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Why America is Great

America is great because the people inside fight for their freedom and eventually things get better for everyone. Americans are doers and we fight for our rights.

All the way back to the beginning, Americans have been fighting to gain their rights. Back 243 years ago, colonists were fed up with being second class citizens compared to people in the mother country. They were being taxed significantly greater than the homeland for a war they didn't start. Eventually, getting frustrated with being treated this way, they sent in an ultimatum. Either they could be treated fairly, or they'd have to split from England. The former clearly was not agreed to and so they started a country that would eventually become the basis for most other successful countries using a form of government that wasn't super widespread at the time however not at first. The colonies were forced to team up during the war to fend off the British, so they originally decided that while they'd team up they would have an extremely decentralized main government to not put too much power in few people. After around 10 years it had become clear that that governmental structure was unsound, and they found that they would have to work together even more. This is how we eventually created the federal government we have today, granted in a weaker form than we have currently have. The colonists recognized that their treatment was unfair and did whatever it took to right it in their eyes. However, when their first attempt didn't work out they still got back together and redid everything to make it right.

This has happened all throughout America's history, for example the civil rights movement was a point at which Americans of color became fed up with their treatment at the hands of white Americans and began to revolt against unjust laws and social issues; which eventually led to more fair treatment of people of color in this country. It took a lot of fighting in the streets and people put in jail, however eventually it led to a better world. This is what Americans have been doing over the last more than 200 years that has led to a better place for all of us to live in.

Eventually LGBT people as well would be able to fight for their rights in the mainstream. Starting off extremely discriminated against and legislated out of much public existence, eventually coming to a point where the difficulties of said people can be talked about publicly, however there are still many issues that need to be addressed when it comes to LGBT rights.

Americans have fought for their freedom since the beginning. whenever injustices have arisen, eventually we do our best to undo them. When our back is against the wall we fight back instead of giving up.