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Onward, Christian soldiers

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1. On - ward, Chri - stian sol - diers, mar - ching as to war,
2. At the sign of tri - umph Sa - tan's le - gions flee.
3Crowns and thrones may per - ish, king - doms rise and wane,
4. On - ward, then, you peo - ple, join our hap - py throng;

with the Cross of Je - sus go - ing on be - fore.
On then, Christ - ian sol - diers, on to vic - to - ry!
but the church of Je - sus con - stant will re - main.
blend with ours your voi - ces in the tri - umph song.

Christ the roy - al ma - ster leads a - gainst the foe;
Hell's foun - da - tions qui - ver at the shout of praise;
Gates of hell can ne - ver 'gainst that Church pre - vail;
"Glo - ry, laud and ho - nour un - to Christ the king!"

for - ward in - to bat - tle, see, his ban - ners go:
lift your hearts and voi - ces, loud your an - them raise:
we have Christ's own pro - mise, and that can - not fail:
This through count - less a - ges, we with an - gels sing:

On - ward, Christ - ian sol - diers, mar - ching as to war,
war, war, with the

with the Cross of Je - sus go - ing on be - fore.