

Eternal God, Father of our spirits: We rejoice in all who
 have faithfully lived and triumphantly died. We give
 you thanks for all blessed memories and all endur-
 ing hopes; for the ties that bind us to the unseen
 world; for all the heroic dead who encompass us like
 a cloud of witnesses. We pray that those of us who
 have entered into the heritage of their heroism and
 self-sacrifice may so honor their memory and
 so preserve and further their high purposes that
 the nation which they defended may stand in all
 coming years for righteousness and peace.

We thank you today for all those who laid
 down their lives in the service of this great nation in
 a holy purpose to defend the freedom and
 brother and sisterhood for which they lived

And died. Grant ^{that} me ask you, that the liberty
they requested to us may be ~~continued~~
continued to our children, and grandkils —

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