Below you will find the state song of Texas, “Texas, Our Texas,” with a few lyrics missing. In the box below, unscramble the missing words, and use those words to finish the lyrics of this song.

“Texas, Our Texas” was adopted by the 41st Texas Legislature following a statewide contest in 1929. The music was composed by William J. Marsh of Fort Worth. The lyrics were co-written by Marsh and Gladys Yoakum Wright. 
Fun Fact: When Alaska became a state in 1959 the lyrics had to be changed from “largest and grandest” to “boldest and grandest.”

“Texas, Our Texas”

Texas, Our ____! all hail the mighty State!
Texas, Our Texas! so wonderful so great!
_______ and grandest, withstanding ev’ry test
O Empire wide and glorious, you stand supremely blest.
(Chorus)

Texas, O Texas! your freeborn single star,
Sends out its radiance to ______ near and far,
Emblem of _____! it sets our hearts aglow,
With thoughts of __________ and glorious _____.
(Chorus)

Texas, dear Texas! from tyrant grip now free,
Shines forth in splendor, your ____ of destiny!
Mother of heroes, we come your children true,
Proclaiming our allegiance, our faith, our love to you.
(Chorus)

God bless you Texas! And keep you _____ and strong,
That you may grow in _____ and worth, throughout the ages long.
God bless you Texas! And keep you brave and _____,
That you may grow in power and worth, throughout the ages long.

ASTXE  RVBAE  NSA TNIJACO  DOLBSTE  TNSIANO
REDEFOM  OWEPR  MOALA  RNGOTS  ATRS