GDF 14: Key B♭ 6/8 (Moderato)   **THE OLD RUGGED CROSS**   Rev. Geo. Bennard

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:m₁.f₁	s₁ :-.le₁: l₁ / s₁ :-: s₁ .s₁	l₁ :-.se: t₁ / l₁ :-: l₁ .l₁	l₁ :-.l₁: s₁ / l₁ : s₁ : f₁	m₁ :-:-/-:-
:d₁.d₁	m₁ :-.re₁: re₁ / m :-: m₁ .m₁	t₁ :-.f₁: l₁ / l₁ :-: fe .te	f₁ :-.f₁: m₁ / r₁ : r₁ : r₁	d₁ :-:-/-:-
On a	hill far a- way stands an	old rugged cross, The em	blem of suffering and	shame
:s₁.s₁	d :-.d : l₁ / d :-: d .d	d :-.t₁ : r / d :-: r .r	r :-.t₁: d / l₁ : t₁ : s₁	s₁ :-:-/-:-
:d₁.d₁	d₁ :-.d₁ : d₁ / d₁ :-: d₁ .d₁	f₁ :-.f₁: l₁ / l₁ :-: r₁ .r₁	s₁ :-.s₁: s₁ / s₁ : s₁ : s₁	d₁ :-:-/-:-

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:m₁.f₁	s₁ :-.fe₁: l₁ / s₁ :-: s₁ .s₁	l₁ :-.se: t₁ / l₁ :-: l₁ .l₁	l₁ :-.l₁: s₁ / f : m : r	d :-:-/-:-
:d₁.r₁	m₁ :-.re₁: re₁ / m₁ :-: m₁ .m₁	f₁ :-.f₁: l₁ / l₁ :-: fe .fe	f₁ :-.f₁: f₁ / l₁ : s₁ : f₁	m₁ :-:-/-:-
And I	love that old cross where the	dear- est and best For a	world of lost sinners was	slain
:s₁.s₁	d :-.d : l₁ / d :-: d .d	d :-.t₁ : r / d :-: r .r	r :-.d: t₁ / l₁ : d : t₁	d :-:-/-:-
:d₁.d₁	d₁ :-.d₁: d₁ / d₁ :-: d .d₁	f₁ :-.f₁: l₁ / l₁ :-: r₁ .r₁	s₁ :-.s₁: s₁ / s₁ : s₁ : s₁	d₁ :-:-/-:-

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:t₁ .d	r :-.r : r / r : d : l₁	d :- :- /- :- : d .t₁	l₁ :-.l₁ : l₁ / d : t₁ : l₁	s₁ :- :- /- :-
So I	cherish the old rugged	cross Till my	trophies at last I	lay down
:r₁ .m₁	f₁ :-.f₁ : f₁ / l₁ :-: f₁	m₁ : re₁ : f₁ / m₁ :- : s₁.s₁	f₁ :-.f₁: f₁ / l₁ : s₁ : f₁	m₁ :- :- /- :-
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:s₁.s₁	s₁ :-.s₁ : s₁ / s₁ :~ : s₁	d₁ : d₁ : d₁ / d₁ :- : m₁.m₁	f₁ :-.f₁ : f₁ / l₁ : f₁ : f₁	d₁ :- :- /- :-

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:s₁ .d	m :-.m : m / m : l : m	l₁ :- :- /- :-: l .l	m :-.r : d / s₁ : l₁ : r	d :- :- /- :-
I will	cling to the old rugged	cross And ex-	change it some day for a	crown
:m₁.m₁	s₁ :-.s₁ : s₁ / s₁ :l₁ : s₁	l₁ : f₁ : f₁ / l₁ :-: l₁ .l₁	s₁ :-.f₁ : m₁ / l₁ : f₁ : f₁	m₁ :- :- /- :-
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:d₁.d₁	d₁ :-.d₁ : d₁ / d₁ :- : d₁	l₁ : l₁ : l₁ / l₁ :-: f₁ .f₁	s₁ :-.s₁ : s₁ / s₁ : s₁ : s₁	d₁ :- :- /- :-

2. Oh that old rugged Cross, So despised by the world,
Has a wondrous attraction for me.
For the dear Lamb of God left His glory above,
To bear it to dark Calvary.

3. In the old rugged Cross stained with blood so divine;
A wondrous beauty I see.
For 'twas on that old Cross Jesus suffered and died,
To pardon and sanctify me.

4. To the old rugged Cross I will ever be true,
Its shame and reproach gladly bear;
Then He'll call me some day to my home far away,
where His glory forever I'll share.