees” are baseball teams.*
- *There are many attractions for tourists in New York.*

II. Answer the Questions.

- *Is New York known as “the city that never sleeps”?*
- *Over nine million people live in New York, don't they?*
- *What are the most famous landmarks in New York?*
- *Was the Empire State Building built in 1931 or in 1933?*
- *Where can you relax in New York?*
- *What is the heart of the city?*

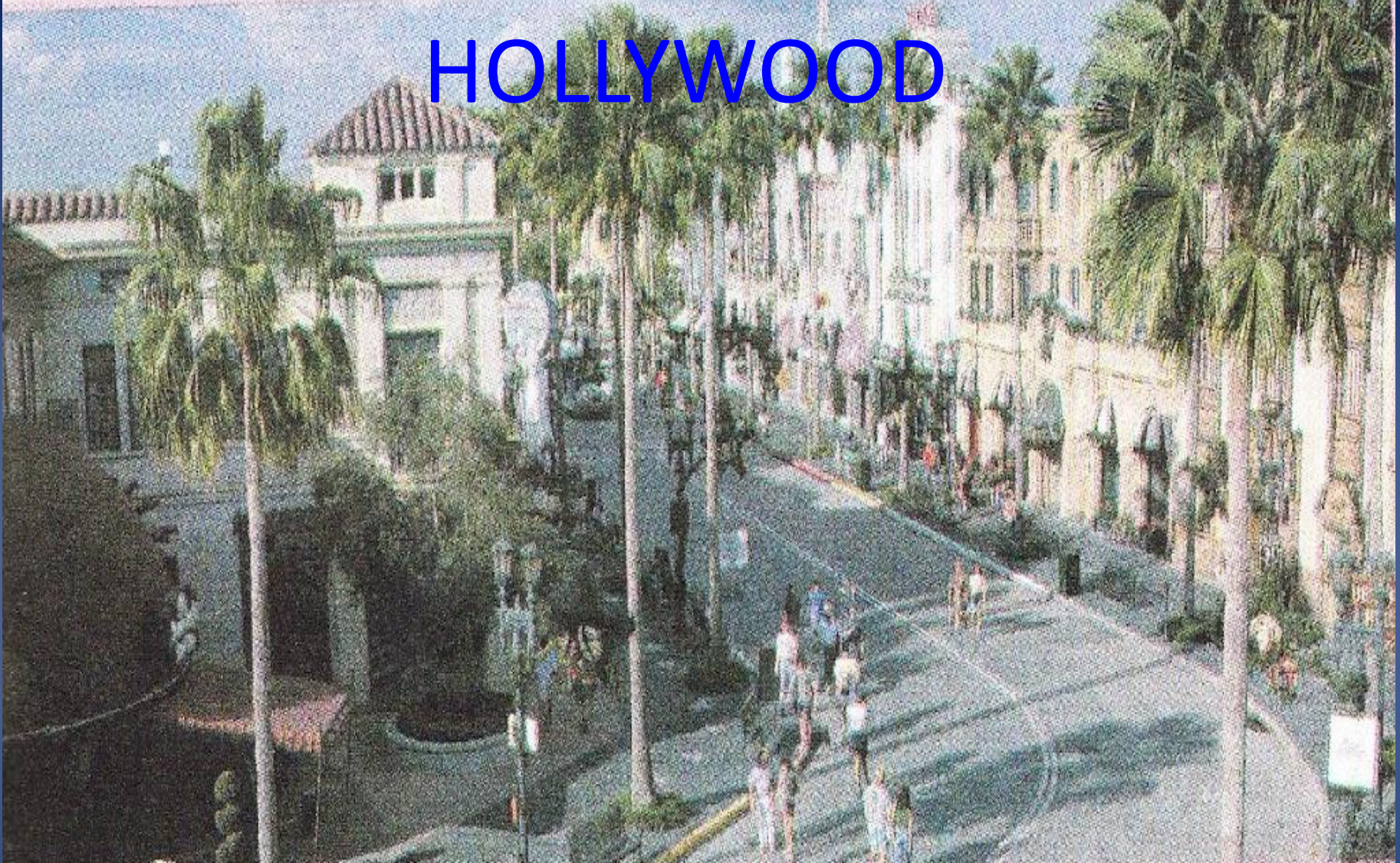
Give it a name:

- The tallest skyscraper in New York-
- The tallest Christmas Tree is in-
- The museum with a spiral construction-
- The home of American Presidents-
- Another name for New York-
- The document that declared America free-
- The symbol of America-
- The centre of film industry-

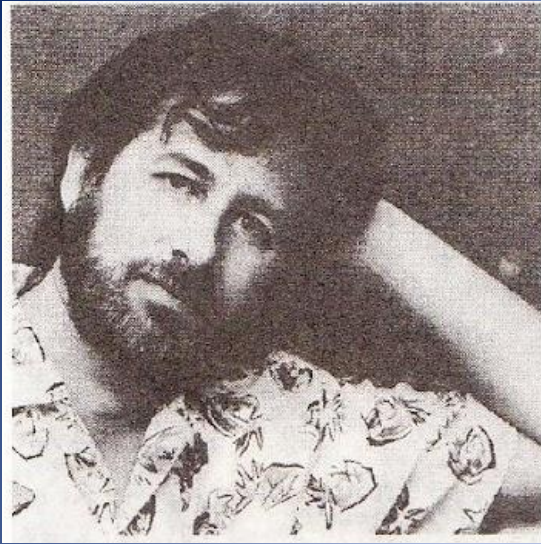


This is Los Angeles, also called L.A. It is the second largest American city.

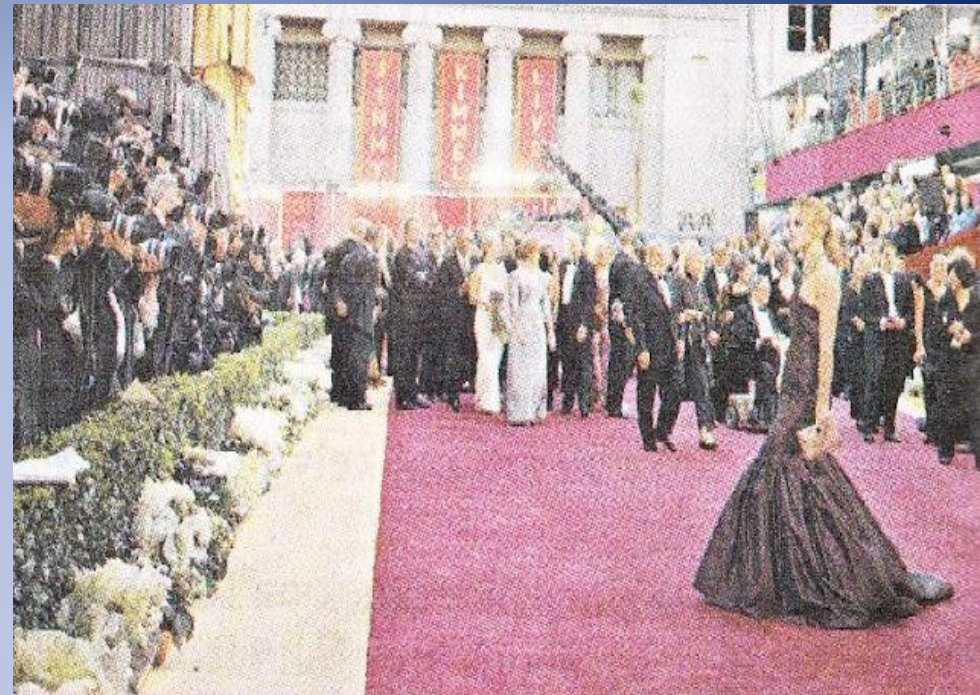
HOLLYWOOD



Los Angeles is famous for Hollywood, the capital of world movie production. The biggest film studios- Disney, Universal, Fox, Columbia are here.



Most celebrities' homes are in Beverly Hills.
Julia Roberts, Barbara Streisand, Stephen Spielberg and other stars can be met here.



Every year, usually in February, celebrities come for the most important event in show business: Oscar Night. The prestigious academy awards called “Oscars” are presented here.



The film “Titanic” shot by a star director James Cameron won 11 “Oscars”. It tells us a story about one of the most terrible shipwrecks in the world and one of the most touching love stories.

American Firsts

- He invented the telephone-
- He built the first car-
- They made the first air flight-
- He invented the electric bulb-
- He was the first to walk on the moon-
- He made the first jeans-
- The first skyscraper was built in-
- The first film studio appeared in-

GOOD BYE, AMERICA!

