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Our Father's Flag

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OUR FATHER'S FLAG

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Unfurl the flag the grand old
Off with the hat as the flag goes

flag the flag our fa-thers wrought
by Its stripes of spot-less white

Mid shot and
be-speak-a

shell they bore a-loft this flag So dear-ly bought
na-tion's pur-pose high de-vo-tion to the right

With stripes of bril-liant red and white with star-ry field of blue
We seek not oth-ers land or gold no lust for wealth or power

To save for us this pre-cious flag they fought will
we strive to do as best we may the du-ty

Chorus

you will you
of each hour

Fling to the breeze our dear old

flag Its-stripes-of glow-ing red arc-tok-ens
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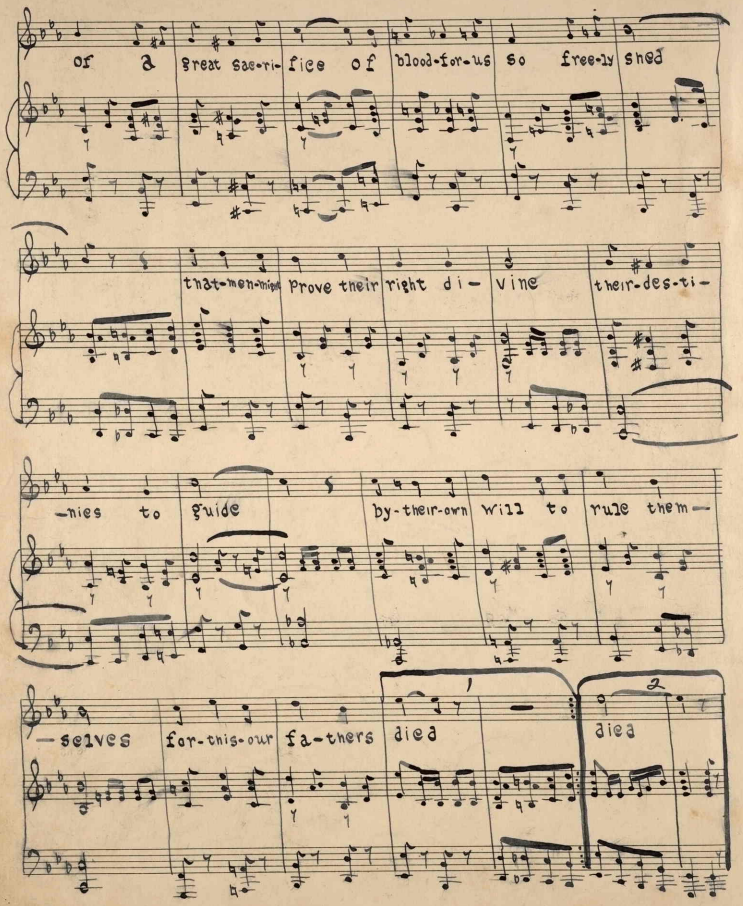
of a great sac-ri- fice of blood-for-us so free-ly shed
that-men-might prove their right di- vine their-des-ti-
-nies to guide by-their-own will to rule them-
-selves for-this-our fa-thers died died
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Unfurl the flag! the grand old flag
  The flag our fathers wrought,
'Mid shot and shell they bore aloft,
  This flag so dearly bought;
With stripes of brilliant red and white,
  With starry field of blue--
To save for us this precious flag
  They fought! Will you? Will you?

Fling to the breeze our dear old flag!
  Its stripes of glowing red
Are tokens of a great sacrifice,
  Of blood for us so freely shed;
That men might prove their right divine,
  Their destinies to guide;
By their own will to rule themselves--
  For this our fathers died.

Off with the hat as the flag goes by!
  Its stripes of spotless white
Bespeak a nation's purpose high;
  Devotion to the right.
We seek not others' land or gold,
  No lust for wealth or power;
We strive to do, as best we may,
  The duty of each hour.