

Stand By Me – Ben E King

Intro and riff throughout:

Repeat

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E	-----4	5--5--4	5--5--54	-----	-----	-----	-----4	5--5--4	5--5--4
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G	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

When the [A] night has come
 And the [F#m] land is dark
 And the [D] moon is the [E7] only light we'll [A] see
 No I [A] won't be afraid
 Oh, I [F#m] won't be afraid
 Just as [D] long as you [E7] stand, stand by [A] me

So darling, darling
 [A] Stand by me, oh [F#m] stand by me
 Oh [D] stand, stand [E7] by me
 Stand by [A] me

If the [A] sky that we look upon
 Should [F#m] tumble and fall
 Or the [D] mountain should [E7] crumble to the [A] sea
 I won't [A] cry, I won't cry
 No, I [F#m] won't shed a tear
 Just as [D] long as you [E7] stand, stand by [A] me

And darling, darling
 [A] Stand by me, oh [F#m] stand by me
 Oh [D] stand, stand [E7] by me
 Stand by [A] me

So darling, darling
 [A] Stand by me, oh [F#m] stand by me
 Oh [D] stand now, stand [E7] by me
 Stand by [A] me
 Whenever you're in trouble won't you [A] stand by me
 Oh [F#m] stand by me, won't you [D] stand now, oh, [E7] stand
 Stand by [A] me

