

# The Star Spangled Banner

O say can you see  
by the dawn's early light,  
What so proudly we hailed  
at the twilight's last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars  
through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched,  
were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rockets' red glare,  
the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night  
that our flag was still there;  
O say does that  
star-spangled banner  
yet wave,  
O'er the land of the free  
and the home of the brave?

~Francis Scott Key