

## *Proud to Be an American*

If tomorrow all the things were gone  
I'd worked for all my life  
And I had to start again  
with just my children and my wife  
I'd thank my lucky stars  
to be living here today  
Cause the flag still stands for freedom  
and they can't take that away

*And I'm proud to be an American  
where at least I know I'm free  
And I won't forget the men who died  
and gave that right to me  
And I'd gladly stand up next to you  
and defend her still today  
Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land  
God bless the U.S.A.*

From the lakes of Minnesota  
to the hills of Tennessee  
Across the plains of Texas  
from sea to shining sea  
From Detroit down to Houston  
and New York to L.A.  
Where there's pride in every American heart  
and it's time we stand and say

*That I'm proud to be an American  
where at least I know I'm free  
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*Repeat Chorus*