

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

Key of F Starting pitch: C $\frac{3}{4}$ time
Intro: C/C/ F F Dm F C/ F/

Music by John Stafford Smith, c. 1773
Lyrics by Francis Scott Key, 1814

C/ F C/ Dm A Dm G/ C

O, say can you see, by the dawn's ear-ly light,

F C F C/ F

What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming,

C/ F C/ Dm A Dm G/ C

Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the peril-ous fight,

C/ C/ F C F C/ F

O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallant - ly streaming?

F C

And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,

F C Dm G/ C

Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there;

F Bb Gm C/ C/ (pause)

O say does that star-spangled banner yet wave

C/ C/ F Dm F C/ F/

O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

C F Dm A G Bb Gm

