LA MARSEILLAISE
NATIONAL ANTHEM OF FRANCE

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Tempo di marcia

1. Arise, ye children of the nation, The day of glory now is here!
2. Within the tomb ourselves must enter, When all our oldest are at rest;
3. That sacred love, the love of country, Spur on a fresh our eager arms,

See the hosts of dark oppression. Their bloodstained banners rear;
We shall find their dust resting. Trace the virtues each possessing;
And for conquest and for freedom, We dare the vast arms!

Do ye not heed? roaring the seest, Trace the virtues each possess;
Then, then shall we, jealous of harms! Speedily then, crowning he-

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ty·rant's go, 'Scat·ter·ing homes and peace; Our
hon·our yet, Shrink not to share their grave, For
ro·tic deed, Tri·umph shall lift each head, And

sons, our comrades face the foe, The wounds of war in·crease.
pride, o'er·con·ing vain re·gret, A·venge·es still the brave!
our one flag fly proudly o'er The liv·ing and the dead!

To arms! Ye warriors all! Your bold bat·tal·ions call! March

on, ye free, Death shall be ours Or glo·rious lib·er·ty

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