

The Old Rugged Cross

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Ukes in G

6/8 Time

Intro

G - 6 C - 6 G - 3 D7 - 3 G - 6

Verse 1

G - 6 C - 6
On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross

D - 3 D7 - 3 G - 6
The emblem of suffering and shame

G - 6 C - 6
And I love that old cross where the dearest and best

D - 3 D7 - 3 G - 6
For a world of lost sinners was slain

Chorus

D7 - 6 G - 6 C - 6 G - 6
So I'll cherish the old rugged cross Till my trophies at last I lay down
G - 6 C - 6 G - 3 D7 - 3 G - 6
I will cling to the old rugged cross and ex-change it some day for a crown

Verse 2

G - 6 C - 6
O the old rugged cross so de-spised by the world

D - 3 D7 - 3 G - 6
Has a wondrous at-traction for me

G - 6 C - 6
For the dear Lamb of God left His glory above

D - 3 D7 - 3 G - 6
To bear it to dark Cal-va-ry

Chorus

D7 - 6 G - 6 C - 6 G - 6
So I'll cherish the old rugged cross Till my trophies at last I lay down
G - 6 C - 6 G - 3 D7 - 3 G - 6
I will cling to the old rugged cross and ex-change it some day for a crown

Verse 3

G - 6 **C - 6**
In the old rugged cross stained with blood so divine

D - 3 **D7 - 3** **G - 6**
A wondrous beauty I see

G - 6 **C - 6**
For 'twas on that old cross Jesus suffered and died

D - 3 **D7 - 3** **G - 6**
To pardon and sanc-ti-fy me

Chorus

D7 - 6 **G - 6** **C - 6** **G - 6**
So I'll cherish the old rugged cross Till my trophies at last I lay down
G - 6 **C - 6** **G - 3** **D7 - 3** **G - 6**
I will cling to the old rugged cross and ex-change it some day for a crown

Verse 4

G - 6 **C - 6**
To the old rugged cross I will ever be true

D - 3 **D7 - 3** **G - 6**
Its shame and re-proach gladly bear

G - 6 **C - 6**
Then He'll call me some day to my home far away

D - 3 **D7 - 3** **G - 6**
Where His glory for-ev-er I'll share

Chorus

D7 - 6 **G - 6** **C - 6** **G - 6**
So I'll cherish the old rugged cross Till my trophies at last I lay down
G - 6 **C - 6** **G - 3** **D7 - 3** **G - 6**
I will cling to the old rugged cross and ex-change it some day for a crown
C - 6 **G - 3** **D7 - 3** **G - 6**
and ex-change it some day for a crown

Strumming Pattern Throughout

