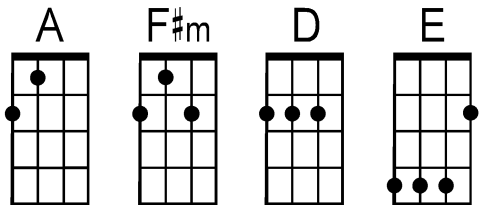# Stand By Me (original key)
by Ben E. King, Jerry Lieber and Mike Stoller (1960)

A   F#m   D   E

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Intro: A . . . | . . . . |F#m . . . | . . . .|D . . . | E . . . | A . . . | . . .

.          A . . . | .   . . .| F#m .       . .| .   . .
When the night   has come,           and the land is dark
   .  | D   . . .  | E . .       | A . . . | . . .
and the moon   is the on-ly    light we'll see.
   .    | A . . .  | .   . .   . | F#m . . . | .   . .
No I won't   be a-fraid,    no I won't     be a-fraid
   .   |D . . .     |E    . . .      |A . . .
 just as long   as you stand,    stand by  me.


            | A    .   . . | A   . . . | .   . . . | F#m . . . | . . .
Chorus:   So  dar-lin' dar-lin' stand   by  me    oh  stand     by me
            . |D  . . . |E  .   . . . |A .    .   .  | . . .
            oh stand         stand by me,   stand by me.


.    | A . .     .    | . . . .| F#m .      .   .   . | . . .
If the sky,    that we look u-pon,             should tumble and fall
   .  | D    . . .    | E   . . .    | A . . .| . . .
or the mountain    should crumble    to the sea
   .    | A . . .     | .   . . .  | F#m . . .    | . . .
I won't cry    I won't cry,   no I won't     shed a tear
   .    |D . . .      |E    . . .      |A . . .
just as long    as you stand,    stand by me.


            | A   .    . . | A  . . . | .   . . . | F#m . . . | . . .
Chorus:   And  dar-lin' dar-lin' stand   by  me   oh  stand    by me
            . |D   . . . |E     .   . . | A .     .   . | . . . .
            oh stand       whoa, stand by me,   stand by me.


Instrumental:  A . . . | . . . .|F#m . . . | . . . .|D . . . | E . . . | A . . . |

            | A  .   . .  | A  . . . | .   . . . | F#m . . . | . . .
Chorus:   And  dar-lin' dar-lin' stand   by  me   oh  stand    by me
            . |D   . . . |E     .   . . | A .    .   . |
            oh stand       whoa, stand by me,   stand by me.
                 A   .   .   .   .    | A   . . . | . . . .| F#m . . . | . . .
            When-ever you're in trouble won't you stand    by me   oh stand    by me ,
            .    |D  . . . |E   . . . | A . .     . | A\
            whoa stand ,    stand   by me,   stand by me.
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