

As Long As She Needs Me
Words & Music by Lionel Bart
Recorded by Sammy Davis, Jr., 1963
From the Broadway musical "Oliver"

AM7 E7 AM7 Fdim E7 AM7
As long as she needs me,

E7 AM7 Edim Bm7 E7
I know where I must be;

Bm7 Fdim Bm7-5
I'll cling on stead - fast - ly

Bb9 E7 AM7
As long as she needs me.

AM7 E7 AM7 Fdim E7 AM7
As long as life is long,

E7 AM7 Edim Bm7 E7
I'll love her right or wrong,

Bm7 Fdim Bm7-5
And somehow I'll be strong

Bb9 E7 AM7
As long as she needs me.

Bridge:

A7 D9 E7 A AM7 A7
If you are lonely, then you will know

F#m B7 Bm7-5 Dm7 E7
When someone needs you, you love them so.

AM7 E7 AM7 Fdim E7 AM7
I won't betray her trust,

E7 AM7 Edim Bm7 E7
Though people say I must;

Bm7 Gdim F#m7 B7
I've got to stay true just

D9 Dm7 E7 A
As long as she needs me.