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The flag of the Federation of St. Kitts-Nevis was designed by Edris Lewis. It features green for the fertile lands, yellow for the year-round sunshine, black for the African heritage, and red for the struggle from slavery through colonialism to independence. It also displays two white stars on a black diagonal bar, symbols of hope and liberty.

**Total Area  
68 sq. miles!**



National Flower - Flamboyant

**National Anthem**

**O Land of Beauty!**  
by Kenrick Georges

**O Land of Beauty!**  
Our country where peace abounds,  
Thy children stand free  
On the strength of will and love.  
With God in all our struggles  
St. Kitts and Nevis be  
a nation bound together  
With a common destiny.

As stalwarts we stand  
For justice and liberty.  
With wisdom and truth  
We will serve and honour thee.  
No sword nor spear can conquer  
For God will sure defend.  
His blessings shall forever  
To posterity extend.



**Population:  
Approx. 33,000**



National Bird  
Brown Pelican

# St. Kitts

**Official  
Language  
is English**



The coat of arms is dominated in the center by a shield. The shield has a lighter in full sail which is a traditional means of transport between the two islands. A red chevron is highlighted by two national flowers - the poinciana. At the top is the head of a Carib supported by the Fleur-de-lis and a red rose. This depicts the original Carib inhabitants and the French and English colonists who arrived in 1620's. A helmet topped with battlements with a flaming torch held up by the hands and arms of an African, European and a mixed race person. The torch signifies freedom for all races who are united in purpose. Supporters of the shield are Pelicans, the national bird, with wings extended. By the side of the bird can be seen a sugar cane plant and a coconut tree which demonstrates the fertility of the land. The Motto of the Federation "Country Above Self" is below the shield and could be said to be the foundation of everything.