



MY OWN UNITED STATES

(PATRIOTIC SONG)

FROM
THE AMERICAN SPECTACULAR COMIC OPERA
"WHEN JOHNNY COMES MARCHING HOME"



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Solo 50¢ T Duet 65¢ T
Octavo, All Voices



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Marziale

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand starts with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a common time signature. It begins with a dynamic marking of *f* (forte). The left hand starts with a bass clef and a common time signature. The music is in a march-like style with a tempo marking of 'Marziale'.

The first two lines of the song are shown with vocal and piano parts. The vocal line starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The piano accompaniment is shown in grand staff notation. The first line of music is followed by a repeat sign. The second line of music ends with a dynamic marking of *p* (piano). The lyrics 'My From' are written below the vocal line.

The third and fourth lines of the song are shown with vocal and piano parts. The vocal line starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The piano accompaniment is shown in grand staff notation. The lyrics are: 'na - tive land, my coun - try dear, Where men are e - qual, gold - en youth to sil - ver'd age, Tho' fee - ble feet may'. The piano part includes a dynamic marking of *mf* (mezzo-forte).

The fifth and sixth lines of the song are shown with vocal and piano parts. The vocal line starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The piano accompaniment is shown in grand staff notation. The lyrics are: 'free; lag, For— thee each morn new— love is born, Sweet With— joy each heart bids— age de - part, When'. The piano part includes a dynamic marking of *p* (piano).

land of lib - er - ty. With tears my eyes are
gaz - ing on our flag. The flag that ev - er

cresc.

fill - ing fast, Yes, tears that joy a - waits, With
leads the van, Whose cour - age naught a - bates, The

cresc.

love I cry, "For you I'd die!" My own U - ni - ted States. I
flag of youth, the flag of truth! My own U - ni - ted States.

rit.

Maestoso

love ev - 'ry inch of her prai - rie land, Each stone on her moun - tain side; I

f

love ev - 'ry drop of the wa - ter clear, That flows in her riv - ers

wide. I love ev - 'ry tree, ev - 'ry blade of grass, With

in Co - lum - bi - a's gates! The Queen of the earth is the

land of my birth, My own U - ni - ted States. *D.S.* States.

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My native land, my country dear,
Where men are equal, free;
For thee each morn new love is born,
Sweet land of liberty.
With tears my eyes are filling fast,
Yes, tears that joy awaits,
With love I cry, "For you I'd die!
My own United States!"

I love ev'ry inch of her prairie land,
Each stone on her mountain's side;
I love ev'ry drop of the water clear,
That flows in her rivers wide.
I love ev'ry tree, ev'ry blade of grass,
Within Columbia's gates!
The Queen of the earth is the land of my birth,
My own United States.

From golden youth to silver'd age,
Tho' feeble feet may lag,
With joy each heart bids age depart,
When gazing on our flag.
The flag that ever leads the van,
Whose courage naught abates,
The flag of youth, the flag of truth!
My own United States.

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