The Old Cross Road

Jesu saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me. Jn. 14:6
And he said to them all, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me. Lk. 9:23

1. There are man-y paths thro' this world of sin, But there's on-ly one I shall trav-el in;
2. There are some who sneer at the old Cross Road, At the pearl-y gate and the soul's a-bode;
3. Others risk their souls on some new-made way, Think-ing they will come to the gate some-day;

'Tis the old Cross Road, or the way called "Straight"—There is just one way to the pearl-y gate.
Yet I mind them not, but, with hap-py song And as-sur-ance sweet, still I press a-long.
Oh, may they find out, ere their lives are done, That the old Cross Road is the on-ly one.

Refrain

There is just one way to the pearl-y gate, To the crown of life and the friends who wait;

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