

# Not in Vain the Distance Beacons

$\text{♩} = 69$   $A\flat$   $A\flat E\flat 7$   $A\flat E\flat 7 A\flat$   $E\flat A\flat A\flat$   $E\flat$




1. Not in vain the dis-tance bea-cons. For-ward, for-ward let us range.  
 2. Oh, we see the cres-cent prom-ise of that spir-it has not set;  
 3. Yea, we dip in - to the fut-ure, far as hu-man eye can see,

5  $A\flat$   $A\flat E\flat 7$   $A\flat E\flat 7 A\flat$   $G\dim A\flat$




Let the great world spin for - ev - er down the ring - ing  
 an - cient founts of in - spi - ra - tion well through all our  
 see the vi - sion of the world, and all the won - der

8  $E\flat 7$   $A\flat$   $E\flat$   $A\flat$   $E\flat$   $A\flat$




grooves of change; through the shad - ow of the globe we  
 fan - cies yet; and we doubt not through the a - ges  
 that shall be, hear the war - drum throb no long - er,

11  $E\flat 7$   $C7$   $Fm$   $B\flat 7$   $E\flat$   $A\flat$   $A\flat$   $D\flat$   $A\flat 7$



sweep a - head to heights sub - lime, we, the heirs of  
 one in - creas - ing pur - pose runs, and the thoughts of  
 see the bat - tle flags all furled, in the par - lia -

14  $D\flat$   $\text{sus}$   $B\flat$   $m$   $D\flat$   $\text{sus}$   $B\flat$   $m$   $A\flat$   $E\flat 7$   $A\flat$   $E\flat 7$   $A\flat$



all the a - ges, in the fore - most files of time.  
 all are wid - ened with the pro - cess of the suns.  
 -ment of free - dom, fed - er - a - tion of the world.