

Charles Wesley, 1749  
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# Christian Soldier

D Major  
Daniel Read, 1804  
(Revised 1807)

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Tr.  
C.  
T.  
B.

1. Soldiers of Christ, arise And put your armor on; Strong in the strength which God supplies, Through His eternal Son. Strong in the Lord of Hosts, And

5 10 15 20

Detailed description: This is the first system of a musical score for the hymn 'Christian Soldier'. It consists of four staves: Treble (Tr.), Cello (C.), Tenor (T.), and Bass (B.). The music is in D major (two sharps) and common time (C). The lyrics for the first line are: '1. Soldiers of Christ, arise And put your armor on; Strong in the strength which God supplies, Through His eternal Son. Strong in the Lord of Hosts, And'. Measure numbers 5, 10, 15, and 20 are indicated above the Treble staff.

Tr.  
C.  
T.  
B.

1. in his mighty power; Who in the strength of Jesus trusts Is more than conqueror. Who in the strength of Jesus trusts Is more than conqueror.

25 30 35

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Detailed description: This is the second system of the musical score. It continues the four-staff format (Tr., C., T., B.). The lyrics for the second line are: '1. in his mighty power; Who in the strength of Jesus trusts Is more than conqueror. Who in the strength of Jesus trusts Is more than conqueror.'. Measure numbers 25, 30, and 35 are indicated above the Treble staff. A triplet of eighth notes is marked with a '3' in the Bass staff at the end of the system.

2. Stand then in His great might,  
With all His strength ended.  
And take, to arm you for the fight,  
The panoply of God.  
From strength to strength go on  
And wrestle, fight and pray;  
Tread all the powers of darkness down  
And win the well-fought day.

3. Leave no unguarded place,  
No weakness of the soul;  
Take every virtue, every grace.  
And fortify the whole;  
That having all things done,  
And all your conflicts past,  
Ye may overcome through Christ alone  
And stand complete at last.