

STAND BY ME (BEN E. KING, JERRY LEIBER, MIKE STOLLER, 1961) *

G **Em**
When the night has come - and the land is dark

C **D** **G**
And the moon is the only light we'll see

G **Em**
No, I won't be afraid, no, I won't be afraid

C **D** **G**
Just as long as you stand, stand by me. So darlin', darlin'

Chorus:

G **Em**
stand by me, oh now, stand by me,

C **D** **G**
stand by me, - stand by - me.

G **Em**
If the sky that we look upon - should tumble and fall

C **D** **G**
And the mountain should crumble to the sea

Em
I won't cry, I won't cry, no, I won't shed a tear

C **D** **G**
Just as long - as you stand, - stand by - me. And darling, darling

(Chorus)

(Solo uses same chord sequence as the first verse)

(Chorus Twice)

*Jerry Leiber and Mike Stoller used the name "Elmo Glick" collectively - www.wikipedia.org.