

Sound the Battle Cry

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1. Sound the bat - tle cry! See, the foe is nigh; Raise the stan - dard high for the Lord;
2. Strong to meet the foe, march-ing on we go, While our cause we know, must pre - vail;
3. O! Thou God of all, hear us when we call, Help us one and all by Thy grace;



Gird your ar - mor on, stand firm ev - ery one; Rest your cause up-on His ho - ly Word.
Shield and ban-ner bright, gleam-ing in the light, Bat - tling for the right we ne'er can fail.
When the bat-tle's done, and the vic-t'ry's won, May we wear the crown be - fore Thy face.



Rouse, then, sol-diers, ral - ly round the ban-ner, Rea-dy, stea-dy, pass the word a - long;



On-ward, for-ward, shout a - loud Ho-san-na! Christ is Cap-tain of the might-y throng.

