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An Old Grand Army Man 50

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An Old Grand Army Man

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Brightly *(Not too fast)*

f

In a un - i - form of blue that
Loy - al - ty to Un - cle Sam is

rall. *ff* *p*

hed worn years be - fore, He stood in line pre - pared to sign to fight for us once more; At
shown more ev - 'ry day, But none I know you'll find more so than him they turned a - way. In

last his turn came 'round and when they said "You'll have to stay," All
mem - o - ry I'll al - ways see that vet - 'ran stand - ing there; Time

eyes grew dim at sight of him when they heard the vet - 'ran say:
can't e - rase that wrink - led face and his plea will live for e'er.

rit.

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REFRAIN *(Not fast)*

I've fought be - fore and I'll fight once more, Please don't say that I'm too old; — There'll be no tears spent on this frame that's bent, And we need men, I've been told. — Tho' I've snow-white hair, still, the spir - it is there, And I'll do the best I can; — To the front then let me start, If you don't, you'll break the heart Of an old Grand Arm - y man! — I've man! —

p *f* *rit.* *rit.* *roll.* *f* *ff*

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