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This year marks 105 years since the declaration of Georgian independence in 1918. We celebrated it in Washington DC and in Tbilisi with both joy and heavy hearts. The path to building a strong, prosperous, sovereign nation has been long and arduous.

Georgia on this day remembers that over 100 years ago, it triumphed over tyranny and colonialism. And yet these century-old challenges remain with us today: political and social polarization is deeper than ever, the Russian invasion in Ukraine threatens the security of the entire region, and economic hardship drives our best from Georgia.

In such times, we might remember the words of President Zviad Gamsakhurdia, who reminded us that “the enemy is afraid of our unity”. On behalf of the Georgian Association in the USA, and in the name of the Georgian diaspora in the USA, we call for unity in Georgia to ensure a strong, democratic, and prosperous state. Strength is in unity!

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