

COLUMBIA THE LAND OF THE BRAVE

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GUITAR.

Columbia, the gem of the ocean, The

home of the brave and the free; The shrine of each patriot's de - votion A

world offers homage to thee Thy mandates make he - ros as - sable When

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li-ber - ty's form stands in view, Thy banners make ty - ranny tremble When  
 borne by the red white and blue, When borne by the red white and blue, When  
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When war winged its wide desolation,  
 And threaten'd the land to deform,  
 The ark then of freedom's foundation  
 Columbia rode safe through the storm;  
 With her garlands of vict'ry around her,  
 When so proudly she bore her brave crew,  
 With her flag proudly floating before her,  
 The boast of the red white and blue.

The wine cup the wine cup bring hither,  
 And fill you it true to the brim,  
 May the wreaths they have won never wither  
 Nor the star of their glory grow dim,  
 May the service united ne'er sever  
 But they to their colours prove true,  
 The Army and Navy for ever,  
 Three cheers for the red white and blue.