

Hero Of War
Rise Against

E |-----2/4-2-----
B |-----5---5---5---5--4-----5-4-----
G |-----4---4---4---4-----
D |-----4-----
A |-----2-----
E |---5-----

 E G#m
He said Son, have you seen the world?
 A9 E
Well, what would you say if I said that you could?
 A9 E
Just carry this gun and you ll even get paid.
 B
I said That sounds pretty good.

E |-----
B |----4-4-4-4-4-5-5-5-5-4-----
G |----4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-----
D |-----
A |-----
E |-----

 E
Black leather boots
 G#m
Spit-shined so bright
 A9 E
They cut off my hair but it looked alright
 A9
We marched and we sang
 E
We all became friends
 B
As we learned how to fight

 C#m A9 E B
E |-----
B |----5~-----5~-----5~-----4~-----
G |--6-----4-----4-----4-----
D |-6-----7-----6-----4-----
A |-----
E |-----

C#m
 A hero of war
 A9
 Yeah that s what I ll be
 E
 And when I come home
 B
 They ll be damn proud of me
 C#m
 I ll carry this flag
 A9
 To the grave if I must
 E
 Cause it s a flag that I love
 B
 And a flag that I trust
 E
 I kicked in the door
 G#m
 I yelled my commands
 A9
 The children, they cried
 E
 But I got my man
 A9
 We took him away
 E
 A bag over his face
 B
 From his family and his friends
 E
 They took off his clothes
 G#m
 They pissed in his hands
 A9
 I told them to stop
 E
 But then I joined in
 A9
 We beat him with guns
 E
 And batons not just once
 B
 But again and again

	C#m	A9	E	B
E	-----	-----	-----	-----
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G	-----6-----	4-----	4-----	4-----
D	-----6-----	7-----	6-----	4-----

A |-----
E |-----

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E G#m
She walked through bullets and haze
A9
I asked her to stop
E
I begged her to stay
A9
But she pressed on
E
So I lifted my gun
B
And I fired away

Riff:

E |---7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-5-4-5-5-5-7-4-4-4-5-----
B |----5-5-5-5-4-4-4-4-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-4-4-4-4-5-5-5-5-4-4---
G |-----4---
D |-----
A |-----
E |-----

E G#m
And the shells jumped through the smoke
A9
And into the sand
E
That the blood now had soaked
A9 E
She collapsed with a flag in her hand
B
A flag white as snow

C#m
A hero of war
A9
Is that what they see
E
Just medals and scars
B
So damn proud of me
C#m
And I brought home that flag
A9
Now it gathers dust
E
But it s a flag that I love
B
It s the only flag I trust

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A9 E
Well what would you say, if I said that you could?