Power and the Glory

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Verse 1:

[A] Come and take a walk with me thru this green and growing land Walk thru the meadows and the [E7] mountains and the sand Walk thru the valleys and the rivers and the plains
[D] Walk thru the sun and [E7] walk thru the rain

Chorus:

[F#m] Here is a land full of [E7] power and glory [F#m] Beauty that words cannot re-[E7]-call Oh her [A] power shall rest on the [C#m] strength of her freedom Her [D] glory shall rest on us [E7] all (on us [A] all)

Verse 2:

From [A] Colorado, Kansas, and the Carolinas too Virginia and Alaska, from the [E7] old to the new Texas and Ohio and the California shore [D] Tell me, who could ask for [E7] more?

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Verse 3:

Yet she's [A] only as rich as the poorest of her poor Only as free as the [E7] padlocked prison door Only as strong as our love for this land [D] Only as tall as we [E7] stand

Chorus:

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Verse 4:

But our [A] land is still troubled by those who have to hate They twist away our freedom & they [E7] twist away our fate Fear is their weapon and treason is their cry [D] We can stop them if we [E7] try

Chorus:

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