there lies the port the vessel puffs her sail their gloom the dark broad seas come my friends which is not too late to seek a newer world push off and sitting well in order smite the sounding furrow I'm very proud to been part of the beginnings of America's space program and needless to say I'm excited to be back and I'm honored I'm privileged but more than that the opportunity that this gives to take us in some new directions we know the what's of Ag but I want to try to contribute more to learning about
the whys of Aging I am a part of all
that I have met yet hall experience is
an arch where through gleams that
untraveled world whose margin fades
forever and forever when I move I think
it comes down to America's sense of
curiosity the willingness to go out on
discovery a willingness to to look at
the unknown we have been a curious
questing people throughout all of our
history and out of that came the this
surge that we know as our great economy
that we have today here in our standard
of living it exceeds anything known
around the world
it's that kind of research and that kind of interest in research and this kind of quest for the future that I think is the job that NASA does best their job is to push back the frontiers of the unknown and let us know in our own time these things that can benefit all Americans old age half yet his honor and his toil and something ere the end some work of noble note may yet be done not unbecoming men that strove with God's
and the success of America's space program has opened up not only the skies but it's brought our country in the world in measurable scientific benefits we've gone in that short period of time in those few decades from what we called a capsule back in those days with one person in it up to where we'll now put up in just a few months the first part of the International Space Station and we've gone to the depths of the Cold War to where our former adversaries are now going to be cooperating with us on this International Space Station.
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