

The Way of the Cross

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Luke 9:23 "...If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me."

1. The way of the Cross means sac - ri - fice,
2. As the voice of song and prayer we raise,
3. Do you fal-ter then, or, true to death,
4. 'Tis the place of life— for you die to live,

As to God you yield your all;
How ea - sy to say, "We give all!"
Just die on the Cross in The Way,
One with Je - sus cru - ci - fied;

To be laid on the al - tar, the place of death,
Till some rough-er cross lies just be - fore,
Till the ful - ness of life from the Liv - ing, One
With the life a - lone to be lived thro' you,

Where fire will sure - ly fall.
And stern - er is du - ty's call.
Is fill - ing you day by day?
Of the ris - en, the glo - ri - fied!

Chorus

'Tis the way of the Cross! are you will-ing for this?

What does bear-ing the Cross mean to you?

You who've giv-en your-self, your all, to God!

To God are you whol - ly true?