

Let the Song Be Begun

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1. Let the song be be - gun, For the bat - tle is done, And the vic -
2. They that fol - lowed in pain, Shall now fol - low to reign, And the crown
3. For the foe ne - ver more Can ap - proach to the shore, Where the con -
4. Then be brave, then be true, Ye des - pised and ye few, For the crown



- to - ry won: And the foe is scat - tered, And the pri - son shat - tered:
shall ob - tain: They were sore as - sault - ed, They shall be ex - alt - ed,
- flict is o'er; There is joy su - per - nal; There is life e - ter - nal;
is for you; Christ, that went be - fore you; Spreads His buck - ler o'er you;



Sing of joy, joy, joy, And to - day raise the lay, "Glo-ria in Ex - cel-sis," A-men!
Sing of rest, rest, rest: And a - gain, pour the strain, "Glo-ria in Ex - cel-sis," A-men!
Sing of peace, peace, peace; Earth and skies, bid it rise, "Glo-ria in Ex - cel-sis," A-men!
Sing of hope, hope, hope; And to - day, raise the lay, "Glo-ria in Ex - cel-sis," A-men!



A - men.
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