

# Our Yankee Doodle Boys are Back



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Lively

VAMP

The piano introduction is in 2/4 time, marked 'Lively'. It features a right-hand melody with chords and a left-hand accompaniment of chords and eighth notes. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The piece concludes with a 'VAMP' section consisting of a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes in the right hand and a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the left hand.

The ships are steam-ing in-to dock, from far a-cross the sea, The decks are lined with  
Some-where out in No Mans Land, are some who'll néer re-turn, While o-ver here our

The piano accompaniment for the first vocal line consists of chords and eighth-note patterns in both hands, supporting the vocal melody.

kha-ki lads, Our boys of Lib-er-ty. They've won a glorious vic-try, They have  
poor sad hearts, Will nev-er cease to yearn And though there are no loved ones there, To

The piano accompaniment for the second vocal line continues with chords and eighth-note accompaniment.

fought a gal-lant fight; They're com-ing back to Un-cle Sam, They've proved him in the right.  
mark their lone-ly graves, Their mem-o-ry shall ev-er live, They're numbered with the braves.

The piano accompaniment for the third vocal line concludes the piece with chords and eighth-note accompaniment.

CHORUS

Shores are lined with moth-ers wives and sweet hearts, Bands are play-ing

our Red, White and Blue, O - pen arms are wait-ing to re -

ceive them, And wel-come home our kha-ki lads so true.

Our Yankee Doodle boys are back, From the land a-cross the sea. A -

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