Am I a Soldier of the Cross?

Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong. 1 Cor. 16:13

1. Am I a soldier of the cross, A follower of the Lamb?
2. Must I be carried to the skies On flow'ry beds of ease,
3. Are there no foes for me to face? Must I not stem the flood?
4. Sure I must fight if I would reign; Increase my courage, Lord;
5. Thy saints in all this glorious war Shall conquer, though they die;
6. When that glorious day shall rise, And all Thy armies shine

And shall I fear to own His cause, Or blush to speak His name?
While others fought to win the prize, And sailed through bloody seas?
Is this vile world a friend to grace, To help me on to God?
I'll bear the toil, endure the pain, Support ed by Thy Word.
They see the triumph from afar, By faith's discerning eye.
In robes of victory through the skies, The glory shall be Thine.