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(March Rhythm — M.M. = 120)

Roll the drums and sound the bu-gles — From ten mil-lion free-men's homes, Lord of
hate, for self to con-quer, But to set all peo-ples free, God be-

Hosts a-bove the bat-tles, Lo, a serried Army comes.
-yond the ra-ging hor-ror, Guide us to the Vic-to-ry.

Lit-tle Sis-ter — rav-ished Bel-gium — Bleed-ing Brit-ain, dy-ing France,
Flower of Youth and min'-stering Beau-ty, Blood and Trea-sure We out-pour,

Fa-ther on this hec-a-tomb, Arm us for their sus-te-nance — Not in
Oh, thou Christ of Love and Pit-y, That thy Peace may still en-dure — Let the

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Ruth-less war-lords tot-ter— Right is Might and e'er will be, God and

Christ, may men for — ev-er Broth-ers live in Lib-er-ty.

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