

John 15:13

Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.

As we observe Memorial Day this year let us amid the picnics, the barbeques, and enjoyment of having the day off from our jobs remember the many , many men and women that have given their very lives for our country, ensuring that our freedoms remain intact. Our freedom has come with a cost.....and may we always honor and remember those that willingly laid and are laying down their lives while we enjoy the abundant blessings of living in the United States.

Taps

"Fading light dims the sight,
And a star gems the sky, gleaming bright.
From afar drawing nigh -- Falls the night.

"Day is done, gone the sun,
From the lake, from the hills, from the sky.
All is well, safely rest, God is nigh.

"Then good night, peaceful night,
Till the light of the dawn shineth bright,
God is near, do not fear -- Friend, good night."

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