

Recorded by BEN E. KING
Stand by Me

For SSAA* a cappella

Performance Time: Approx. 2:40

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Grooved Rock Ballad (♩ = 110)

finger snaps

mp  *cont. pattern to m. 33*

Alto II



Bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm chk bm, bm bm

Piano



mp (for rehearsal only)



bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm

9

Soprano II *mp*



Oo oo oo

Soprano II *mp*



Oo oo oo

Alto II



9 bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm



* Available for SATB, SSAA and TBB

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Soprano I *mp*

Soprano II When the

Alto I

Alto II
 bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm

13

17

night has come and the land is— dark and the

bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bmchkbm, bm bm

17

17

moon— is the on-ly— light we'll see, No, I

bm chk bm, bm bm bm chkbm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm

21

25

won't be a - fraid, no— I— won't be a - fraid—

mp
Oo

mp
Oo

bm chk bm bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm

25

25

just as long as you stand, stand by

oo oo

oo oo

bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm

28

me. So, dar - ling, dar - ling stand by

Stand by me. So, dar - ling, dar - ling stand by

Stand by me. So, dar - ling, dar - ling stand by

bm chk bm. So, dar - ling, dar - ling stand by

33

33

31

cont. pattern to m. 41

me, oh stand by me, oh

me, oh stand by me,

me, oh stand by me,

me, oh stand by me.

34

mp
stand, stand by me, stand by me. If the

stand, stand by me, stand by me.

stand, stand by me, stand by me.

Bm chk bm, so so bm chk bm, so so bm chk bm, so so bm chk bm, bm bm

37

41 *cont. pattern to m. 57*

sky — that we look u - pon should tum - ble and —

mp Oo

mp Oo

mp bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm

41

fall or the moun - tain should crum - ble — in the

Oo Oo

Oo Oo

bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm

44

49

sea No, I won't cry, I won't I won't cry, I won't cry,

bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm

47

49

cry, no I won't shed a tear just as no, no I won't shed a tear no, no I won't shed a tear

bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm chk bm, bm bm

50

long as you stand, stand by me. So, dar-ling, dar-ling

oo Stand by me. So, dar-ling, dar-ling

oo Stand by me. So, dar-ling, dar-ling

bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm. So, dar-ling, dar-ling

53

57 stand by me, oh stand by

stand by me, oh stand by

stand by me, oh stand by

stand by me, oh stand by

57

cont. pattern to m. 75

57

me, oh stand, stand by me, stand by me. So,
 me, stand, stand by me, stand by me. So,
 me, stand, stand by me, stand by me. So,
 me, Bm chk bm, so so bm chk bm, bm chk bm. So

60

cresc. **66** *ff*
 dar-ling, dar-ling, dar-ling, dar-ling stand by me, oh
cresc. *ff*
 dar-ling, dar-ling, dar-ling, dar-ling stand by me, oh stand by me, oh
cresc. *ff*
 dar-ling, dar-ling, dar-ling, dar-ling stand by me, oh stand by me, oh
cresc. *ff*
 dar-ling, dar-ling, dar-ling, dar-ling stand by me, oh stand by me, oh
cresc. *ff* **66**

64

stand — by me, oh stand, — stand by — me,
 stand by me, oh stand by me, stand, stand by — me,
 stand by me, oh stand by me, stand, stand by — me,
 stand by me, oh stand by me. Bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm

68

stand by — me, stand by — me, stand by — me.
 stand by — me, stand by — me, stand by — me.
 stand by — me, stand by — me, stand by — me.
 bm chk bm, bm bm bm chk bm, bm bm bm, stand by — me.

72

