## **God of Our Fathers**

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God of our fathers, whose almighty hand Leads forth in beauty all the starry band Of shining worlds in splendor through the skies Our grateful songs before Your throne arise.

Your love divine has led us in the past, In this free land by You our lot is cast, Be now our Ruler, Guardian, Guide and Stay, Your Word our law, You paths our chosen way.

From war's alarms, from deadly pestilence, Let Your strong arm be now our sure defense; Your true religion in our hearts increase, Your bounteous goodness nourish us in peace.

Refresh Your people on our weary way, Lead us from night to never ending day; Fill all our lives with love and grace divine, All glory, laud, and praise be ever Thine.

**Bible Verse:** Oh Lord, God of our fathers, are You not God in heaven? You rule over all the kingdoms of the nations. In Your hand are power and might, so that none is able to withstand You. 2 Chronicles 20:6

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