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Moderato

Piano introduction in G minor, 6/8 time. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a steady bass accompaniment with chords and single notes.

This coun-try is a place where all may come and go, And free speech is our boast; But
To make this coun-try what it is, a land of pow'r, Where tol'-rance reigns o'er all, It

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the first verse. The piano part includes a *mf* dynamic marking.

car - ry it too far, It sure can bring a war, To sweep from coast to coast. It
took a hun-dred years, And ma - ny bit - ter tears, And ma - ny a sol - diers fall. Our

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the second verse.

takes a clev - er, stea - dy brain To lead us thru A thous - and traps, well laid So
flag has been a shield for men From ev - ry land, Our watch - word is "fair play." So

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the third verse. The piano part includes a *mf* dynamic marking.

Mis - ter Wil - son, well de pend on you, Well back you up and car - ry out the plans you've made,
stand for the right, And, if we have to fight, Don't let the work of ma - ny years be swept a - way.

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the final verse. The piano part includes a *f* dynamic marking.

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Now's no time to talk a-bout your trou-bles, — Now's no time at all to 'chew the rag; —

Fam'ly trou-ble sep-a-rates a na-tion — And on the wheel of "Progress" puts a drag. —

All our peo-ple need to work to-gether, — Else our "Stars and Stripes" will soon go down, —

Put your shoul-der to the wheel, And push! you know a war will steal Your home and all that's true and real Un-

less you're all as true as steel, And stand right by your leader at the "White House" all the time. —

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