

SOLDIER'S HYMN

Franz Josef Haydn (1732–1809)

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-i-ant 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 - umphant! Forth to bat - tle march we, march we, Na-tion of the free.