

# A Socialist War Song

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♩ = 120 G C G Am D7 G D7

Shout, for the rage of the wronged has ascended! Shout, for the tyrants no longer hold sway,

5 Shout, for the rule of the robbers is ended, Shout for the vengeance before us today!

9 They who ne'er pitied knew Now will have cause to rue; Hunger and hardships they made us to rue,

13 Helots in hunger nursed, Slaves of their reign accursed, Stint not your vengeance till Labor is free.

17 Fools as we were in their honor confiding, We furnished their feasts with the price of our shame, And our

21 meanness was food for their mirth and deriding; In murder they steeped us to blazon their fame!

25 Now as with naked glaives Stand we no longer slaves, Free-men to tyrants no debtors should be;

29 G C G Am<sup>3</sup> D7 G C<sup>3</sup> G

Down on the hat-ed foe, Pay back the debt we owe, Coined in their cam-age till— La - bor is free!

33 G C G Am D7 G D7

Joy for the day when our stan-dard is o - men— And sign of sal-va-tion floats proud - ly on high, When its

37 G C G Am<sup>3</sup> D7 G C<sup>3</sup> G

grim rud-dy glare in the sun tells the foe - men— A - round it we've sworn to— con - quer or die!

41 G C G C G Am D7

Strong in our count-ess might, Strong in our con-scious right, Down on their arm-ies like waves of the sea,

45 G C G Am<sup>3</sup> D7 G C<sup>3</sup> G

On, know not break or pause, On, in your child-ren's cause, Strike home and spare not till— La - bor is free! The

49 G C G Am D7 G D7

slo - gan is sound-ing, hur - rah, how it gath - ers— The thou-sands from cit-y, and moun - tain, and plain, Who have

53 G C G Am<sup>3</sup> D7 G C<sup>3</sup> G

vowed to be free in the land of their fath - ers,— No more to sub-mit to the yoke and the chain.

57 G C G C G Am D7

For - ward the red flag, then, On, now as val-iant men, Free-dom looks on us and shouts her decree.

61 G C G Am<sup>3</sup> D7 G C<sup>3</sup> G

Deep must our ven-geance smart, Strike to the ty-rant's heart, Mer-cy we know not till— La - bor is free!

# A Socialist War Song - Acoustic Piano

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# A Socialist War Song - Acoustic String Bass

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