



## 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' (2)\_\_\_\_\_ burden within reason  
Becomes a burden born 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 hands and holders  
Beneath this bold and (3)\_\_\_\_\_ sun  
And (4)\_\_\_\_\_ I (5)\_\_\_\_\_ to all  
Monument to build beneath the arbors  
Upon a plinth that (6)\_\_\_\_\_ towards the trees  
But every vessel (7)\_\_\_\_\_ hard to starboard  
Lay its head on summer's freckled knees  
And nobody, (8)\_\_\_\_\_ knows  
Let the yoke (9)\_\_\_\_\_ from our shoulders  
Don't carry it all, don't carry it all  
We are all our hands and holders  
Beneath (10)\_\_\_\_\_ bold and (11)\_\_\_\_\_  
sun  
And this I swear to all

And this I (12)\_\_\_\_\_ to all  
And (13)\_\_\_\_\_ a wreath of (14)\_\_\_\_\_  
and ivy  
Laid (15)\_\_\_\_\_ the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ of a boy  
Lazy (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the long come from its (18)\_\_\_\_\_  
beam  
Return this quiet searcher to the soil  
So (19)\_\_\_\_\_ a glass to (20)\_\_\_\_\_ of  
the season  
And watch it as it arcs (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the sun  
And you must bear  
your neighbor's (22)\_\_\_\_\_ within reason  
And your labors will be (23)\_\_\_\_\_ (24)\_\_\_\_\_ all is  
done  
And nobody, (25)\_\_\_\_\_ knows  
Let the yoke (26)\_\_\_\_\_ from our shoulders  
Don't carry it all, don't (27)\_\_\_\_\_ it all  
We are all our hands and holders  
(28)\_\_\_\_\_ this bold and brilliant sun  
And this I (29)\_\_\_\_\_ to all  
And this I swear to all  
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**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. come
2. blessed
3. brilliant
4. this
5. swear
6. towers
7. pitching
8. nobody
9. fall
10. this
11. brilliant
12. swear
13. there
14. trillium
15. upon
16. body
17. Will
18. high
19. raise
20. turnings
21. towards
22. burden
23. born
24. when
25. nobody
26. fall
27. carry
28. Beneath
29. swear