



## Fill in the gaps

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

Here we come to a turning of the season  
Witness to the arc towards the sun  
And neighbors' blessed (1)\_\_\_\_\_ within reason  
Becomes a burden (2)\_\_\_\_\_ of all and one  
And nobody, nobody knows  
Let the yoke (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ our shoulders  
Don't carry it all, don't carry it all  
We are all our hands and holders  
Beneath this (5)\_\_\_\_\_ and brilliant sun  
And this I swear to all  
Monument to (6)\_\_\_\_\_ beneath the arbors  
Upon a plinth (7)\_\_\_\_\_ towers towards the trees  
But (8)\_\_\_\_\_ (9)\_\_\_\_\_  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ (11)\_\_\_\_\_ to starboard  
Lay its head on summer's freckled knees  
And nobody, (12)\_\_\_\_\_ knows  
Let the yoke fall 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 this I swear to all

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And (13)\_\_\_\_\_ a wreath of (14)\_\_\_\_\_  
and ivy  
Laid (15)\_\_\_\_\_ the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ of a boy  
Lazy (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the long come from its high beam  
(18)\_\_\_\_\_ this (19)\_\_\_\_\_  
(20)\_\_\_\_\_ to the soil  
So raise a glass to turnings of the season  
And watch it as it arcs (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the sun  
And you must (22)\_\_\_\_\_  
your neighbor's burden within reason  
And your labors (23)\_\_\_\_\_ be born when all is done  
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 (24)\_\_\_\_\_ and holders  
Beneath (25)\_\_\_\_\_ bold and brilliant sun  
And this I swear to all  
And this I (26)\_\_\_\_\_ to all  
And this I (27)\_\_\_\_\_ to all



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### Answer

1. burden
2. born
3. fall
4. from
5. bold
6. build
7. that
8. every
9. vessel
10. pitching
11. hard
12. nobody
13. there
14. trillium
15. upon
16. body
17. Will
18. Return
19. quiet
20. searcher
21. towards
22. bear
23. will
24. hands
25. this
26. swear
27. swear