

At each meeting the SPL leads the troop in the Scout Oath:



On my honor I will do my best
To do my duty to God and my country
and to obey the Scout Law;
To help other people at all times;
To keep myself physically strong,
mentally awake, and morally straight.

As you know, Scouting is an international organization. Have you ever wondered what the Scout Law/Oath is in other countries? The BSA Promise consists of the three ideals of:







- Duty to God and Country
- Duty to Others
- Duty to Self

Thank you Troop 97 of Colorado Rocky Mountain <http://www.troop97.net/> for the following information.

Most Scout Promises around the world also express the concept of a Scout's three duties or obligations, but more often follow the three obligations contained in Baden-Powell's original Scout Promise:

1. Honour God and the King (nowadays usually stated as duty to God and country [or in countries of the British Commonwealth, duty to God and Queen])
2. Help others
3. Obey the Scout Law

Here is a sampling of the Scout Promise from several countries

	Australia (Scouts Australia)	On my honour I promise that I will do my best To do my duty to my God, and To the Queen of Australia To help other people, and To live by the Scout Law	
	Canada (Scouts Canada, English & French both official)	On my honour I promise that I will do my best To do my duty to God and the Queen To help other people at all times, And to carry out the spirit of the Scout Law.	Sur mon honneur Je promets que je ferai de mon mieux Pour faire mon devoir envers Dieu et la Reine, Aider mon prochain en tout temps, et Observer l'esprit de la loi scout.
	France (La Promesse Scoute/The Scout Promise of the Guides et Scouts d'Europe, in French, with English translation)	Sur mon honneur, avec la grâce de Dieu, je m'engage à servir de mon mieux Dieu, l'Église, ma patrie et l'Europe, à aider mon prochain en toutes circonstances, à observer la loi scout / guide.	[On my honor, with the grace of God, I promise to do my best to serve God, the Church, my country and Europe, to help my neighbor in all circumstances, to keep the Scout / Guide Law.]
	Great Britain ("The Scout Association")	On my honour I promise that I will do my best To do my duty to God and to the Queen, To help other people and to keep the Scout Law.	
	Norway (Speiderløftet/The Scout Promise of the Norges Speiderforbund, in Norwegian bokmål, with English translation)	Jeg lover etter beste evne å tjene Gud, hjelpe andre og leve etter speiderloven.	[I promise to do my best to serve God, help others and live according to the Scout Law.]
	Venezuela (La Promesa Scout/The Scout Promise of the Asociación de Scouts de Venezuela, in Spanish, with English translation)	Por mi honor y con la gracia de Dios me obligo a servir lo mejor que pueda a mi Iglesia y a mi Patria, ayudar a mi prójimo en cualquier circunstancia y a cumplir la Ley Scout	[By my honor and with the grace of God I promise to serve to the best of my ability my Church and my country, to help my neighbor in any circumstance and to fulfill the Scout Law.]

Do you know the Scout Motto? Of course you do. It is "Be Prepared" All scouting organizations have a Scout Motto. In many cases it is the same as ours "Be Prepared" but not always. With your parents' permission, visit <http://www.troop97.net/wrldsct1.htm> to see what other country's scouting organizations use as their scout motto. Be prepared, it is a long, multi-page list.