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# Introduction:

David was thankful for the blessings  
God was pouring out on Israel and  
prayed that it would continue.

We also have much to be thankful for!

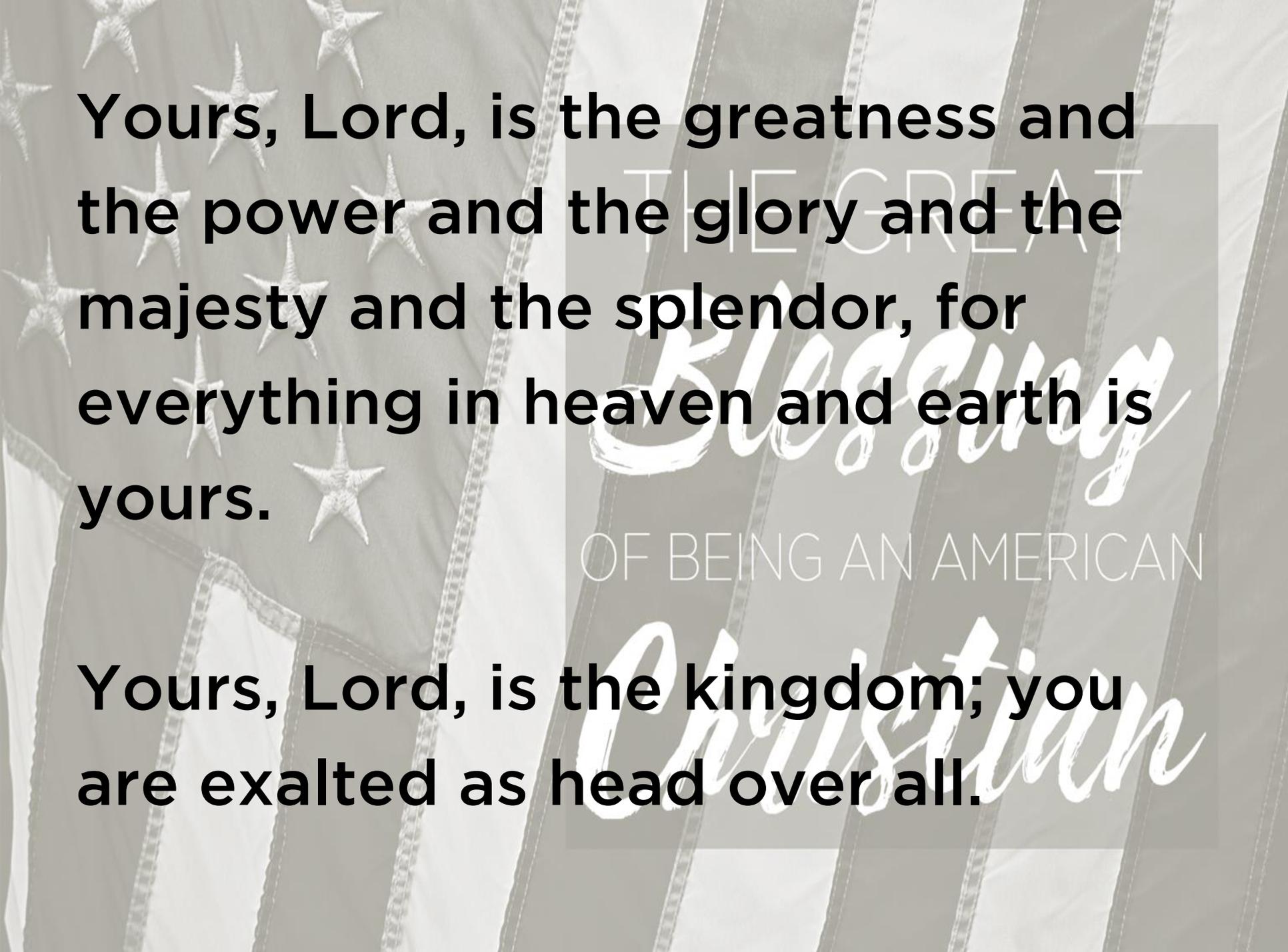
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**Text:** I Chronicles 29:10-18 (NIV)

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**David praised the Lord in the presence of the whole assembly, saying, "Praise be to you, Lord, the God of our father Israel, from everlasting to everlasting.**

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**Yours, Lord, is the greatness and  
the power and the glory and the  
majesty and the splendor, for  
everything in heaven and earth is  
yours.**

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**Yours, Lord, is the kingdom; you  
are exalted as head over all.**

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**Wealth and honor come from you;  
you are the ruler of all things.**

**In your hands are strength and  
power to exalt and give strength  
to all.**

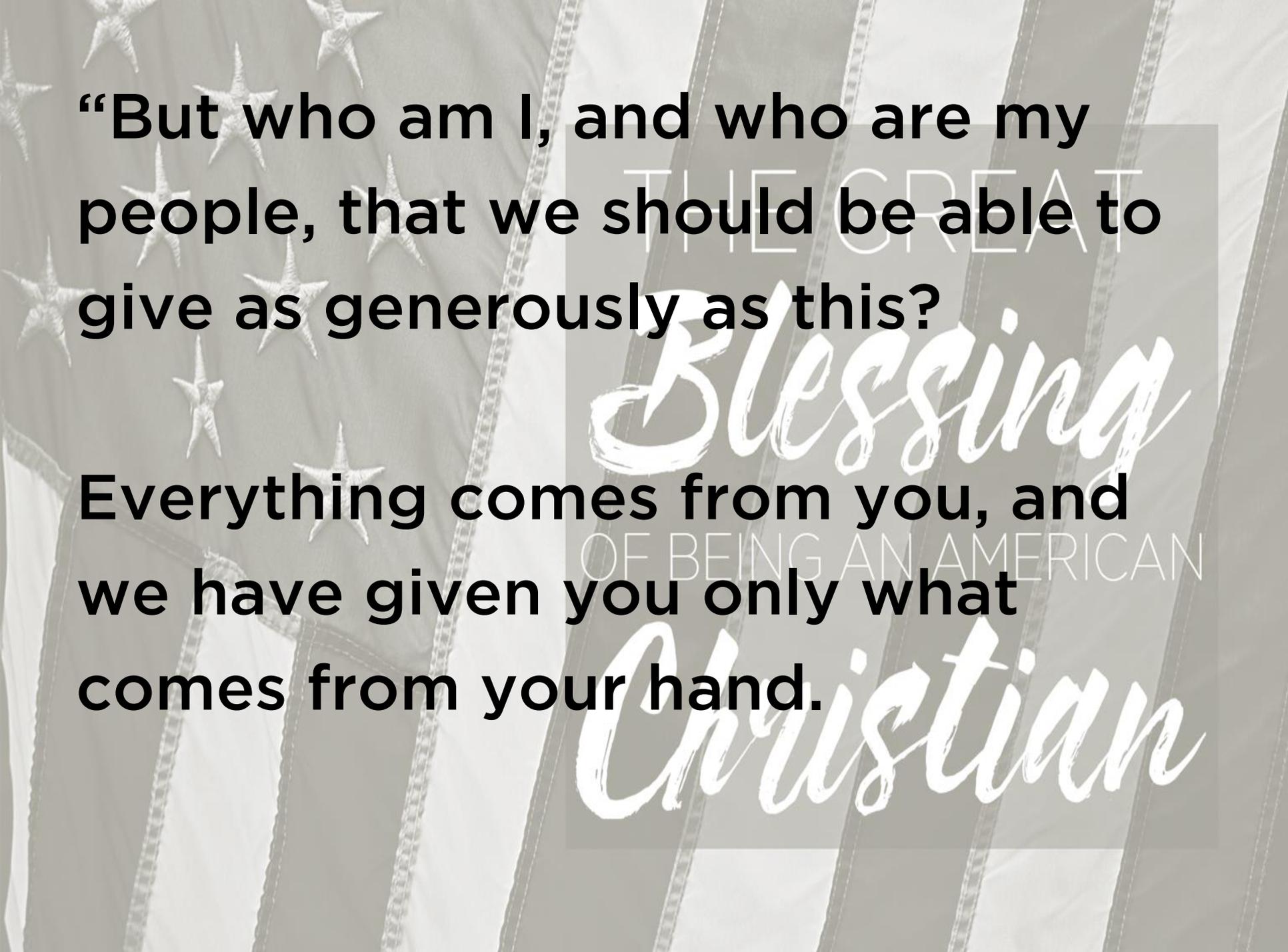
**Now, our God, we give you thanks,  
and praise your glorious name.**

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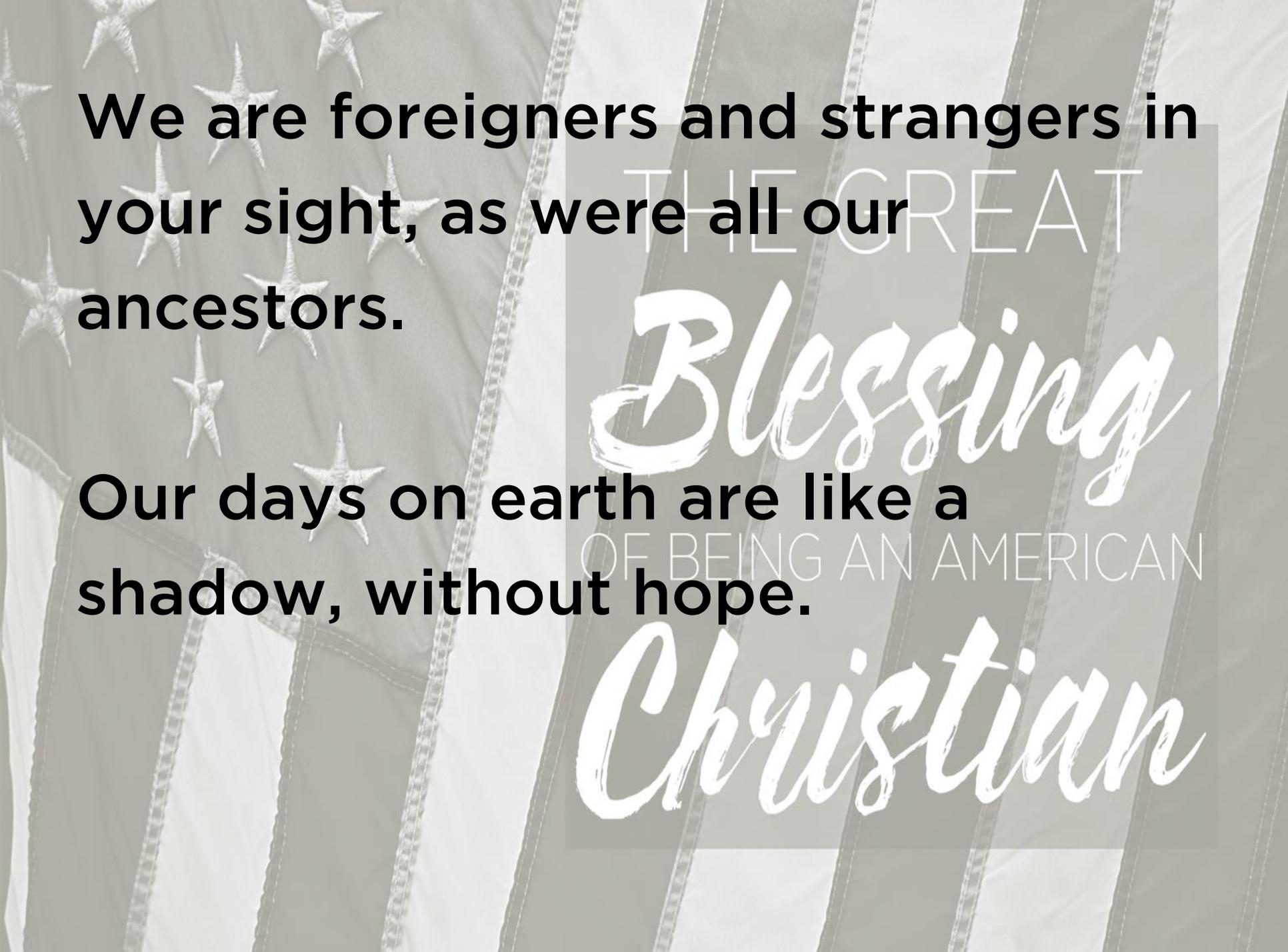
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**“But who am I, and who are my people, that we should be able to give as generously as this?”**

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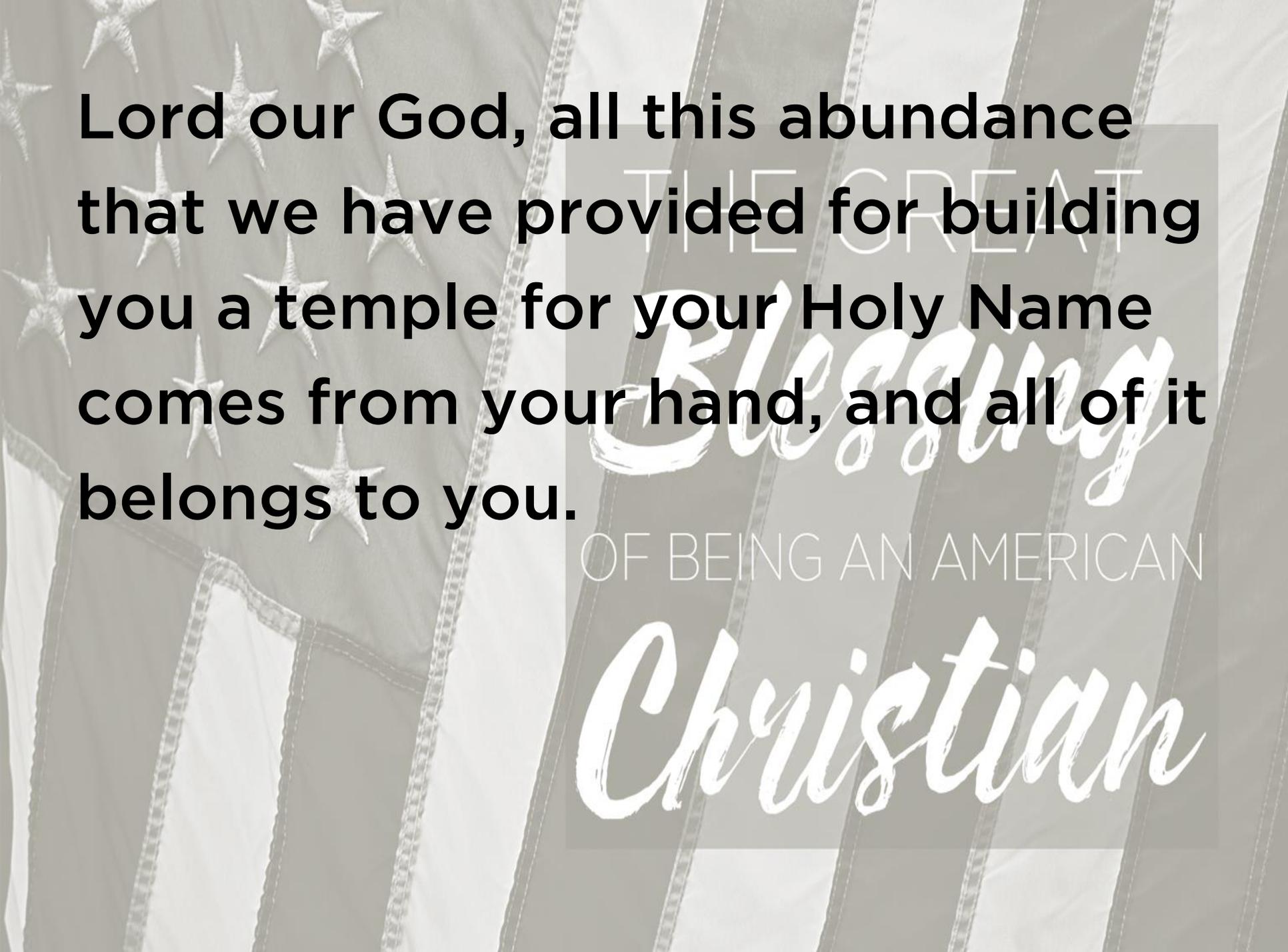
**Everything comes from you, and we have given you only what comes from your hand.**

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**We are foreigners and strangers in  
your sight, as were all our  
ancestors.**

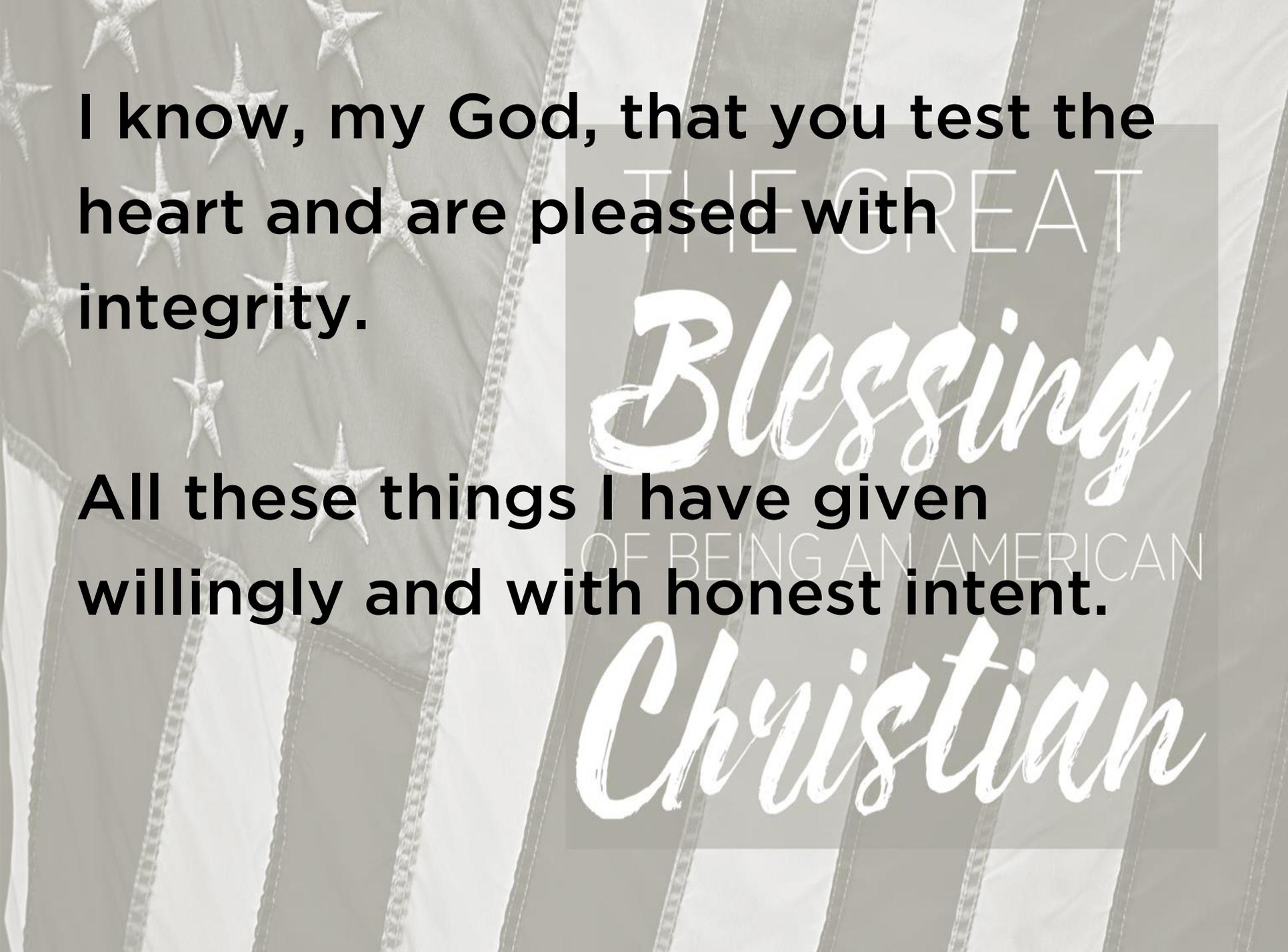
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**Our days on earth are like a  
shadow, without hope.**

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**Lord our God, all this abundance  
that we have provided for building  
you a temple for your Holy Name  
comes from your hand, and all of it  
belongs to you.**

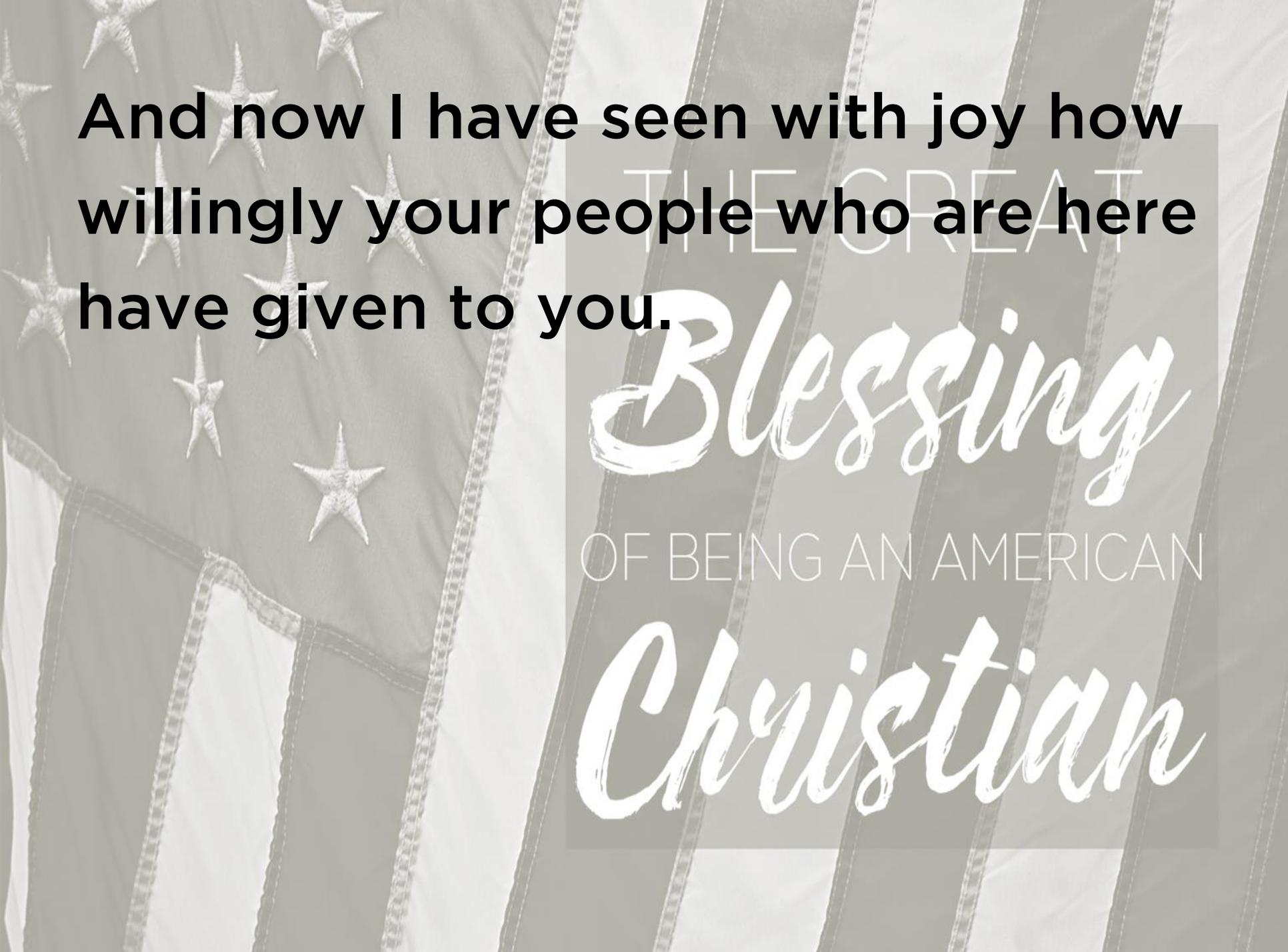
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**I know, my God, that you test the heart and are pleased with integrity.**

**All these things I have given willingly and with honest intent.**

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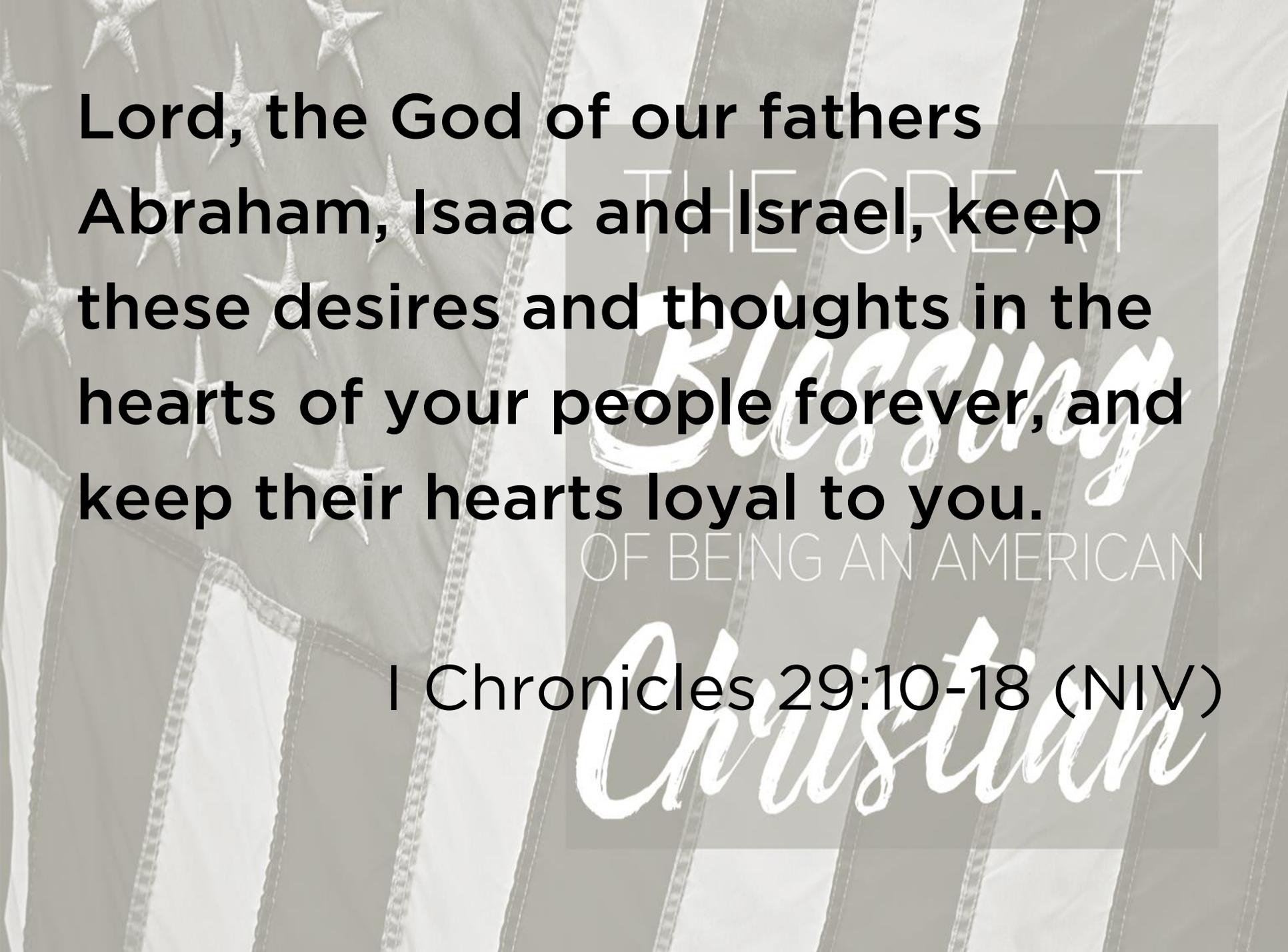
And now I have seen with joy how  
willingly your people who are here  
have given to you.

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**Lord, the God of our fathers  
Abraham, Isaac and Israel, keep  
these desires and thoughts in the  
hearts of your people forever, and  
keep their hearts loyal to you.**

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**1 Chronicles 29:10-18 (NIV)**

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I'm a **PATRIOT.**

I'm **PROUD** to be an American.

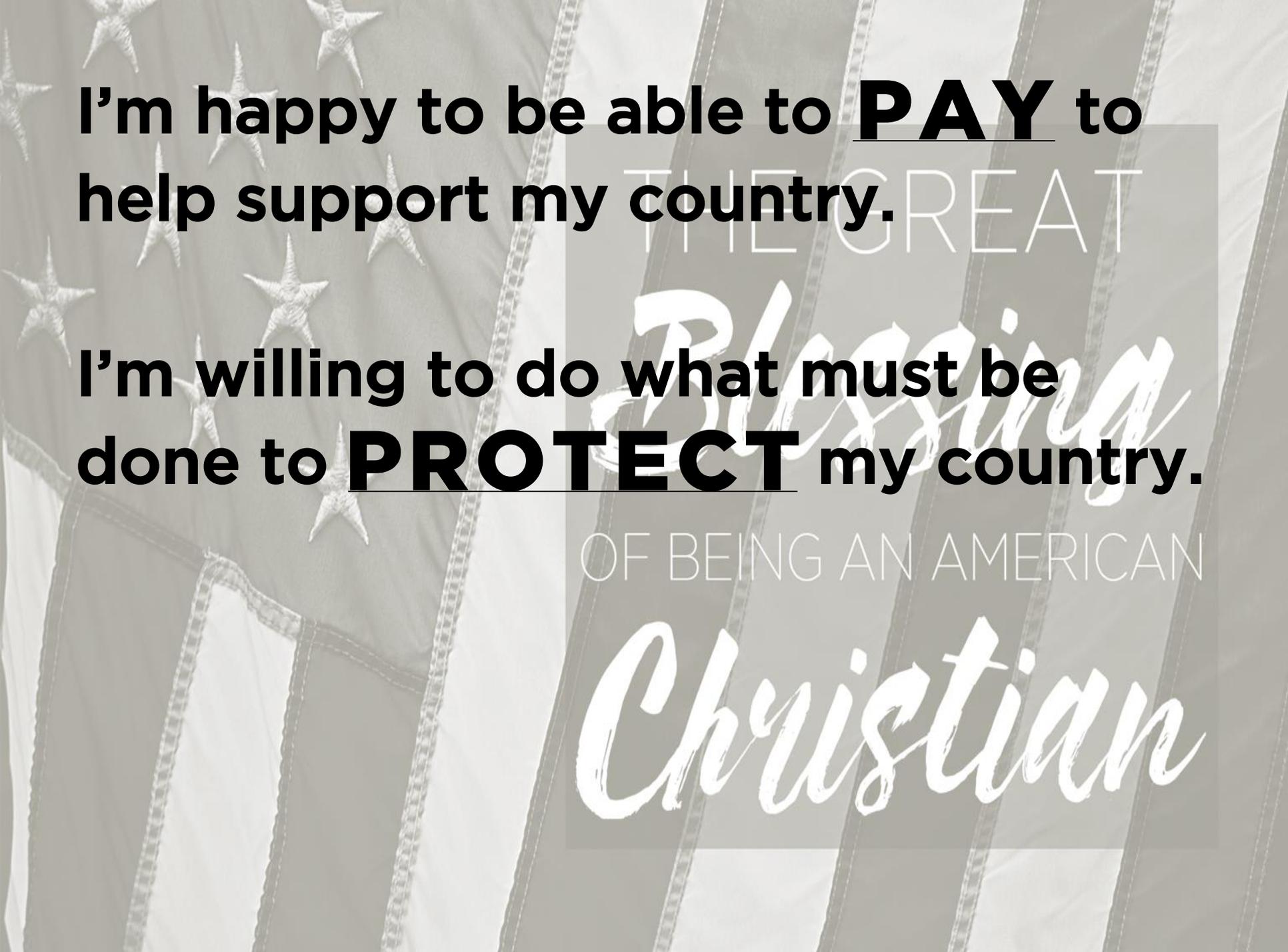
I **PRAY** for my country on a  
regular basis.

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I'm happy to be able to **PAY** to help support my country.

I'm willing to do what must be done to **PROTECT** my country.

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I'm also a **CHRISTIAN.**

I'm **PROUD** to be a Christian.

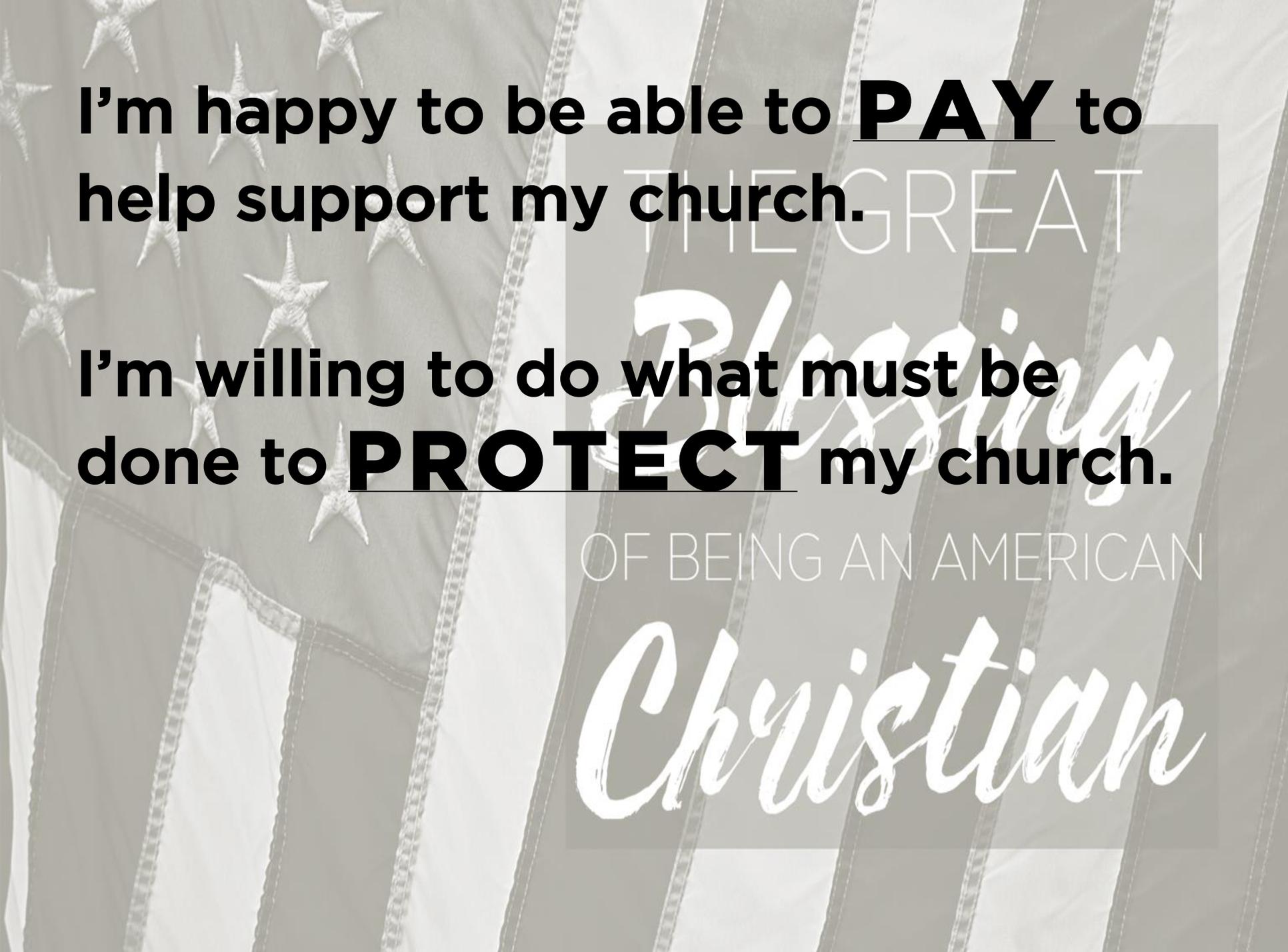
I **PRAY** for my church on a  
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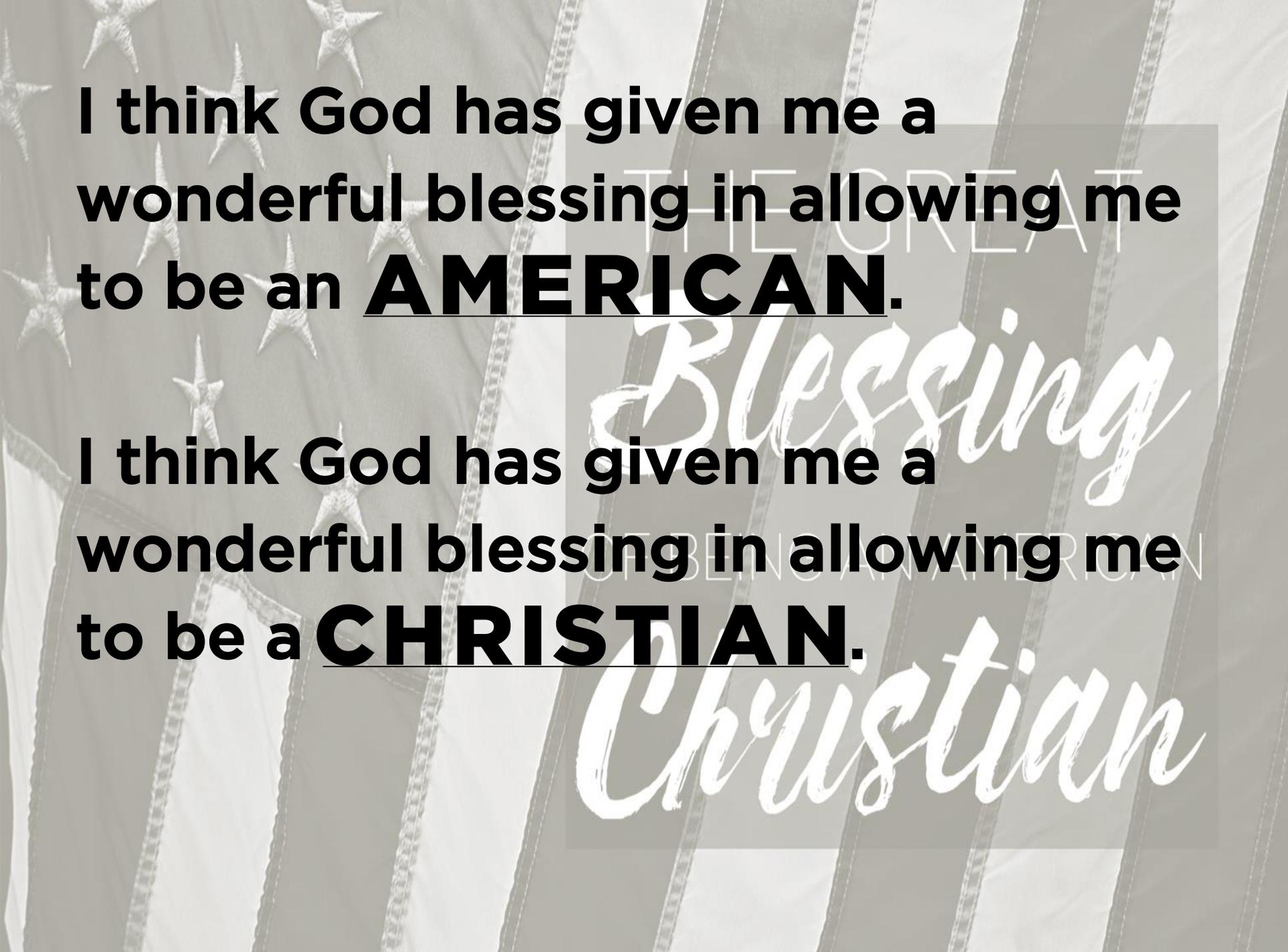
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I'm happy to be able to **PAY** to help support my church.

I'm willing to do what must be done to **PROTECT** my church.

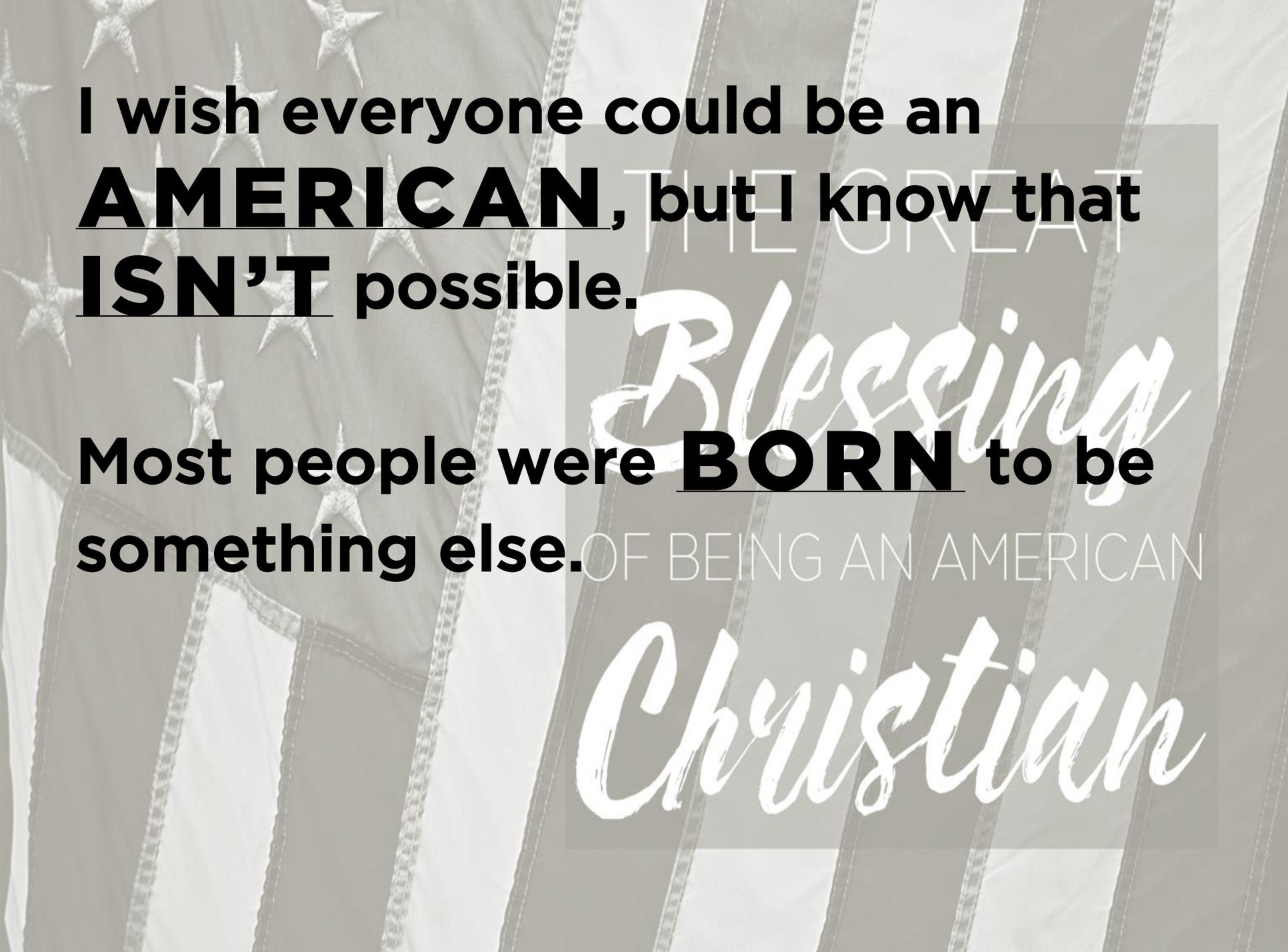
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I think God has given me a  
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to be an **AMERICAN.**

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I think God has given me a  
wonderful blessing in allowing me  
to be a **CHRISTIAN.**

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I wish everyone could be an  
**AMERICAN**, but I know that  
**ISN'T** possible.

Most people were **BORN** to be  
something else.

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I wish everyone could be a

**CHRISTIAN**, and that **IS**

possible.

No one is **BORN** a

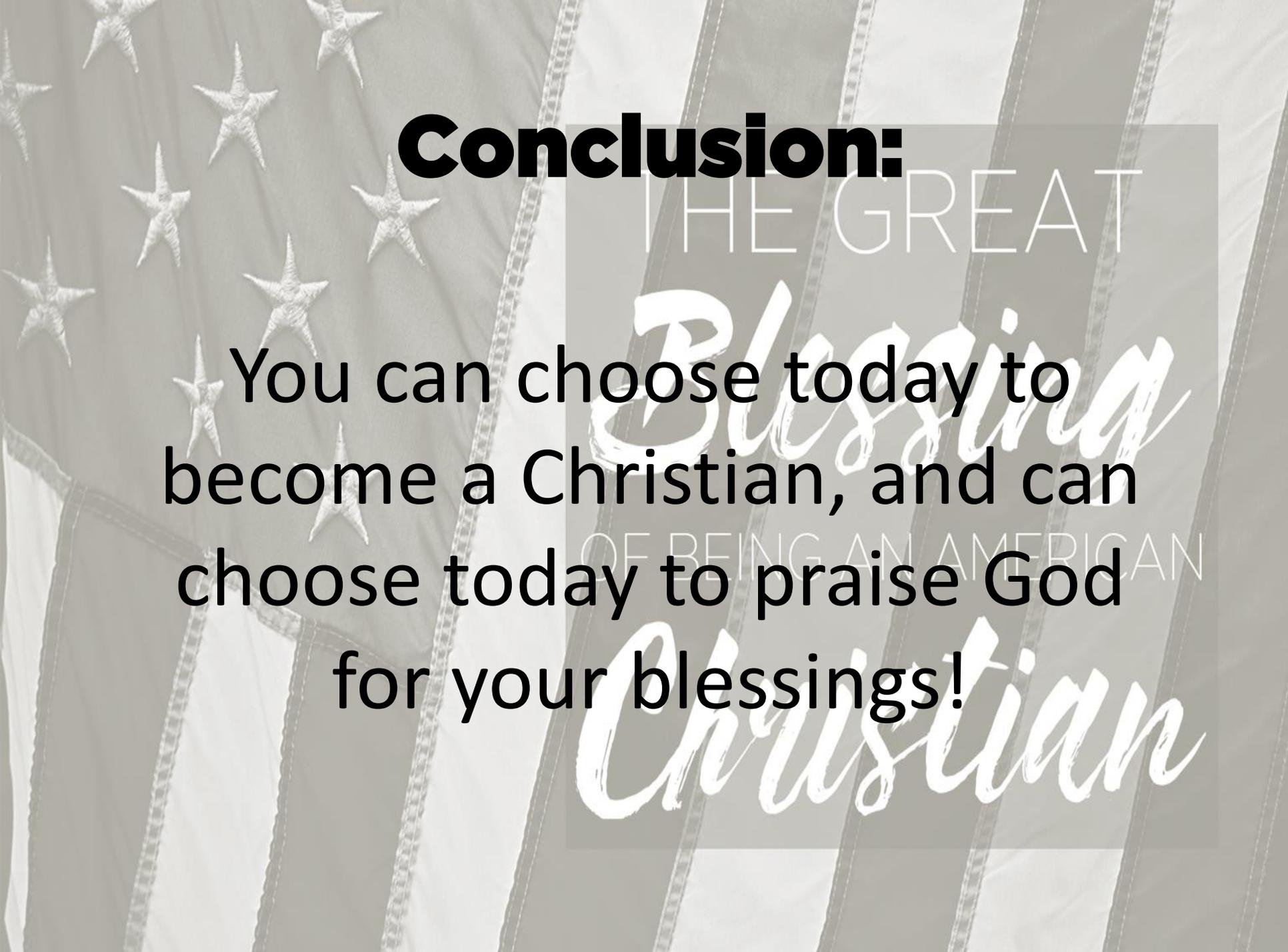
**CHRISTIAN**, but anyone can

be **BORN AGAIN** and

**BECOME** a Christian.

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# **Conclusion:**

You can choose today to become a Christian, and can choose today to praise God for your blessings!

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