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Cecil Spring-Rice

# I vow to thee, my country

Melody by Gustav Holst  
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1. I vow to thee, my count-ry, all earth-ly thing a - bove, en - tire and whole and  
2. But there's an-oth - er coun- try I've heard of long a - go, most dear to them that

per - fect, the ser-vice of my love, the love that asks no quest-ion, the  
love her, most great to them that know, we may not count her arm - ies, we

love that stands the test, that lays u-pon the al - tar the dear-est and the  
may not see her King, her fort-ress is a faith-ful heart, her pride is suf-fer -

best, the love that ne-ver fault - ers, the love that pays the price, the  
ing, and soul by soul and si-lent-ly her shi - ning bounds in - crease, and her

love that makes un - daunt - ed the fi - nal sac - ri - fice.  
ways are ways of gen - tle - ness and all her paths are peace.

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