

STAND BY ME

Music & Lyrics by Jerry Leiber, Mike Stoller and Ben E. King

8 bar intro

as sung by Ben E King

When the night has come and the land is dark
And the moon is the only light we'll see
No, I won't be afraid, oh, I won't be afraid
Just as long as you stand, stand by me

Chorus:

So darlin', darlin' stand by me, oh, stand by me
Oh, stand, stand by me stand by me

If the sky that we look upon should tumble and fall
Or the mountain should crumble to the sea
I won't cry, I won't cry no, I won't shed a tear
Just as long as you stand, stand by me

Chorus

- 16 bar band/strings solo -

Repeat chorus till end