

## The Brave, The Tried, The True

When you see the flag unfolding,  
Gently waving in the air;  
Look closely at the stars and stripes,  
And you will see them there.

In the red, you see the blood they shed,  
So our country could be free;  
Each life who gave is in the stripe,  
That speaks of liberty.

In the white you see the valor,  
Of those we won't forget;  
The pristine clearness of each stripe,  
Silent witness to each Vet.

And there behind the fifty stars,  
A solemn field of blue;  
A tribute to the tears we shed,  
For the brave, the tried, the true.

So, when you see the stars and stripes,  
The red, the white, the blue;  
Remember those it represents,  
The brave, the tried, the true.

--by Allison Chambers Coxsey

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## ALTAR BIBLE PRESENTATION AND DEDICATION

It is with reverence and gratitude that I approach our sacred altar,  
placing upon it our Holy Bible, the white light of the universe. All over  
the world Christian people are paying tribute to this precious book as  
their inspiration and guide.

In the North, South, East and West  
This book of Books is loved the best;  
And as we read it day by day

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