

Empire Battle Anthem

lyrics by Daisy Abbot and Jude Reid

music very roughly based on Debochadan
by Severa Nazarkhan, from her album Sen



1. I am the spear that's swift to strike in anger, I am the
shield that turns all foes a-way, I am the walls raised high a-against the
darkness, Standing fast un-til the day. One voice, one peo-ple and one
Empire, One throne and one loy-al-ty. One will, to drive us e-ver
on-ward, One glor-ious de-sti-ny.

2.

I am the iron quarried from the mountains
Forged in fire till only steel remains
I am the wind that gives the Empire breath and life
I am the quick blood in its veins.

Chorus

3.

I am the flame that burns inside the Empire's heart
I am the earth's great bones, steadfast and sure
I am the bonds that hold us fast in fellowship
That forever will endure

Chorus (x2)