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Old Eng- land wondrous na - tion Of men so staunch and true, They have conquered with their
Great France with streamers fly - ing Went fierce-ly to the fray, For years her sons with
The time had come to call for help, To Un - cle Sam it came, A - mer- i- cans stood to-

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arm - y, And with their na - vy too, And when a - cross the sea she sent Her
Britain's sons In filth-y trenches lay. The mem-'ry of their ru- ined homes Would
geth - er, Our hearts were all the same, The mem- o - ry of La- fay-ette Gave

thousands to com-bat, The Hun a wi - ly foe was he, And held them all in check.
spur them to fight their best; The Hun a might-y foe was he, And held them all in check.
us our chance, we did our best, The Hun a stur-dy foe was he, But gave way to us at last.

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CHORUS. *Spirited*

Oh, La - fay - ette we have wait - ed for man - y years or

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more, And longed for the time to come to ev - en

up the score, And when the time did come at last the

Hun for peace did sue, Oh La - fay -

ette we've paid our debt to you.

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