The Star Spangled Banner

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

proud - ly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming. Who's broad stripes and bright

stars through the per - i - lous fight. O'er the ram - parts we watched were so

gal - lant - ly stream - ing. And the rock - et's red glare, the bombs burst - ing in
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C        G        D    G       A       D       G

air gave proof through the night that our flag was still there. O say does that

D         A         D         A        D        A        D

star spangled ban - ner - yet - wave O'er the land - of

D         A         D         A        D        A        D

the free and the home of the brave.

D         A         D         A        D        A        D

Original music "To Anacreon in Heaven" (a.k.a. "The Anacreontic Song") by John Stafford Smith in the 1770s

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