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Battle Hymn Of The Republic [[G-Bass](#) Tab]

Words by Julia Ward Howe. Music Traditional Folk. Arrangement by Glenn Watt.

For 2-string bass tuned "GD". Arranged in the key of "G".

G G7

D _____

G 0—0—0—0—0—0—

Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the lord;

C G

D _____

G 5—5—0—

he is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath

D7 G

D 0—

G 0—0—0—

are stored; he hath loosed the fateful lightning of his

B7 Em Am D7 G

D _____

G 4—2—2—0—

terrible swift sword. His truth is marching on...

G G7 C G

D _____

G 0—0—0—0—5—5—0—0—

Glory, glory, hallelujah! Glory, glory, hallelujah!

G B7 Em Am D7 G

D _____

G 0—0—4—2—0—

Glory, glory, hallelu-jah! His truth is marching on.

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Additional lyrics...

I have seen Him in the watch-fires of a hundred circling camps,
They have builded Him an altar in the evening dews and damps;
I can read His righteous sentence by the dim and flaring lamps:
His day is marching on.

I have read a fiery gospel writ in burnished rows of steel:
"As ye deal with my contemners, so with you my grace shall deal";
Let the Hero, born of woman, crush the serpent with his heel,
Since God is marching on.

He has sounded forth the trumpet that shall never call retreat;
He is sifting out the hearts of men before His judgment-seat;
Oh, be swift, my soul, to answer Him! Be jubilant, my feet!
Our God is marching on.

In the beauty of the lilies Christ was born across the sea,
With a glory in His bosom that transfigures you and me.
As He died to make men holy, let us die to make men free,
While God is marching on.

3-String Chord Forms...

