

# Stand By Me

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When the world is toss - ing me Like a ship up - on the sea,  
 When the hosts of hell as - sail, And my strength be - gins to fail,  
 When I do the best I can, And my friends mis - un - der - stand,  
 When my foes in bat - tle ar - ray, Un - der - take to stop my way  
 When my life be - comes a bur - den, And I'm near - ing chil - ly Jor - dan,

Thou who rul - est wind and wa - ter, Stand by me.  
 Thou who nev - er lost a bat - tle, stand by me.  
 Thou who know - est all a - bout me,  
 Thou who saved Paul and Si - las,  
 O Thou "Lil - y of the val - ley," by me.

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