

from Canada's role as one of the world's major trading nations, and one of the world's wealthiest and most dynamic countries. Let us see ourselves as others see us in this international perspective. Let us remember that Canada, prosperous and outward-looking, not depressed and self-absorbed, is the abiding Canada, the Canada whose centennial we honour this year.

It is a time for faith and confidence in ourselves, as individuals, and as Canadians. With this faith and confidence, Canada will realize its great and true destiny.

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