

Keep on the Firing Line

EPHESIANS 6:13

attr. to Howard Haney, bef.1927

American melody; arr. by Alphus LeFevre

1. If you're in the bat-tle for the Lord and right,
2. God will on-ly use the sol-dier He can trust, Keep on the fir-ing line;
3. When we get to heav-en, bro-ther, we'll be glad,

If you win, my bro-ther, sure-ly you must fight,
If you'll wear a crown then bear the cross you must, Keep on the fir-ing line.
How we'll praise the Sav-ior for the call we had,

There are man-y dan-gers that we all must face, If we die still fight-ing it is no dis-grace;
Life is but to la-bor for the Mas-ter dear, Help to ban-ish e-vil and to spread good cheer;
When we see the souls that we have helped to win, Lead-ing them to Je-sus, from the paths of sin,

Cow-ards in the ser-vice will not find a place,
Great you'll be re-ward-ed for your ser-vice here, So keep on the fir-ing line.
With a shout of wel-come, we will all march in,

Refrain

Oh, you must fight, be brave a-gainst all e-vil, Nev-er run, nor e-ven lag be-hind;

If you would win for God and the right, Just keep on the fir-ing line.