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We've
We've

sailed the o - cean, met the foe, And o'er his ram-parts, see! Waves
fought with Dew-ey in the cause, OF all hu - man - i - ty; We've

now where spi - cy o - dors blow, The ban-ner of the free, The
plant - ed where were ty - rants' laws, The flag of lib - er - ty, The

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ban - ner of the free. Shines now the sun up - on a race, Who've
flag of lib - er - ty. We've shown our na - tion great and brave, We've

dwelt in dark - ness long, Who now with us by Heav - en's grace, Shall
urged on Fate's de - cree, That Free-dom's flag shall proud - ly wave, O'er

Chorus:

join in Free-dom's song, Shall join in Free-dom's song.
ev'- ry land and sea, O'er ev'- ry land and sea. O we're

sol - dier boys from the Fil - i - pi - nos' shore, From the shriek of shell and the

can-non's aw-ful roar. But our coun-try's flag, God bless it ev-er more, Floats on

breez-es be-yond the sea; Fil-i-pi-no, we hail thee free!

3. Tho' battle-scarred our flag and torn
Unsullied, 'tis you see;
Marks now the greatest nation born,
America the free,
America the free.
O there's no love like that we bear
Our flag,-let foe-man try
To tear it down if he but dare!
Then shall we do or die,
Then shall we do or die. Cho:—

4. Columbia, fair, our trophies all
How at thy feet we lay,
We ask one boon — at Freedom's call
Bid us for thee away,
Bid us for thee away.
And if perchance on battle-field
Death o'er us silent creep,
Wrapped in the flag, beloved shield,
Let us forever sleep,
Let us forever sleep. Cho:—

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