

# Traditional Gospel Songs with Chords

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Words and music: Charles A.Tindley (1856-1933)

### Stand by Me

E

When the storms of life are raging

A E

Stand by me;

When the storms of life are raging

Stand by me;

When the world is tossing me

G#7 C#m

Like a ship upon the sea,

E

Thou who rulest wind and water

B7 E

Stand by me.

In the midst of tribulation

Stand by me;

In the midst of tribulation

Stand by me.

When the hosts of sin assail,  
And my strength begins to fail,

Thou who never lost a battle

Stand by me.

In the midst of faults and failures

Stand by me;

In the midst of faults and failures

Stand by me;

When I've done the best I can,

And my friends misunderstand,

Thou who knowest all about me

Stand by me.

When I'm growing old and feeble

Stand by me;

When I'm growing old and feeble

Stand by me;

When my life becomes a burden,

And I'm nearing chilly Jordan,

O Thou Lily of the Valley

Stand by me.