ODE TO AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL

THE OTHER DAY

MOMMY DEAR

MOMMY DEAR

TO ME

MY DAUGHTER SAID

DO YOU KNOW
WHO ARE
THE MOBS?
IN FEAR
AND TREMBLING
MEMORIES
BURIED DEEP
BUT NOT
FORGOTTEN
MAKE THEIR
NAZI'S APPEARANCE
TO YESTERDAY'S CHILD
ONE LOOKS AND
SEES THE FACES

OF HATE
AND HEARS
THE SOUNDS
OF BROKEN
GLASS
AND SCREAMS
OF PAIN
YESTERDAY'S AMERICAN
FLAG
SYMBOL
OF DEMOCRACY
AND OUR
CONSTITUTION
TRAMPLED ON
IN THE HALLS
OF FREEDOM
INVADED BY
THE NAZI MOBS.
OUR BEAUTIFUL
AND RESILIENT COUNTRY

WILL SURVIVE

TODAY'S DESECRATION

TOGETHER

TOMORROW

WE WILL

MARCH AGAIN

IN TRIUMPH

GOD'S WILL

LIBERTY

AND JUSTICE

FOR PEACE

WILL PREVAIL.

Gigi Mckendric, January 10, 2021