

# THE MAPLE LEAF FOR EVER.

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*Con Spirito.*



The vocal part begins with a melodic line in common time, key of C minor. The lyrics are as follows:

- 1. In
- 2. At
- 3. May
- 4. On

The vocal line continues with a melodic line in common time, key of C minor. The lyrics are as follows:

days of yore, from Bri - tain's shore, Wolfe the daunt-less he - ro came, And  
Queens-ton Heights, and Lun - dy's Lane, Our brave Fa - thers, side by side, For  
our Do - min - - ion still ex - tend From Cape Race to Noot - ka Sound; May  
Mer - ry En - - gland's far famed land May kind Hea - ven sweet - ly smile; God

The piano accompaniment continues in common time, key of C minor. It features eighth-note patterns in the right hand and sustained chords in the left hand, providing harmonic support for the vocal line.

plant-ed firm Old En-gland's flag, On Ca-na-da's fair do-main! Here  
free-dom, homes, and loved ones dear, Firm-ly stood, and no-bly died; And  
peace for-ev-er be our lot, And plen-ty in store a-bound; And  
bless Old Scot-land ev-er-more, And Ire-land's Em-er-al-d Isle! Then

may it wave our boast, our pride, And joined in love to-gether, The  
those dear rights which they main-tained, We swear to yield them ne-ver! Our  
may those ties of love be ours Which dis-cord can-not sev-er, And  
swell the song, both loud and long, Till rocks and for-est qui-ter, God

This-tle, Sham-rock, Rose en-twine, The Ma-ple Leaf for-ev-er!  
watch-word ev-er-more shall be The Ma-ple Leaf for-ev-er!  
flour-ish green o'er Free-dom's home, The Ma-ple Leaf for-ev-er!  
save our Queen, and Hea-ven bless The Ma-ple Leaf for-ev-er!

## CHORUS.

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1st.  
TENOR. C

1. The Ma-ple Leaf, our emblem dear, The Ma-ple Leaf for ev-er! The  
2. The Ma-ple Leaf, our emblem dear, The Ma-ple Leaf for ev-er! Our

2nd.  
TENOR. C

3. The Ma-ple Leaf, our emblem dear, The Ma-ple Leaf for ev-er! And  
4. The Ma-ple Leaf, our emblem dear, The Ma-ple Leaf for ev-er! God

BASS. C

PIANO. { f

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watch-word ev - er - more shall be The Ma - ple Leaf for ev - er!

flour - ish green o'er Freedom's home, The Ma - ple Leaf for ev - er!  
save our Queen, and Hea - ven bless; The Ma - ple Leaf for ev - er!

The musical score consists of eight staves. The top four staves are for voices: 1st Tenor (C), 2nd Tenor (C), Bass (C), and Piano. The bottom four staves are for the piano. The vocal parts sing a repeating chorus, while the piano provides harmonic support with sustained chords. The lyrics are integrated into the vocal lines, describing the maple leaf as a symbol of freedom and national identity.