

# Service songs as they appear in Armed Forces Salute (Bob Lowden)

## ARMY

*The Caisson Song (key of Eb)*

*Verse:*

First to fight for the right,  
And to build the Nation's might,  
And The Army Goes Rolling Along  
Proud of all we have done,  
Fighting till the battle's won,  
And the Army Goes Rolling Along.

*Refrain:*

Then it's Hi! Hi! Hey!  
The Army's on its way.  
Count off the cadence loud and strong  
(*TWO! THREE!*)  
For where e'er we go,  
You will always know  
That The Army Goes Rolling Along.

## COAST GUARD

*Semper Paratus (key of Ab)*

*slowly for the first 4 lines*

So here's the Coast Guard marching song,  
We sing on land or sea.  
Through surf and storm and howling gale,  
High shall our purpose be.  
"Semper Paratus" is our guide,  
Our fame, our glory too.  
To fight to save or fight to die,  
Aye! Coast Guard, we are for you!

## THE MARINES' HYMN

*(key of F)*

From the Halls of Montezuma  
To the Shores of Tripoli;  
We fight our country's battles  
In the air, on land and sea;  
First to fight for right and freedom  
And to keep our honor clean;  
We are proud to claim the title  
of United States Marine.  
*(ni-ted-states-ma-rine will ascend "sol sol la ti do")*

## THE AIR FORCE SONG

*The U.S. Air Force (key of Eb)*

Off we go into the wild blue yonder,  
Climbing high into the sun;  
Here they come zooming to meet our thunder,  
At 'em boys, Give 'er the gun!  
*(Give 'er the gun now!)*  
Down we dive, spouting our flame from under,  
Off with one helluva roar!  
We live in fame or go down in flame. Hey!  
Nothing'll stop the U.S. Air Force!

## NAVY

*Anchors Aweigh (key of C)*

Anchors Aweigh, my boys,  
Anchors Aweigh.  
Farwell to foreign shores,  
We sail at break of day-ay-ay-ay.  
Through our last night ashore,  
Drink to the foam,  
Until we meet once more.  
Here's wishing you a happy voyage home.