



## *Prayer for America*

*“O Thou kind Lord!  
This gathering is turning to Thee.  
These hearts are radiant  
with Thy love.  
These minds and spirits are  
exhilarated by the message of  
Thy glad tidings.  
O God! Let this American  
democracy become glorious in  
spiritual degrees*

*even as it has aspired to material degrees, and render this just government victorious.*

*Confirm this revered nation to upraise the standard of the oneness  
of  
humanity, to promulgate the Most Great Peace,  
to become thereby most glorious and praiseworthy among all the nations of the world.*

*O God!*

*This American nation is worthy of Thy favors and is deserving of Thy mercy.*

*Make it precious and near to Thee through Thy bounty and bestowal.”*

*- Abdu'l-Baha*