

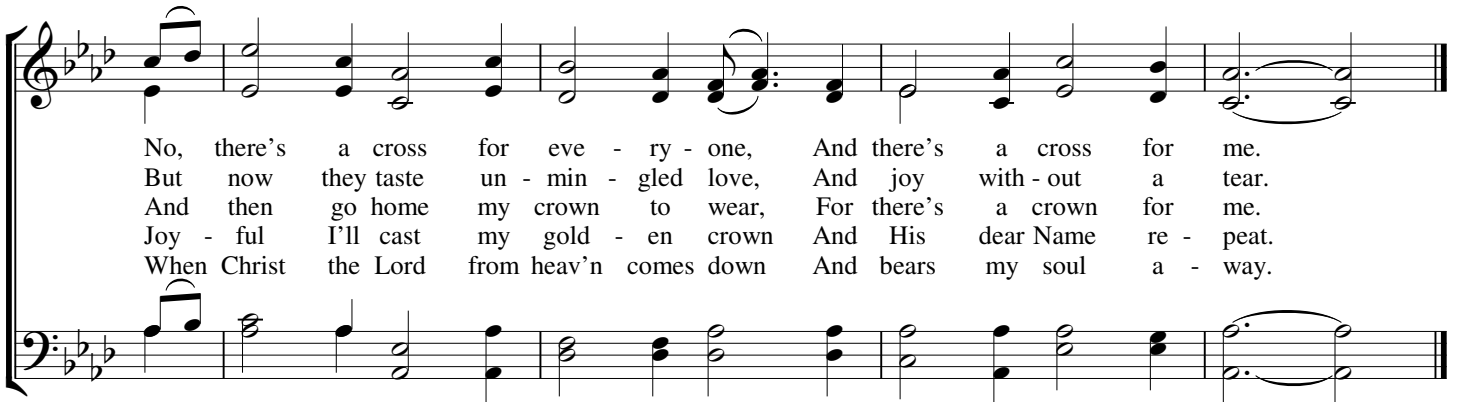
Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone?

MATTHEW 16:24
Thomas Shepherd, *pub.*1693 *

MAITLAND
George N. Allen, *pub.*1844



1. Must Je - sus bear the cross a - lone, And all the world go free?
2. How hap - py are the saints a - bove, Who once went sor - r'wing here!
3. The con - se - crat - ed cross I'll bear Till death shall set me free;
4. Up - on the crys - tal pave - ment down At Je - sus' pierc - ed feet,
5. O pre - cious cross! O glo - rious crown! O re - sur - rec - tion day!



No, there's a cross for eve - ry - one, And there's a cross for me.
But now they taste un - min - gled love, And joy with - out a tear.
And then go home my crown to wear, For there's a crown for me.
Joy - ful I'll cast my gold - en crown And His dear Name re - peat.
When Christ the Lord from heav'n comes down And bears my soul a - way.

*v. 2 Unknown; v. 3 G. N. A., *pub.*1844; v. 4-5 Henry W. Beecher, *pub.*1855

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