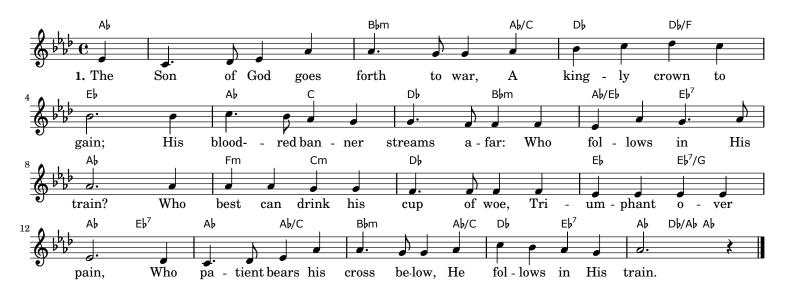
The Son of God goes forth to war

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- 2. The martyr first, whose eagle eye Could pierce beyond the grave, Who saw his Master in the sky, And called to Him to save: Like Him, with pardon on his tongue, In midst of mortal pain, He prayed for them that did the wrong: Who follows in his train?
- 3. A glorious band, the chosen few
 On whom the Spirit came,
 Twelve valiant saints, their hope they knew,
 And mocked the cross and flame.
 They met the tyrant's brandished steel,
 The lion's gory mane,
 They bowed their necks, the death to feel:
 Who follows in their train?

4. A noble army, men and boys,

The matron and the maid,

Around the Savior's throne rejoice,

In robes of light arrayed.

They climbed by strength divine from heaven,

Through peril, toil, and pain:

O God, to us may grace be given

To follow in their train.