

# Let America Be a Leader

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Let America be a leader again

Let it be the Statue of Liberty holding a beacon of hope within her grasp

Let it be the GPS that reroutes the world onto a revolutionary road

Seeking a peaceful path for generations to come

(America used to be a leader)

Let America be the dream the dreamers dreamed

Let it be that monumental mountain looming high above the mingling marsh

Where wolves roam free foraging through the evergreens

(It was never a free plain for all)

O, let my land be land where wind turbines whirl and highways hum

Is crowned with serene cities, energetic economies, and freedoms flourishing

(There's never been eye-catching infrastructure all across America )

I am the fast approaching future of America

I am the beauty shining through the surface of America's rough edges

I am the cornerstone of America's new foundation

And finding a productive place for America in this wonderfully weaved web of a world