

A Strike Song (1917)

A chorus song of the English Transport Workers published in the Wingham Chronicle and Manning River Observer in 1917

Verse



We meet to-day in Free-dom's cause, And raise our voic - es high,



We'll join our hands in u - nion strong, To batt - le or to die.

Chorus



Hold the fort, for we are com - ing, U - nion men be strong;



Side by side we batt - le on - ward, Vict - or - y will come.

Look, my comrades, see the Union,
Banners waving high;
Reinforcements now appearing,
Victory is nigh.

See our numbers still increasing,
Hear the bugle blow;
By our Union we shall triumph
Over every foe.

Fierce and long the battle rages,
But we will not fear;
Help will come whene'er its needed,
Cheer, my Comrades, cheer.