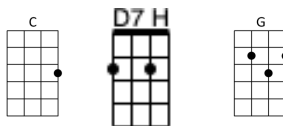


Old Rugged Cross

Intro **D A7 D D/**

V1 [NC] On a **[D]** hill far away stood an **[G]** old rugged cross, the **[A7]** emblem of suff'ring and **[D]** shame;
And I **[D]** love that old cross where the **[G]** dearest and best for a **[A7]** world of lost sinners was **[D]** slain.

Harmony So I'll **[A7]** cherish the old rugged **[D]** cross....till my **[G]** trophies at last I lay **[D]** down;
I will **[D]** cling to the old rugged **[G]** cross.....and ex-**D** change it some-**A7** day for a **[D]** crown.

V2 Oh, that **[D]** old rugged cross, so **[G]** despised by the world, has a **[A7]** wondrous attraction for **[D]** me;
For the **[D]** dear Lamb of God left His **[G]** glory above to **[A7]** bear it to dark Calva-**[G]** ry.

Harmony So I'll **[A7]** cherish the old rugged **[D]** cross....till my **[G]** trophies at last I lay **[D]** down;
I will **[D]** cling to the old rugged **[G]** cross.....and ex-**D** change it some-**A7** day for a **[D]** crown.

V3 In that **[D]** old rugged cross, stained with **[G]** blood so divine, a **[A7]** wondrous beauty **[D]** I see,
For 'twas **[D]** on that old cross Jesus **[G]** suffered and died, to **[A7]** pardon and sanctify **[D]** me.

Harmony So I'll **[A7]** cherish the old rugged **[D]** cross....till my **[G]** trophies at last I lay **[D]** down;
I will **[D]** cling to the old rugged **[G]** cross.....and ex-**D** change it some-**A7** day for a **[D]** crown.

V4 To the **[D]** old rugged cross I will **[G]** ever be true; its **[A7]** shame and reproach gladly **[D]** bear;
Then He'll **[D]** call me someday to my **[G]** home far away, where His **[A7]** glory forever I'll **[D]** share.

Harmony So I'll **[A7]** cherish the old rugged **[D]** cross....till my **[G]** trophies at last I lay **[D]** down;
I will **[D]** cling to the old rugged **[G]** cross.....and ex-**D** change it some-**A7** day for a **[D]** crown.

Each bracketed chord gets 6 beats; each non-bracketed chord gets 3 beats