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Inscribed to
LIEUT. GENL. GRANT.

ARMY BLUE

SONG & CHORUS

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"A R M Y B L U E!"

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Con Spirito.

The musical score is presented in two systems. The first system consists of three staves: a vocal line (treble clef) with a whole rest, a piano line (treble clef) with a melody starting on a quarter note, and a bass line (bass clef) with a whole rest and a dynamic marking of 'f'. The second system also consists of three staves: a vocal line (treble clef) with a whole rest, a piano line (treble clef) with a melody, and a bass line (bass clef) with a bass line. The music is in 4/4 time and B-flat major.

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1. Ah! I know a col - or true, And it is the ar - my Blue! 'Twas dis -

- cov - er'd in the gallant days of yore; And we know without a doubt! That they've

tried to wash it out, But have left the co - lor brighter than be - fore!

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With energy.

CHORUS.

Air. *f*
Hail to the Flag! radiant with glo-ry, Banner of the free! — Even

Alto.

Tenor. *f*
Hail to the Flag! radiant with glo-ry, Banner of the free, of the free! Even

Bass.

PIANO. *f*

f
Time groweth old Ere the sto-ry is told Of the deeds of he-roes clad in Army Blue!

f
Time groweth old Ere the sto-ry is told Of the deeds of he-roes clad in Army Blue!

f

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2. Who were they that won the strife, Who that paid the price of life, Who that
 3. Then hur - rah for General Grant, And the boys of ad - a - mant, Who have

bore the flag of Battle brave - ly thro'; Who that gave such wondrous proof Of he -
 pierc'd the hearts of traitors thro' and thro'! Ah they were a gallant band, As e'er

ro - ic web and woof, As the boys of Un - cle Sam in ar - my blue!
 fought for Fa - ther - land, And they ev' - ry one were clad in ar - my blue!

