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Gallant Jim.

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INTRO.
Moderato.

"I am go - ing home to - day boys," said a voice we fond - ly knew. And
As we gazed up - on that face of scars and met that daunt - less eye; There
ev - 'ry man that heard the words Knew Ser - geant Jim was through, That
seemed no dan - ger ev - er known that Jim would not de - fy; The
he who dared where oth - ers feared and the brav - est and most true No
pent up feel - ings searched our hearts, and - burst forth with a cry With
more would say, "I'll lead the way" for gal - lant Jim was through "I've
you'll dare, all dan - ger share, with you we'll do or die. And
still one arm as good as two" our Jim went on to say "With a
Jim was ev - ry sol - dier's friend, the first to tend and care, For a
will that's more than good as two" to use it night or day, And these
strick - en com - rade in dis - tress no trou - ble he would spare. In the
or - ders to re - port at home I'd like to dis - o - bey, For my
fierc - est strife, to save a life, You'd al - ways find him there. There were
place is here, my heart is here and here I long to stay. And
none so grim, none loved as Jim, none with him could com - pare.

Chorus.
ev - 'ry man took off his hat, a tear in ev - 'ry eye As we
grasped the gal - lant Ser - geant's hand and tried to say good - bye And as he kissed the tat - tered flag, it
curled a - bout our Jim As thought to hold him in it's fold's and nev - er part with him.

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