

WHEN THE BOYS COME MARCHING HOME



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MARCH SONG

Words and Music by

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Lively with spirit

Piano introduction in 2/4 time, key of B-flat major. The right hand features chords and eighth-note patterns, while the left hand plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment. Dynamics include *ff* and *p*.

Vamp

Voice

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the first vocal line. The vocal line begins with a rest followed by the lyrics. The piano accompaniment continues with chords and eighth-note patterns. Dynamics include *p* and *pp*.

When the boys come march-ing
When the boys come march-ing

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the second vocal line. The vocal line continues with the lyrics. The piano accompaniment features chords and eighth-note patterns. Dynamics include *f*.

march-ing home, Glo - ra! Glo-ra! what a hap - py day! When our sword and
march-ing home, Hal - le - lu - ja! what a Moth - ers day! Tho' we shed a

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the third vocal line. The vocal line continues with the lyrics. The piano accompaniment features chords and eighth-note patterns. Dynamics include *f* and *ff*.

gun, their vict - ry won, A - gain, with hon - or, we shall lay a - way. Tho' our
tear, for the lost ones dear, They will bid us wipe them all a - way. And from

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ban - ner be shell - torn and tat - tered, — Cru - el tyr - an - nys will be
stars beem - ing love down up - on us, — In their homes a - bove they will

shat - tered, — And we'll have ten thou - sand shouts of joy, For
join us, — Ev - ry An - gel harp will twang with joy, For

ev - 'ry bless - ed sol - dier boy, When they come march - ing
our — Nav - y and Sol - dier Boys, When they come march - ing

home, — When they come march ing home.
home, — When they come march ing home.

CHORUS

When the boys come march-ing home — When the boys come

p ff *p*

march-ing home — We'll have ten thou-sand shouts of joy For

p

ev-ry bless-ed sol-dier boy When they come march-ing

home — When they come march-ing home —

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D.C.

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