# Elbows Up Canada!

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**INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 /**

**[G]** **/** **[D]** **/** **[Em]** **/** **[C]** **/**

**[G]** **/** **[D]** **/** **[C] / [C]**

We’ve worked these **[G]** lands **[G]**

We’ve built this **[D]** dream **[D]**

From coast to **[Em]** coast, we **[C]** stand as a **[C]** team **[C]**

They try to **[G]** shake us **[G]**

They raise the **[D]** stakes **[D]**

But we won’t **[Em]** break, no **[C]** we won’t **[G]** break **[G]****↓**

From the mountains **[G]** high **[G]**

To the ocean **[D]** wide **[D]**

We raise our **[Em]** voices **[C]** side by side **[G] / [G]**

They can **[C]** push, they can **[D]** pull, but we won’t **[Em]** fall **[Em]**

We stand as **[C]** one **[D]** we stand tall **[G]** **/** **[G]**

**CHORUS:**

Elbows **[G]** up! We **[D]** rise together

**[Em]** Standing **[C]** strong through stormy **[G]** weather

Side by **[D]** side we won’t back **[C]** down

We wear the **[C]** red, we own this **[G]** ground

Elbows **[D]** up, let’s hold the **[Em]** line

Hearts on **[C]** fire, our spirits **[G]** shine

No re-**[D]**treat, we know our **/** **[Em]** worth **[Bm]** **/** **[C]↓**

This is our **[Am]** home, this **[D]** is our **[G]** turf **[D]** **/** **[Em]** **/** **[C]**

They can **[G]** tax, they can **[G]** take

They can’t steal **[D]** pride **[D]**

We’ve got the **[Em]** north, we **[C]** stand uni-**[C]**fied **[C]**

Maple **[G]** leaves, high **[G]** fists in the **[D]** sky **[D]**

We’ll keep on **[Em]** fighting ‘til the **[D]** day we die **[G]** **/** **[G]↓**

**BRIDGE:**

We are **[Em]** strong, we are **[C]** strong

We be-**[G]**long, we be-**[D]**long

Raise your **[Em]** voice, make it **[C]** loud

We are **[D]** Canada, we stand **[D]↓** proud

**CHORUS:**

Elbows **[G]** up! We **[D]** rise together

**[Em]** Standing **[C]** strong through stormy **[G]** weather

Side by **[D]** side we won’t back **[C]** down

We wear the **[C]** red, we own this **[G]** ground

Elbows **[D]** up, let’s hold the **[Em]** line

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This is our **[Am]** home, this **[D]** is our **[G]** turf **[D]** **/** **[Em]** **/** **[C]**

Elbows **[G]↓** up, stand **[D]↓** tall

Canada’s **[Em]↓** strong, we’ll never **[C]↓** fall

**[G]** **/** **[D]** **/** **[Em]** **/** **[C]** **/** **[G]↓**

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