

July 4, 1776, was a day that we won't forget. It is the day we got our freedom and signed the Declaration of Independence to be a free country. America inspires me because of all the people that have served their time and their determination to protect us and get us all of the different freedoms.

### **America's Brave People**

America has many people that offer to be part of the military. We have five different branches of military: Army, Navy, Airforce, National coast guard, and Marines. My Grandpa was part of the Navy; he served for four years and worked on submarines. Like my grandpa, there were many soldiers that put their life for us before their own. During the wars, many families lost their loved ones. In addition, there were 12 major wars that had been fought over different things, but each one helped us to get where we are today. In conclusion, we need to appreciate our soldiers that fought for our country and did so many things for us. So then, you can go to school not worrying about getting bombed and having to go in bomb shelters anymore And you don't have to worry about losing your home to fires and people breaking in as much.

### **Our Freedoms**

As a result of our brave soldiers we have many different freedoms and we can do many more things than other countries. After winning the war from Great Britain, we signed the Declaration of Independence so that we would be a free and independent country. From signing that document we gained our freedom from the British parliament. In conclusion, with the Declaration we also got the Bill of Rights, a list of rights that protects us. It is a list that sets

boundaries for the people; they have a set of rules to follow providing protection and safety. It was the first 10 amendments to the Constitution that ruled over us for many years.

In conclusion, I have learned that America is a place where you can love your country. It's a place where soldiers and veterans fought for and risked their lives so you could live a happy life here. In summary, this country is one of a kind. I'm glad that I can look back at the history of different events and see what happened in that war and take that in and learn from it.