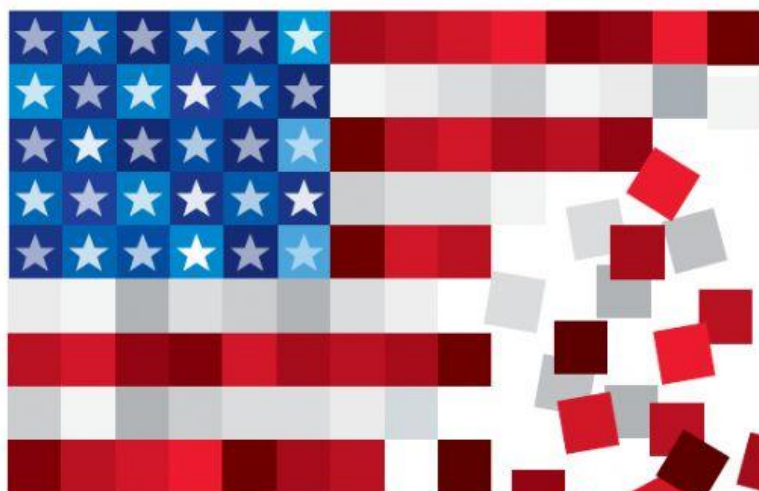




A **TEXT SKETCH** QUILT of a COUNTRY

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CLAIM

From many different parts, America comes together as one.

REASON

Different cultures live side by side in America. We come together in the face of tragedy and difficulty.

EVIDENCE

When do Americans come together?

COUNTERCLAIM

In reality, we often fail to come together as one.

REASON

Groups have struggled to coexist throughout history.

EVIDENCE

When do Americans struggle to coexist?