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# Our Flag

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The first system of musical notation consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal line in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). The middle and bottom staves are piano accompaniment in treble and bass clefs, respectively, with the same key signature. The music begins with a treble clef, a key signature of two sharps, and a common time signature. The melody is simple and patriotic, with a range of approximately one octave.

The second system of musical notation continues the piece. It features a vocal line and piano accompaniment. A notable feature is a long, sweeping slur over the vocal line in the second measure, indicating a melisma or a long note. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines.

The third system of musical notation concludes the piece. It shows the final vocal phrase and piano accompaniment. The music ends with a final cadence. There are some handwritten markings, including a 'p' (piano) dynamic marking and a 'ff' (fortissimo) dynamic marking, in the piano part.

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