The Way of the Cross Leads Home


Jesus unto his disciples, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me. Mt. 16:24

1. I must needs go home by the way of the cross, There's no other way but this;
2. I must needs go on in the blood-sprinkled way, The path that the Savior trod,
3. Then I bid farewell to the way of the world, To walk in it never more;

I shall ne'er get sight of the Gates of Light, If the way of the cross I miss.
If I ever climb to the heights sublime, Where the soul is at home with God.
For my Lord says, "Come," and I seek my home, Where He waits at the open door.

Refrain

The way of the cross leads home, leads home, The way of the cross leads home;

It is sweet to know, as I onward go, The way of the cross leads home.