

Oh Beautiful! In Pictures

The American classic “*Oh Beautiful!*” was originally penned by Katharine Lee Bates atop Pike’s Peak in Colorado in 1893. It was set to music by composer Samuel Ward. The song celebrates America’s many beautiful landscapes. Some have suggested it should replace the current National Anthem. In the spaces provided below, draw American landscape scenes that correspond to the words.

Oh Beautiful, for spacious skies	For Amber Waves of Grain	For Purple Mountains Majesty
Above the fruited plain!	America! America!	God Shed His Grace on thee
And Crown thy good	With Brotherhood	From Sea to Shining Sea!