



Abide With Me

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B $\flat$ F ^{6} F ^{7} Gm B $\flat$ /D E $\flat$ F Gm ^{7} F ^{7} /A B $\flat$

A - bide with me! Fast falls the e - ven - tide.
Swift to its close ebbs out life's lit - tle day.
I need Thy pres - ence ev - 'ry pass - ing hour.
I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless;
Hold Thou Thy cross be - fore my clos - ing eyes;

5 B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /G B $\flat$ /F E $\flat$ B $\flat$ Cm ^{7} F/A B $\flat$ C ^{7} /G F

The dark - ness deep - ens: Lord, with me a - bide!
Earth's joys grow dim; its glo - ries pass a - way.
What but Thy grace can foil the tempt - er's pow'r?
Ills have no weight, and tears no bit - ter - ness.
Shine thro' the gloom, and point me to the skies.

9 B $\flat$ F ^{6} F ^{7} Gm B $\flat$ /D E $\flat$ G $^+$ G ^{7} Cm

When oth - er help - ers fail and com - forts flee,
Change and de - cay in all a - round I see;
Who, like Thy - self, my guide and stay can be?
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy vic - ti - ry?
Heav'n's morn - ing breaks, and earth's vain sha - dows flee!

13 F/E $\flat$ B $\flat$ /D F ^{7} /C B $\flat$ F ^{7} Gm Cm/E $\flat$ B $\flat$ /F F ^{7} B $\flat$

Help of the help - less, oh, a - bide with me!
O Thou who chang - est not, a - bide with me!
Thro' clouds and sun - shine, oh, a - bide with me!
I tri - umph still if Thou a - bide with me!
In life, in death, O Lord, a - bide with me!