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America's Prayer

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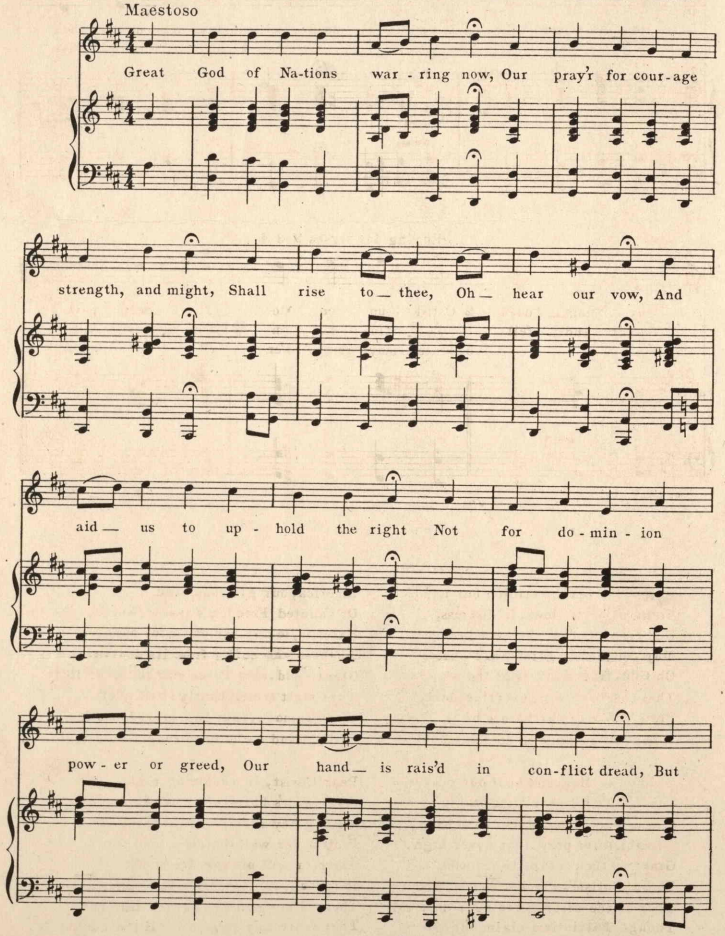

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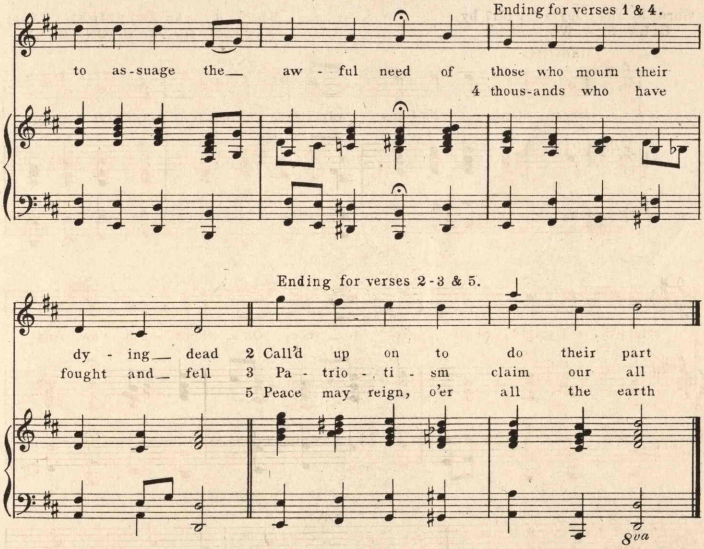

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Across the sea we stretch our hand,
To those, our fellows, in distress,
God grant that our beloved land
May conquer in grim War's duress
Oh God, from dangers of the sea,
That swift, unseen, unerring dart,
Protected may our hêroes be
When called upon to do their part

3

O, Thou in Heaven, hear our prayer,
Control with power from on high
The mighty conquerors of the air,
Like birds of prey, that hover nigh.
Grant us the courage to respond
To Patriotism's clarion call,
Give us the strength to ne'er despond,
Though Patriotism claim our all.

4

America, our glorious land
Of vaunted Freedom's tested worth,
Extends, to-day, her powerful hand,
To those who suffer from its dearth.
Grant, Lord, that Peace may follow strife;
That right triumphantly shall quell
War's carnage, that has sapped the life
Of thousands who have fought and fell.

5

Dear Christ, in agonizing throes,
As on War's threshold now we stand,
We beg Thy mercy on our woes,
Protect our well-beloved land.
America will pledge her word,
Her manhood's strength, her glorious worth,
Then, as her guerdon, grant dear Lord,
That Peace may reign o'er all the Earth.

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