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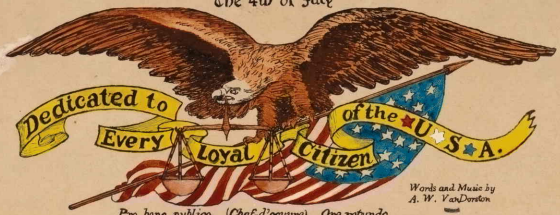
INDEPENDENCE
OUR COUNTRY'S DREAM
or
The 4th of July



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Pro bono publico. (Chef-d'oeuvre). Ore rotundo.

Moderato

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Violin

1 We Praise Thee! Thou Cre - a - tor, our on - ly King!
2 All Hail, thou Land of Lib - er - ty, for thee we sing!
3 All Praise Thee! God of—— Love, our Na - tion's free!

1 Sop. Alto Piano, or Organ. Tenor Bass

ff

May Lib - er - ty—— Bell our Free - dom ev - er ring;
From each and ev- ery home and hill let free - dom ring!
To Crown our lives each day with great and no - ble deeds;

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Dear Land of Fair Daugh - ters, as a treas - ur'd gem,
With Fair - est Co - lum - bia, our on - ly Queen,
Give Praise to Wash - ing - ton, and our de fend-ers,

3

mf

f *ff*

And Crown'd by the cour - age of he - ro - ic men;
And all ev - er faith - ful No ble and se - rene,
The Con —— sti - tu —— tion and free - doms ten-ders.

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Great Land of sci - ence, art and — deeds,
To guide our homes in — heav - ens — way,
And help our Na - tion — the truth — pro-claim,

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f *ff* *fff*

In homes of love and Pa - tri - ots free. Our Na - tion!
May hon - es - ty all our peo - ple sway. Thou Cre - a - tor!
Let hon - or be our —— high - est aim. Al - migh - ty!

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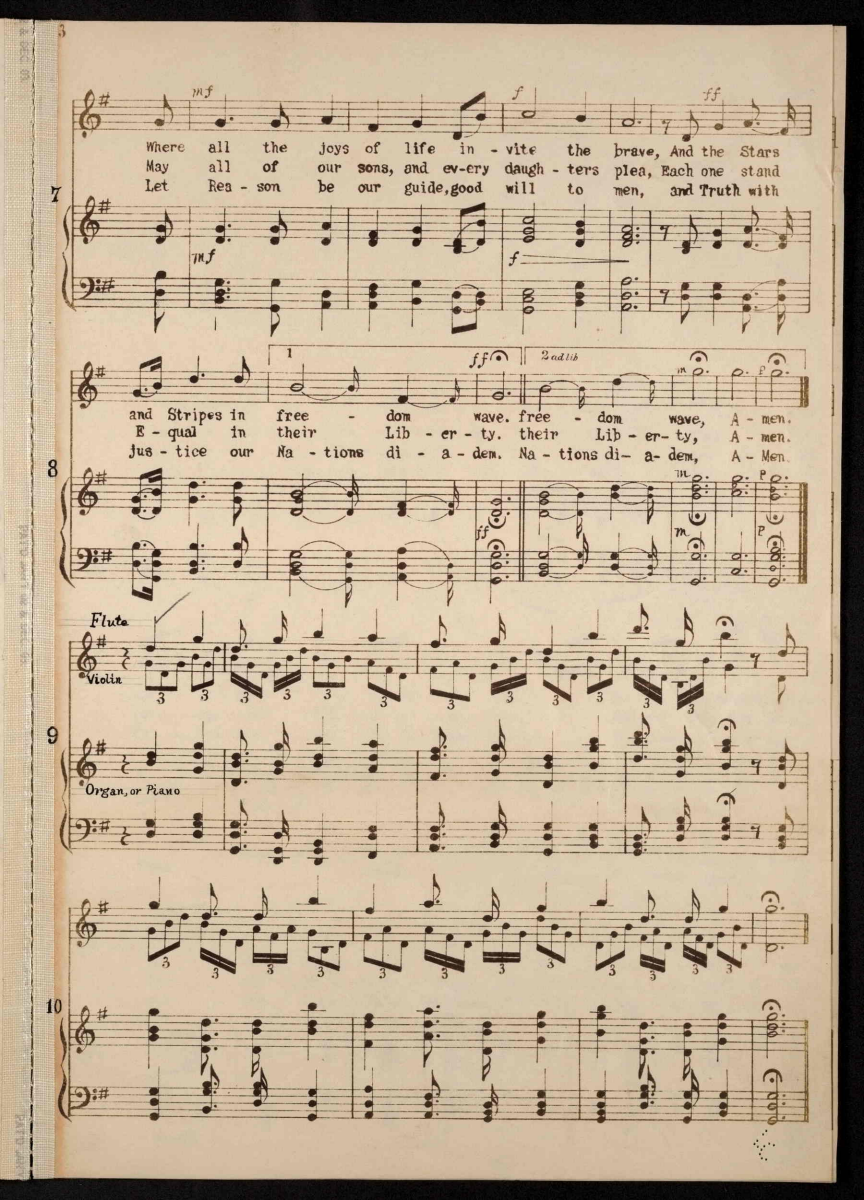
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Where all the joys of life in - vite the brave, And the Stars
May all of our sons, and ev-ery daugh - ters plea, Each one stand
Let Rea - son be our guide, good will to men, and Truth with
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and Stripes in free - dom wave. free - dom wave, A - men.
E - qual in their Lib - er - ty. their Lib - er- ty, A - men.
jus - tice our Na - tions di - a - dem. Na - tions di- a- dem, A - Men.
8
ff
m
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Flute
Violin
3
9
Organ, or Piano
10

QUARTET or CHORUS.

1 And as Pa - tri - ots, we'll stand in our might,
2 Praise to He - roes for our Na - tions— free-dom;
3 All hail! U. S. A. The Land of the free!

In - de- pend - ence be our stay, to de - fend the right; All A-
Great Cre - a - tor, bless them each and ev - ery one. Grant us
And vic - to - ries in - tent thru our hon - or'd Chief; Fair- est

-mer - i - ca U - ni-ted as one, For the Stars and Stripes,
cour - age our Lib - er-ty de - fend, And our Free-dom ev-er,
Co - lum- bia our Na - tions Queen, And ev-er faith-ful men.

As we're march - ing on. A - men! A - men. A - men! A - men.
In our Na - tions trend. A - men! A - men. A - men! A - men.
Our own Coun - try's Dream. A - men! A - men. A - men! A - men.

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