

Take Up Your Cross

1. "Take up your cross," the Sa - vior said, "If you would My
 2. Take up your cross; let not its weight Fill your weak spi -
 3. Take up your cross, heed not the shame; Let not your foo -
 4. Take up your cross and fol - low Christ; Think not till death

dis - ci - ple be; De - ny your - self, the world for - sake,
 rit with a - larm; His strength shall bear your spi - rit up,
 lish pride re - bel; The Lord for us the cross en - dured,
 to lay it down; For on - ly those who bear the cross

and hum - bly fol - low af - ter Me."
 And brace your heart and nerve your arm.
 To save our souls from death and hell.
 May hope to wear the glo - rious crown.

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