



Today's News

Independence Day

Another 4th of July is upon us once again. To celebrate our independence is a miracle. Do we just take it for granted? We not only gained our Independence after the Revolutionary War, but subsequent wars were fought by the "Home of the Brave", to keep our status as free people.

Many nations were immigrants to this country because they also wanted to partake of this liberty. They came from other lands to Ellis Island and thanked their God for this opportunity. Our forefathers gave us this blessing; we did not lift a finger for this Divine heritage. However, blood was shed on our behalf to enjoy this freedom!

By the same token, Christ bought freedom for us by shedding his blood that we might be freed from the shackles of the Evil One. "America, America, God shed His Grace on thee, and crowned thy good with brotherhood, from sea to shining sea." Yes and our alabaster cities gleam, undimmed by human tears." And I might add, undimmed by human lives!

This Independence Day, and all other days to come, let us humbly thank our God for giving us the privilege to be in a free land, and pray that God will grant us to continue to experience it!