

# Hail!

## A Hymn to Belgium

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**Moderato sostenuto** ( )  
 ♩ = 62  
*mf*

Voice

1. Men of Bel - gium! Hon - our's own! Ye whosaved the Ho - ly Grail, Ye whodied for

**Moderato sostenuto**  
*mf*

Piano

6 *f* *mf*  
 Free - dom's Crown, Hail, ye brave, for ev - er: hail! 2. Wives of Bel - gium! who to Death

11 *f*  
 Paid the toll of Mo - ther's wail, Bound with wid - owed sor - row's wreath The brows of Death, ye

16 *p* *p*  
 dear saints: hail! 3. Maids of Bel - gium! ye whogazed At worse than sul - len Death, and pale In

*sempre p*

N.B. — If it is desired to sing this as a simple Hymn, the Melody of the 3rd verse should be omitted and the words sung to the opening eight bars, as in the 1st and 2nd verses.

2

21

ter - ror, yet with eyes un - dazed, — Smiled on at Hope - ye sweet - hearts: Hail! — Maids of

*cres.* *mf*

25

Bel - gium! Sweet - hearts, Hail! 4. Land of Bel - gium! earth and sky For ev - er - more shall

*poco rall.* *Grandioso*

*poco rall.* *f* *rall.* *f* *trullioso*

30

tell thy tale. The morn - ing comes! Thou shalt not die! Hail! Thou Sad Im - mor - tal: Hail!

*sempre* *f*

*sempre* *f*

35 *molto ff marcato*

Hail! Thou Sad Im - mor - tal: Hail!

*molto ff marcato* *ff* *Red.*