

## Thoughts About America

Lamiya      My country is...

- ...always full of peace and freedom.
- ...having happy and good days.
- ...going to schools.
- ...flying a kite.
- ...going to the pool and the beach in summer.
- ...having a pool party!
- ...a safe place to live.
- ...going to the library!
- ...a place with freedom.
- ...there are good places to play.
- ...staying in my house safe and warm.

Audrey      My country is...

- ...where you can be free.
- ...where people look different but they will be treated the same.
- ...a place where you can go to school.
- ...where you can be anything you want to be.
- ...where you can go anywhere you want.
- ...where you can work and take breaks.
- ...a place where you can play.

Ryan            My country is...

- ...a place where I promise loyalty to the flag.
- ...a safe place for me.
- ...where I swim in pools.
- ...going to ice skate.
- ...where you can trick-or-treat.
- ...where I can buy toys.
- ...where you can make things.
- ...where you can be anything you want.
- ...where you can live anywhere.

Daniel           My country is...

- ...made of freedom.
- ...standing next to the Statue of Liberty.
- ...made up of 50 states.
- ...full of holidays like Memorial Day and Hanukka.
- ...family and friends eating and playing.
- ...full of people who share.
- ...lovable people that say nice things and don't act bad.
- ...famous people that have died.
- ...animals and people.
- ...being outdoors.
- ...houses and barns.
- ...hats and gloves.

Lori              My country is...

- ...where people care about each other.
- ...going on vacation with my family.
- ...all about happiness.
- ...all about learning.
- ...about being kind to people.
- ...showing love for children.
- ...a place to have fun.
- ...a safe place to live.
- ...a place to have friends.
- ...a place to be happy.