



THE CROSS THAT HE BORE WAS HIS OWN – Dr. W. O. Vaught *

They borrowed the bed for Him to lay His head
When Christ the Lord came down;
And they borrowed an ass from a mountain pass
When He wanted to ride to town;
But the crown that He wore and the cross that He bore were His own
The cross that He bore was His own.

They borrowed the bread when the crowds He fed
On the grassy mountain side;
And they borrowed a dish of broken fish
With which He satisfied;
But the crown that He wore and the cross that He bore were his own
The Cross He bore was His own.

They borrowed a ship in which to sit
When He taught the multitude;
And they borrowed a nest for him to rest
For He never had home so rude;
But the crown that He wore and the cross that He bore were His own
The cross that He bore was His own.

And they borrowed a room on the way to the tomb
For the Passover Lamb to eat;
And they borrowed a cave for Him a grave
And they borrowed a winding sheet;
But the crown that He wore and the cross that He bore were His own
The cross that He bore was His own.

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