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TO  
Mr. Elbridge G. B. Holder.

We parted with a  
cheerful smile,

OR  
THE SOLDIERS RETURN.

SONG WITH CHORUS.

Sung by  
ROLLIN HOWARD.

(Bryants Minstrels.)

Written by

Music composed by

WM. H. MORRIS. M. KELLER

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"WE PARTED WITH A CHEERFUL SMILE"  
OR  
THE SOLDIER'S RETURN.



Words by WM. H. MORRIS.

Music by M. KELLER.

Moderato.

I. We  
I. When,

part - ed with a cheer - ful smile      When last I press'd her  
ga - zing at the glimm' ring stars      And rest - ing on the

hand, To fol - low to the bat - tle field The  
ground, While sol - diers, wea - ried by the march, Are

ban - ner of our land. Her glow - ing glance in  
slum - ber - ing a - round: How oft, to hold that

mem - o - ry Un - ceas - ing - ly will burn - ..... For  
lit - tle hand And hear her vows, I yearn, ..... ]

well I know, she will be - stow The same, when I re - turn.

CHORUS.

AIR. *p*

Her glow - ing glance in mem - o - ry Un - ceas - ing - ly will

ALTO. *p*

TENOR. *p*

BASS. *p*

PIANO.

*f* Rit. *p* A Tempo. *f*

burn - For well I know, she will be - stow The same, when I re - turn.

*f* Rit. *p* A Tempo. *f*

burn - For well I know, she will be - stow The same, when I re - turn.

*f* Rit. *p* A Tempo. *f*

PIANO.

Clayton.