

Is America worth saving? The Unmistakable Influence of God

Ben Franklin famously said

“Indeed we must all hang together. Otherwise, we shall most assuredly hang separately.”

John Adams said,

“I believe the hour has come. My judgment approves this measure, and my whole heart is in it. All that I have, and all that I am, and all that I hope in this life, I am now ready here to stake upon it. And I leave off as I began, that live or die, survive or perish, I am for the declaration. It is my living sentiment, and by the blessing of God, it shall be my dying sentiment, independence, now, and independence forever.”

John Adams said,

“I am well aware of the toil and blood and treasure that it will cost us to maintain this declaration, and support and defend these states. Yet through all the gloom I can see rays of ravishing light and glory. I can see that the end is worth more than all the means.”

Samuel Adams said the following during the signing of the Declaration

: “we have this day restored the Sovereign, to whom alone men ought to be obedient. He reigns in heaven and... From the rising to the setting sun, make his kingdom come.”

“For my country, I eyed the Lord in the obtaining of it, and more was I drawn inward to look to Him, and to owe it to his hand and power, than any other way. I have so obtained, and desired that I may not be unworthy of his love, but to do that which may answer his kind providence, and serve his truth and people; that an example may be set forth to the nations; there may be room there, they're not here, for such a holy experiment.” -William Penn

“We have been the recipients of the choicest bounties of heaven; we have been preserved these many years in peace and prosperity; we have grown in numbers, wealth, and power, as no nation has ever grown. But we have forgotten God. We have forgotten the gracious hand which preserved us in peace, and multiplied and enriched, and strengthen us, and we have vainly imagine, in the deceitfulness of our own hearts, that all these blessings were produced by some superior wisdom and virtue of our own... It behooves us, then to humble ourselves before the offended power, to confess our national sins, and to pray for clemency and forgiveness.”- Abe Lincoln.

“ I felt the presence of God on the bus and heard his quiet voice as I sat there, waiting for the police to take me to the station. The voice of God told me that he was at my side.” -Rosa Parks

Our country is the model for every other developing country in the world for achieving justice and equality for its citizens. Our constitution has lasted longer than any other constitution in modern history. We cannot take these blessings for granted. We must share these gifts from God. Whether we are 13 or 83 we must show the world that we are able to correct our mistakes, including homelessness, poor race, relations, and violence, and move forward to a better society. I know that we can. this nation has always overcome the obstacles it has faced.
-Rosa Parks

“Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction. We didn't pass it on to our children in the bloodstream. It must be fought for, protected, and handed on for them to do the same.” -Ronald Regan