

Brightly gleams our banner

The first system of music consists of two staves, treble and bass clef, in 4/4 time. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The melody in the treble clef begins with a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, Bb4, and C5. The bass clef accompaniment features a steady eighth-note pattern: G3, Bb3, C4, Bb3, G3.

The second system continues the piece. The treble clef melody has a quarter rest in the second measure, followed by quarter notes C5, Bb4, and A4. The bass clef accompaniment continues with the eighth-note pattern, with an 8-measure rest in the second measure.

The third system begins with a double bar line and a measure rest. The treble clef melody has a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, Bb4, and C5. The bass clef accompaniment has a key signature change to two sharps (F# and C#) in the second measure, with a quarter note G3, followed by quarter notes A3, Bb3, and C4.

The fourth system concludes the piece. The treble clef melody has a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, Bb4, and C5. The bass clef accompaniment has a key signature change to one flat (B-flat) in the second measure, with a quarter note G3, followed by quarter notes A3, Bb3, and C4.

Brightly gleams our banner, pointing to the sky,
Waving on Christ's soldiers to their home on high.
Marching through the desert, gladly thus we pray,
Still with hearts united, singing on our way.

Refrain

*Brightly gleams our banner, pointing to the sky,
Waving on Christ's soldiers to their home on high.*

Jesus, Lord and Master, at Thy sacred feet,
Here, with hearts rejoicing, see Thy children meet.
Often have we left Thee, often gone astray;
Keep us, mighty Savior, in the narrow way.

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All our days direct us in the way we go;
Lead us on victorious over every foe:
Bid Thine angels shield us when the storm clouds lower,
Pardon, Lord, and save us in the last dread hour.

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Then with saints and angels may we join above,
Offering prayers and praises at Thy throne of love.
When the toil is over, then comes rest and peace,
Jesus in His beauty! Songs that never cease!

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