

And this I swear to all

## Fill in the gaps

## Don't carry it all by The Decemberists

Here we come to a (1)	of the season	And this I swear to all
Witness to the arc towards the sun		And there a wreath of trillium and ivy
And neighbors' blessed burden within reason		Laid upon the body of a boy
Becomes a (2) bo	rn of all and one	Lazy Will the long come from its high beam
And nobody, nobody knows		Return (5) quiet searcher to the soil
Let the yoke fall from our shoulders		So raise a glass to turnings of the season
Don't (3) it all, don't carry it all		And watch it as it arcs towards the sun
We are all our hands and holders		And you (6) bear
Beneath this bold and brilliant sun		your neighbor's burden (7) reason
And this I swear to all		And your labors will be born when all is done
Monument to build beneath the arbors		And nobody, nobody knows
Upon a plinth that towers towards the trees		Let the yoke fall (8) our shoulders
But every vessel pitching hard to starboard		Don't carry it all, don't carry it all
Lay its head on summer's freckled knees		We are all our hands and holders
And nobody, nobody knows		Beneath this bold and brilliant sun
Let the yoke fall from our shoulder	S	And this I (9) to all
Don't carry it all, don't (4)	it all	And this I swear to all
We are all our hands and holders		And this I swear to all
Beneath this hold and brilliant sun		



- 1. turning
- 2. burden
- 3. carry
- 4. carry
- 5. this
- 6. must
- 7. within
- 8. from
- 9. swear

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