

The Son of God goes forth to war

Spiritual Warfare — In the Lord's Train

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(Guitar: Capo 1)

G **Am** **G** **C**
1. The Son of God goes forth to war, A king - ly crown to
D **G** **B** **C** **Am** **G** **D⁷**
gain; His blood- - red ban - ner streams a - far: Who fol - lows in His
G **Em** **Bm** **C** **D** **D⁷**
train? Who best can drink his cup of woe, Tri - um - phant o - ver
G **D⁷** **G** **Am** **G** **C** **D⁷** **G** **C** **G**
pain, Who pa - tient bears his cross below, He fol - lows in His train.

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.