*Dedicated to the Dearest American Boy in France*

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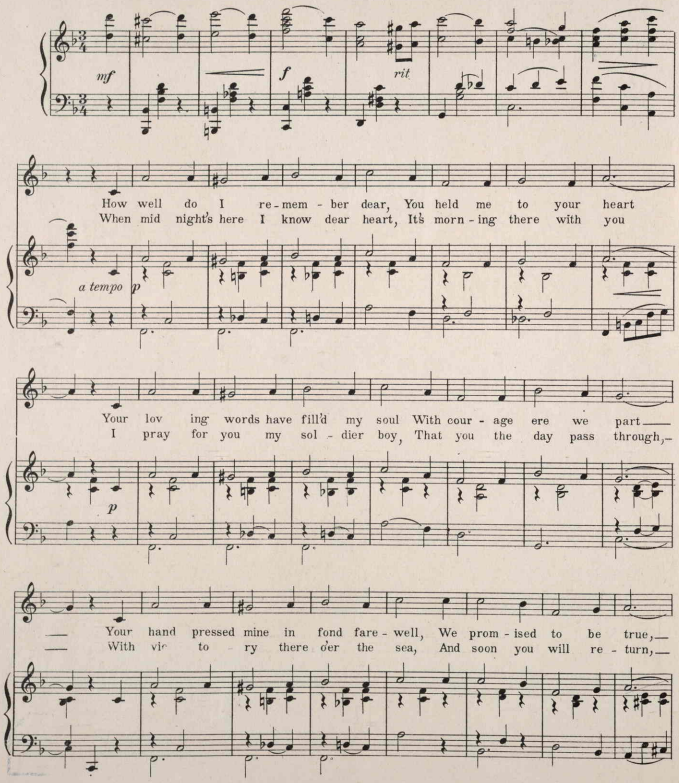


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I'm wait - ing long - ing, long - ing My sol - dier boy for you

To me and all you dear - ly love My heart will cease to yearn

*rit*

REFRAIN

When my sol - dier boy comes back, How hap - py I will be With

*a tempo mf*

o - pen arms to wel - come him Who fought for lib - er - ty Our

flag will wave for all so brave, And mus - ic rend the air, And

oh what joy we both a - wait, When my sol - dier boy comes back.

*cresc*

*rit*



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CHORUS. *Marcia Moderato*

*rit* *a tempo*

My dear-est La - dy, my fair-est La - dy, My love-ly La - dy, of Lib-er-

*rit* *a tempo*

*p* - *f*

ty Your face seems fair - er, Your love much rar - er Than when we part - ed

To cross the sea Our arms are yearn-ing, Love's light is burn - ing, To guide all

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