

# The Old Rugged Cross

and being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, becoming obedient even unto death, yea, the death of the cross. - Phil. 2:8

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1. On a hill far a - way stood an old rug-ged cross, The  
2. Oh, that old rug-ged cross, so de - spised by the world, Has a  
3. In the old rug-ged cross, stained with blood so di - vine, A  
4. To the old rug-ged cross I will ev - er be true, Its

em - blem of suf - f'ring and shame, And I  
won - drous at - trac - tion for me; For the  
won - drous beau - ty I see, For 'twas  
shame and re - proach glad - ly bear; Then He'll

love that old cross where the Dear - est and Best For a  
dear Lamb of God left His Glo - ry a - bove, To  
on that old cross Je - sus suf - fered and died, To  
call me some day to my home far a - way, Where His

*Chorus*  
world of lost sin - ners was slain.  
bear it to dark Cal - va - ry. So I'll  
par - don and sanc - ti - fy me.  
glo - ry for - ev - er I'll share.

cher - ish the old rug - ged cross, \_\_\_\_\_ Till my  
cross the old rug - ged cross,

tro - phies at last I lay down; I will cling to the old rug - ged  
cross, the

cross, \_\_\_\_\_ And ex - change it some day for a crown.  
old rug - ged cross,