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*for (Unison) Voice(s) and Piano*

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(Our New Hymn)  
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Morris Rosenfeld  
(1862–1923)

Music by  
Henry A. Russotto  
(1871–1928)

**Maestoso**  
*f*

Voice(s)

1. Be thou, New World, by Heav-en blest! Thy thresh-hold doth on\_ free-dom rest. A -  
2. Thou sanc - tu - ar - y of the earth! Thy voice to men has\_ sa - cred worth, Like  
3. A - midst thy can-non's crash I hear The voice of free- dom call - ing clear. I

**Maestoso**  
*f*

Piano

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me - ri - ca, thou hast my love; And if my val - or\_ thou wouldst prove, And  
that which did from Si - nai sound. Thy ev - ery span is\_ sa - cred ground. What  
bless thy hosts on land and sea, God's chos - en home of lib - er - ty! The

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ask my life as sac - ri - fice, It shall be yield - ed in\_ a\_ trice. No  
scep - tre and what throne shall dare With thy bright ban - ner to\_ com - pare! No  
waves roar hymns to thee\_ my\_ land! Thou'rt led by the Cre - a - tor's\_ hand. Glad

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where-fore and no\_ why I ask; I shall o - bey what - e'er the task.  
oth - er friend but\_ thine I know; Thy foe - I hate him - is my foe!  
ech - oes from thy\_ ev - ery hill With praise of thee set worlds a - thrill.

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Thy wish is ho - ly, - thy com-mand, I deem as writ by God's own hand. With

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thee in peace, with\_ thee in strife, Blest nour - ish - er of\_ free-dom's life! I

*Andante*  
*mf*

*Andante*  
*mf*

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am with\_ thee, with thee, with\_ thee; Yea, thou art pre - cious un - to me.

*f a tempo* *rit.*

*f* *a tempo* *rit.*

\* The lower notes are *ossia*.

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