Stand By Me

1. When the storms of life are raging, Stand by me,
   When the world is tossing me Like a ship upon the sea,
   Thou who rulest wind and water, Stand by me.

2. In the midst of tribulations, Stand by me;
   When the hosts of hell assail, And my strength begins to fail,
   Thou who never lost a battle, stand by me.

3. In the midst of faults and failures, stand by me;
   When I do the best I can, And my friends misunderstand,
   Thou who knowest all about me,

4. In the midst of persecution, stand by me;
   When my foes in battle array, Under take to stop my way
   Thou who saved Paul and Silas,

5. When I'm growing old and feeble, stand by me;
   When my life becomes a burden, And I'm nearing chilly Jordan,
   O Thou "Lily of the valley," by me.

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