

# Stand By Me

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**INTRO:** C Am F G, C

C Am  
When the night has come, and the land is dark

F G C  
And the moon is the only light we'll see.

(C) Am  
No, I won't be afraid, no, I won't be afraid,

F G C  
Just as long as you stand, stand by me.

G C Am  
**CHORUS:** So, darling, darling, stand by me, oh, stand by me.

F G C  
Oh, stand . . . stand by me, stand by me.

(C) Am  
If the sky that we look upon . . . should tumble and fall,

F G C  
Or the mountain should crumble to the sea.

(C) Am  
I won't cry, I won't cry, no, I won't shed a tear,

F G C  
Just as long as you stand, stand by me.

G C Am  
**CHORUS:** So, darling, darling, stand by me, oh, stand by me.

F G C  
Oh, stand . . . stand by me, stand by me.

## **CHORDS USED IN THIS SONG:**

