Writing Prompt #5

You are not sure what is going on. People are celebrating something called an election, and everyone is happy, but you don't know why. After all, you are just a dog. All of a sudden, loud bangs fill the air.



You yelp in fright. Someone calls, "Fido, it's OK! It's just fireworks." What do you do next? Is there anything Abraham and his wife Mary can say to make you feel better?



Writing Prompt #6



You lived in the town of Gettysburg during the terrible battle. You've heard that President Lincoln and some others will be arriving to give a speech. Describe what happens during the dedication of the battlefield.



