

Conflict today is fierce
Spiritual Warfare — By the Lord's Coming

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(Guitar: Capo 1)

The musical score is written for guitar with a capo on the first fret. It consists of four staves of music in a 4/4 time signature, with a key signature of one flat (B-flat major). The melody is simple and hymn-like. Chord symbols are placed above the notes: D, G, D, A, D, E7, A, E7, A, A7, D, G, E7, A, A7, D, A, D, G, A7, D. The lyrics are: 1. Con - flict to - day is fierce, The strength of Sa - tan more; The cry of bat - tle call - ing now Is loud - er than be - fore. The re - bel voice of hell E'en strong - er now be - comes; But list, the mid - night cry re - sounds, Be - hold, I quick - ly come!

2. Trials more bitter grow,
The fighting doth enlarge;
Hell's forces rally all their pow'rs
And gather for the charge.
Yet while we wait and watch
And feel the war severe,
We hear the joyful song ring out,
Jesus, the Lord, is near!

3. 'Tis harder at the end
The word to testify,
For Satan fights with all his pow'r
Our witness to defy.
Much greater strength we need
The foe to overcome;
How happy when the Lord we see
And all our sighing's done!

4. Who then will forward go
Strong in His mighty power?
Who then will firmly trust the Lord
Until the vict'ry hour;
Till with the conqu'rors blest,
The triumph song's begun?
That man will then rejoice to hear,
Behold, I quickly come!

5. Who then will choose God's best,
And take the narrow track,
Though passing thru the wildest storms,
Yet never turning back?
Who now will dare press on,
Enduring pain and fear?
All such will then rejoice to see
Jesus, the Lord, is near!

6. Though deep the darkness be
We still would onward go,
Till we the day of rapture greet
And glory 'round shall glow.
'Tis there we'll see the Lord,
And Satan overcome;
The overcomers will rejoice,
Jesus, the Lord, has come!