



We'll Pay Our Debt TO Lafayette.



Patriotic Song and Chorus

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Moderato



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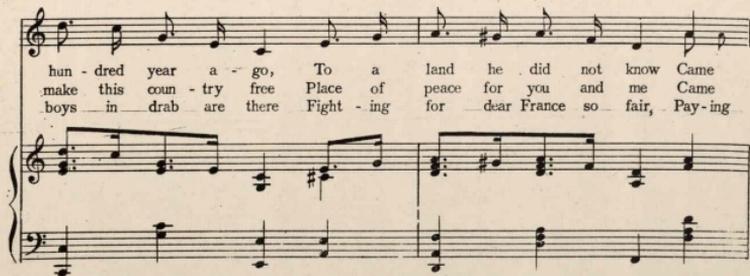
Piano introduction in 6/8 time, marked Moderato and *mf*. The right hand features a melodic line with chords, and the left hand provides a steady bass accompaniment.



Ov - er one
To help
Now our

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Vocal entry with piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with a triplet of eighth notes. The piano accompaniment continues with chords and a bass line.



hun - dred year a - go, To a land he did not know Came
make this coun - try free Place of peace for you and me Came
boys in drab are there Fight - ing for dear France so fair, Pay - ing

Piano accompaniment for the second system, continuing the harmonic support for the vocal lines.

La - fay - ette to help the U. S. A. And he
 La - fay - ette with com - rades brave and true. And he
 up the debt we owe to that great land. Tho' its

fought with all his might For a cause he knew was right And —
 helped us win the fight Set - ting Free - dom's torch a light Giv - ing
 past one hun - dred years We hope you can hear their cheers And —

that's why we live here so free to - day.
 birth un - to the Red, the White and Blue.
 La - fay - ette, we know you'll un - der - stand.

Chorus

Now's our chance to pay our debt We owe France and La - fay - ette And —

nev - er were we bet - ter off than now — Our — boys to France have gone To drive

out the Turk and Hun And — La - fay - ette, we'll pay our debt to

you Now's our La - fay - ette, we'll pay our debt to you.

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