

The Old Rugged Cross



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 that 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 love that old cross where the
 won - drous at - trac - tion for me; For the dear Lamb of God left His
 won - drous beau - ty I see, For 'twas on that old cross Je - sus
 shame and re - proach glad - ly bear; Then He'll call me some - day to my



dear - est and best For a world of lost sin - ners was slain.
 glo - ry a - bove To bear it to dark Cal - va - ry.
 suf - fered and died, To par - don and sanc - ti - fy me.
 home far a - way, Where His glo - ry for - ev - er I'll share.



So I'll cher-ish the old rug-ged cross,— Till my tro-phies at last I lay down;



I will cling to the old rug-ged cross,— And exchange it some-day for a crown.