

# FROM GOOD HOMES

## LADY LIBERTY

(Music: From Good Homes; Lyrics: Todd Sheaffer)

I was born in the valley  
Of Pennsylvania's hills  
Where they ride by horse and buggy  
And they plow a wooden till  
To a home in the New World  
Came these German and Swiss  
Their yearning eyes on the simple prize  
Of a life of peace

(Chorus)

Like a fire come down the mountain  
The war drove them away  
So they made their way for a better life in the USA  
Like a fire come down the mountain  
Trouble drove them to the sea  
And they sailed away for the shinin' light of Lady Liberty

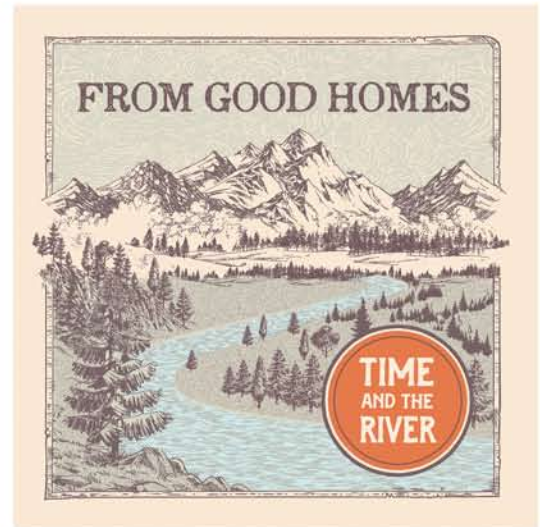
I live an immigrant story  
In an immigrant land  
I play my immigrant Martin guitar  
in an immigrant band  
And what's true for me  
Is probably true for you  
While the millions they came  
Through the island gates on their passage through

Like a fire come down the mountain  
Hard times drove them away  
So they made their way for a better life in the USA  
Like a fire come down the mountain  
Trouble drove them to the sea  
They sailed away for the burnin' flame of Lady Liberty

I've come from a country  
Torn with terror and strife  
And I walk my children by the hand  
For a brand new life  
And what's good for me  
Is probably true for you  
For a better life for your children  
Anything you can do  
Now I'm held at the border  
Of the land of the free  
I wait my days in an iron cage  
Under lock and key

Like a fire come down the mountain  
Hard times drove us away  
So I led my children by the hand for the USA  
Like a fire come down the mountain  
They dragged them away from me  
'Neath the shadow light and watching eyes of Lady Liberty  
'Neath the watching eyes and the burnin' flame of Lady Liberty

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Of Pennsylvania's hills  
Where they ride by horse and buggy  
And they plow a wooden till



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TIME AND THE RIVER