



## Fill in the gaps

### Don't carry it all by The Decemberists

Here we (1)\_\_\_\_\_ to a turning of the season  
Witness to the arc towards the sun  
And neighbors' blessed (2)\_\_\_\_\_ within reason  
(3)\_\_\_\_\_ a burden (4)\_\_\_\_\_ of all and one  
And nobody, nobody knows  
Let the yoke fall from our shoulders  
Don't carry it all, don't carry it all  
We are all our (5)\_\_\_\_\_ and holders  
(6)\_\_\_\_\_ this (7)\_\_\_\_\_ and brilliant sun  
And (8)\_\_\_\_\_ I swear to all  
Monument to build beneath the arbors  
Upon a (9)\_\_\_\_\_ that (10)\_\_\_\_\_ towards  
the trees  
But every vessel pitching hard to starboard  
Lay its head on summer's freckled knees  
And nobody, nobody knows  
Let the yoke fall from our shoulders  
Don't carry it all, don't (11)\_\_\_\_\_ it all  
We are all our hands and holders  
Beneath this bold and brilliant sun  
And this I swear to all

And (12)\_\_\_\_\_ I swear to all  
And there a wreath of trillium and ivy  
Laid upon the (13)\_\_\_\_\_ of a boy  
Lazy Will the (14)\_\_\_\_\_ come (15)\_\_\_\_\_ its  
(16)\_\_\_\_\_ beam  
Return this quiet searcher to the soil  
So (17)\_\_\_\_\_ a glass to (18)\_\_\_\_\_ of  
the season  
And watch it as it arcs towards the sun  
And you (19)\_\_\_\_\_ bear  
your neighbor's burden within reason  
And (20)\_\_\_\_\_ (21)\_\_\_\_\_ (22)\_\_\_\_\_ be  
born when all is done  
And nobody, nobody knows  
Let the yoke (23)\_\_\_\_\_ from our shoulders  
Don't carry it all, don't carry it all  
We are all our hands and holders  
Beneath this bold and brilliant sun  
And (24)\_\_\_\_\_ I (25)\_\_\_\_\_ to all  
And this I swear to all  
And (26)\_\_\_\_\_ I swear to all



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### Answer

1. come
2. burden
3. Becomes
4. born
5. hands
6. Beneath
7. bold
8. this
9. plinth
10. towers
11. carry
12. this
13. body
14. long
15. from
16. high
17. raise
18. turnings
19. must
20. your
21. labors
22. will
23. fall
24. this
25. swear
26. this