

Lyrics
William Cowper

Toll For The Brave

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Loss of The Royal George
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mf

Soprano
1. Toll for the Brave, the brave - that - are no - more, all sunk be - neath the

Alto
2. Toll for the Brave, Brave Kem - pen - felt is gone, his last sea fight is

Tenor
3. Weigh the vessel up, Once drea - ded by our foes, and min - gle with the

Bass

S
waves fast by - their - na - tive - shore. Eight hun - dred of the brave whose

A
fought, His - work of glo - ry done. it was not in the batle No

T
cup the tears that Eng - land owes. Her tim - bers yet sre sound and

B

S
co - rage well was tried, had made the ves - sel heel and laid her on her

A
tem - pest gave the shock, - she sprang no fa - tal leak she ran up - on no

T
she may float a - gain, full charge with Eng - lands thunder - and plough the dis - tant

B

p

S side. A land - breeze shook the - shrouds as she was o - ver set. Down

A rock. His sward was in its sheath his fin - gers held the pen. When

T main. But Kem - pen - felt is gone, his vic - tor - ies are o'er. And

B

mp
ff Repeat last time only

S went the Roy - al George with all her crew com - plete. Toll for the Brave, the

A Kem pen felt went down with twice four hun - dred men. Toll for the Brave, the

T he and his eight hundred must plough the waves no more. Toll for the Brave, the

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S²⁷ Brave - that are no more, All sunk be - neath the waves fast by their na - tive - shore.

A Brave that are no more, All sunk be - neath the waves fast by their na - tive shore.

T Brave that are no more. All sunk be - neath the waves fast by their na - tive shore.

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