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THE OLD GUARD

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The musical score is presented in six systems, each with a treble and bass staff. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 2/4. The lyrics are printed below the notes.

A health to the old guard boys, A health to the brave
old guard, Who dared to march in the ranks of truth
In times when the way was hard. Who brave - ly stood
for the peo - ple's cause, And made that cause their
own, In days before it had won applause, In days when they stood alone.

A health to the old guard boys,
A health to the brave old guard,
Who gave their time and their life and means,
With hope of no reward.
Who battled long 'gainst Mammon's might,
Like veterans true and tried,
Who dared to fight for love of right,
'Tho they fought on the losing side.

A health to the old guard boys,
A health to the brave old guard,
We little know how much we owe,
To these veterans battle scarred;
But when the fight is won at last,
The world will place each name
Away up high for future's eye,
On the deathless roll of fame.