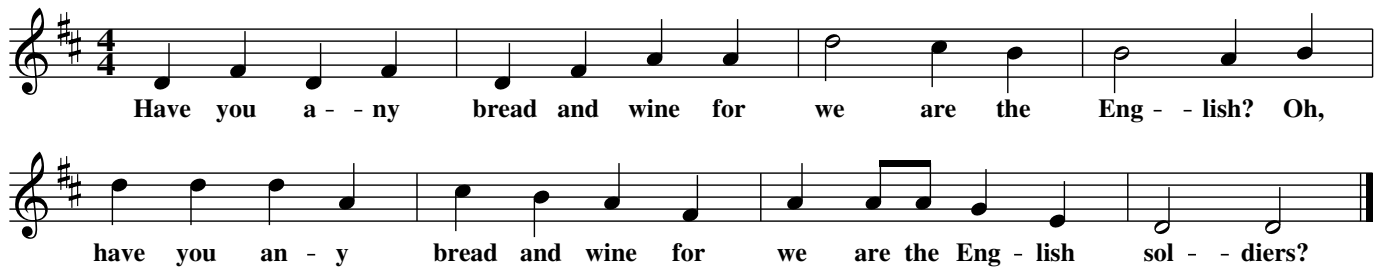


Roman Soldiers



Yes! we have some bread and wine,
For we are the Romans.

Will you give us some of it?

No! We won't give you of it.

Then we'll tell our Captain.

We don't care for your Captain or you.

Then we will tell our King.

We don't care for your King or you.

Then we'll set our guns on you.

We don't care for your guns or you.

Are you ready for a fight?

Yes we're ready for a fight,

Shoot! Bang! Fire! (both shout, pointing arms etc.)

General scrummage.

Source: Sung by children at Stanton School. Collected by Cecil Sharp 8/04/1909.

Notes: Sharp noted only the tune and a few words of this song. The remainder have been supplied from a Stow-on-the-Wold version.