



THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER

(Music - -John Stafford Smith) (Lyrics - Francis Scott Key)

1. Oh! say, can you see, by the dawn's early Light,
What so proudly we hail'd at the
twilight's last gleaming,
Whose broad stripes and bright stars,
thro' the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watch'd, were so
gallantly streaming!
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air, Gave
proof thro' the night that our Flag
was still there.
Oh! say, does that Star-spangled Banner yet wave,
O'er the Land of the Free, and the Home of the Brave!

4. Oh, thus be it ever, when Free Men shall stand, between
their loved homes and the war's desolation. Blest with
Victory and Peace, may the Heaven-rescued Land,
Praise the Power that hath made and
preserved us a Nation!
Then conquer we must! for our cause it is just,
And this is our motto – **“In God Is Our Trust”**; And the
Star-spangled Banner in triumph does wave,
O'er the Land of the Free and the Home of the Brave!

