Stand By Me

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WORDS: Charles Albert Tindley, ca. 1906 (Mt. 8:23-27; Mk. 4:35-41; Lk. 8:22-25)

1. When the storms of life are raging, stand by me; (stand by me) when the storms of life are raging, stand by me; (stand by me)

When the world is tossing me, like a ship upon the sea, thou who rulest wind and water, stand by me. (stand by me)

3. In the midst of faults and failures, stand by me; (stand by me) in the midst of faults and failures, stand by me; (stand by me)

When I've done the best I can, and my friends misunderstand, thou who knowest all about me, stand by me. (stand by me)

5. When I'm growing old and feeble, stand by me; (stand by me) when I'm growing old and feeble, stand by me; (stand by me)

When my life becomes a burden, and I'm nearing chilly Jordan, **O** thou Lily of the Valley, stand by me. (stand by me)