



VOICES OF THE NATION, LANGUAGE OF HOPE

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I.

Across the hills and through the morning air,
A rising voice dispels the cold despair.
Our words are not just sounds upon the breeze—
They give us strength to break our chains with ease.

II.

From distant shores to mountain peaks so grand,
A single anthem echoes through the land.
We call for justice, honest, clear, and bright,
To lead our nation back into the light.

III.

Our native tongue becomes a sturdy bridge,
Connecting every island, valley, ridge—
When truth and fairness guide the path we tread,
No soul is left behind or filled with dread.

IV.

So let us speak with courage, firm, and proud,

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And lift our collective voices clear and loud.

Through justice, hope, and hand joined end to end,

Our nation's grandest future shall ascend.



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