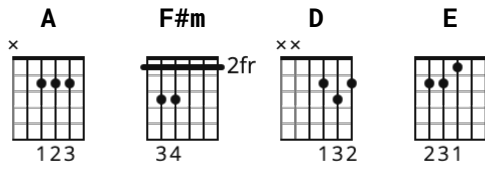


# Stand By Me Chords by Ben E. King

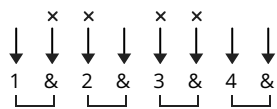
Difficulty: beginner  
 Tuning: E A D G B E  
 Key: A

## CHORDS



## STRUMMING

WHOLE SONG 120 bpm



BEN E. KING - STAND BY ME

e	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-7-----7-----6-	-7-----7-----7-6-	-----	-----
A	-----7---	-----	-9-----9-----7---	-9-----9-----9-7-
E	-----	-----	-----	-----

e	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-----	-----	-6-----6-----7-----6-	-7-----7-----6-
A	-5-----5-----5-9-	-7-----7-----7---	-----	-7-----7-----7---
E	-----	-----	-----	-----

[Intro]

**A F#m D E A**

[Verse 1]

When the night has come

And the land is dark

And the moon is the only light we'll see

No, I won't be afraid

No, I won't be afraid

**D** **E** **A**  
Just as long as you stand, stand by me

[Chorus]

**A**  
So, darling, darling, stand by me

**F#m**  
Oh, stand by me

**D** **E** **A**  
Oh, stand, stand by me

Stand by me

[Verse 2]

**A**  
If the sky that we look upon

**F#m**  
Should tumble and fall

**D** **E** **A**  
Or the mountain should crumble to the sea

**A**  
I won't cry, I won't cry

**F#m**  
No, I won't shed a tear

**D** **E** **A**  
Just as long as you stand, stand by me

[Chorus]

**A**  
And darling, darling, stand by me

**F#m**  
Oh, stand by me

**D** **E** **A**  
Oh, stand now, stand by me

Stand by me

[Instrumental]

**A** **F#m** **D** **E** **A** x2

[Chorus]

**A**  
So, darling, darling, stand by me

**F#m**  
Oh, stand by me

**D** **E**  
Oh, stand now, stand by me

**A**  
Stand by me

**A** **F#m**  
Whenever you're in trouble won't you stand by me, oh, stand by me

**D** **E** **A**  
Oh, stand now, oh, stand, stand by me

(fade out)