GOD GRANT THAT NOT ONLY THE LOVE OF LIBERTY . BUT A THOROUGH KNOWLEDGE OF THE RIGHTS OF MAN . MAY PERVADE ALL THE NATIONS OF THE EARTH SO THAT A PHILOSOPHER MAY SET HIS FOOT ANYWHERE ON ITS SURFACE AND SAY >THIS IS MY COUNTRY<

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN 1706-1790

TO THESE IDEALS AND TO THE MAN WHO SPOKE THEM AND LIVED THEM THIS KONGREEHALLE IS DEDICATED