

Lift Up Your Shield

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The image shows two staves of musical notation. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 4/4 time signature. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are written below the staff: "Lift up your shield my broth - er, Lift up your shield my friend! For". The second staff continues the melody with similar note values. The lyrics are: "if you love your free - dom dear - ly, We must go to war a - gain." The piece ends with a double bar line.

*Lift up your shield my brother,
Lift up your shield my friend!
For if you love your freedom dearly,
We must go to war again.*

Charles the Bald is coming hither,
He brings with him ten thousand men!
And if he has his way, my brother,
We will serve a Frankish king!

Chorus

Brittany has outlived Caesar,
Brittany outlasted Rome,
And if She is to outlive Charles
We must march with Nomenoe!

Chorus

Saxons drove us from one homeland,
Norsemen came to steal and burn!
If Charles the second wants our country,
He must pay in blood and bone!

Chorus