

America, the Beautiful

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The musical score consists of four staves of music for Alto Solo, set in common time (indicated by a '4') and A-flat major (indicated by a 'F' with a flat symbol). The vocal line begins with a dotted half note followed by eighth notes. The lyrics are integrated into the musical notation, with each line of text corresponding to a staff. Measure numbers 1 through 13 are indicated on the left side of the staves.

Alto Solo Oh Beau - ti-ful for spa - cious skies for am - ber waves of grain, For
5 pur - ple moun-tain maj est-ies a - bove the fruit-ed plain! A - me - ric - a! A -
10 mer - i - ca! God Shed his Grace on Thee! And
13 crown thy good with broth - er-hood from sea to shi - ning sea!