



## 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  
Becomes a (3)\_\_\_\_\_ born of all and one  
And nobody, nobody knows  
Let the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ (5)\_\_\_\_\_ from our shoulders  
Don't carry it all, don't carry it all  
We are all our hands and holders  
Beneath this (6)\_\_\_\_\_ and brilliant sun  
And this I swear to all  
Monument to build beneath the arbors  
(7)\_\_\_\_\_ a plinth (8)\_\_\_\_\_ towers towards the  
trees  
But every vessel pitching (9)\_\_\_\_\_ to starboard  
Lay its head on summer's (10)\_\_\_\_\_ knees  
And nobody, (11)\_\_\_\_\_ knows  
Let the yoke fall (12)\_\_\_\_\_ our shoulders  
Don't carry it all, don't carry it all  
We are all our (13)\_\_\_\_\_ and holders  
Beneath this bold and brilliant sun  
And (14)\_\_\_\_\_ I swear to all

And (15)\_\_\_\_\_ I swear to all  
And there a wreath of trillium and ivy  
Laid (16)\_\_\_\_\_ the (17)\_\_\_\_\_ of a boy  
Lazy (18)\_\_\_\_\_ the long (19)\_\_\_\_\_ from its high  
beam  
Return this quiet searcher to the soil  
So raise a (20)\_\_\_\_\_ to (21)\_\_\_\_\_ of  
the season  
And watch it as it arcs (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the sun  
And you must bear  
(23)\_\_\_\_\_ neighbor's burden within reason  
And your labors will be born (24)\_\_\_\_\_ all is done  
And nobody, nobody knows  
Let the (25)\_\_\_\_\_ fall from our shoulders  
Don't carry it all, don't carry it all  
We are all our hands and holders  
Beneath this (26)\_\_\_\_\_ and (27)\_\_\_\_\_  
sun  
And this I swear to all  
And this I swear to all  
And (28)\_\_\_\_\_ I swear to all



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**Answer**

1. come
2. burden
3. burden
4. yoke
5. fall
6. bold
7. Upon
8. that
9. hard
10. freckled
11. nobody
12. from
13. hands
14. this
15. this
16. upon
17. body
18. Will
19. come
20. glass
21. turnings
22. towards
23. your
24. when
25. yoke
26. bold
27. brilliant
28. this