

# Must Jesus Bear the Cross with Lonesome Valley

SATB

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African American Spiritual,  
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by **George N. Allen**, 1844,  
and LONESOME VALLEY,  
African American Spiritual

Expressively and freely ♩ = ca. 66

4 SA *holding back moving forward p*  
TB *p*  
Must Je - sus bear the  
*holding back moving forward opt. unaccomp. through m. 13*  
7 cross a - lone, and all the world go

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*mp*

free? \_\_\_\_\_ No, \_\_\_\_\_ there's \_\_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_\_ cross for

11

ev - 'ry - one \_\_\_\_\_ and there's \_\_\_\_\_ a cross for

13

*holding back*

me. \_\_\_\_\_ There's a cross for me. \_\_\_\_\_

*play holding back*

23

for Him, He had to walk it by— Him-self.

26

*mf* Je - sus bore— His cross of

*mf* Je - sus bore,

28

sor-row, He bore His cross to Cal - va - ry.

cross of sor-row, cross to Cal - va - ry. O,

31 *mp* ,

no-bod-y else \_\_\_\_\_ could bear it for Him, \_\_\_\_\_ He bore the

*mp* ,

*mp*

33

cross for you \_\_\_\_\_ and me.

35 *rit.* *f*

Je - sus

*f*

My \_\_\_\_\_

*mf* *rit.*

Slightly broader, with strength ♩ = ca. 66

37

walked His lone-some val-ley, He bore His  
Je-sus bore His cross a-lone so

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39

cross to Cal-va-ry! O,  
all could be set free. Now

41

no-bod-y else could bear it for Him, He bore the

I will lift the cross of Je-sus, and

43 *mp* holding back

cross for you — and me. He bore the

share it faith - ful - ly.

*mf* holding back

45 *p* a tempo

cross for you — and me

*p*

*mp* *p* a tempo

47 *rit.*

*pp*

*rit.*