

Forward! be our watchword (revised)

Glorying in the Cross — Defying Every Blast

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(Guitar: Capo 3)

D A D G A

1. "For - ward!" be our watch - word, Steps and voic - es joined;

G A A⁷ D

Seek the things be - fore us, Not a look be - hind;

D B⁷ Em A

Burns the fier - y pil - lar At our ar - my's head;

A A⁷ D A A⁷ D G D

Who shall dream of shrink - ing, By our Cap - tain led?

For - ward through the de - sert, Through the toil and fight;

Heav - en's king - dom waits us, For - ward in - to light.

2. Glories upon glories
Hath our God prepared,
By the souls that love Him,
One day to be shared:
Eye hath not beheld them,
Ear hath never heard;
Nor of these hath uttered
Thought or speech or word;
Forward, marching forward
Where the kingdom's bright,
Till the veil be lifted,
Till our faith be sight!

3. Forward! Day is dawning;
City is in view!
Heavenly Jerus'lem
Soon we'll taste anew.
On! To freedom's glory,
Glorious crown to wear;
Co-kings with Christ Jesus,
Rule and reign fore'er.
Forward! To the finish,
Still the course maintain;
By His mighty power,
Forward! Kingdom gain!