

## SOLDIER'S HYMN

Franz Josef Haydn (1732–1809)

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1. We, thy sol-diers, hail thee, hail thee, Great Re-pub - lic, mo - ther coun - try;  
 2. Forth to bat - tle march we, march we, We, thy sons have heard the sum - mons;

We thy sol-diers hail thee, hail thee, On the eve of bat - tle. Thou hast call'd us,  
 Forth to bat - tle march we, march we, We will fight for free - dom. God of bat - tles,

"Arm ye, arm ye, O my brave and val-iant sons." Thou hast call'd us, "Arm ye, arm ye,  
 be Thou with us, For our cause is just and right; God of bat - tles, be Thou with us,

Free - dom is in per - il." We, thy soldiers, hail thee, hail thee: We go forth to war.  
 Bring us home tri - um-phant! Forth to bat - tle march we, march we, Na - tion of the free.