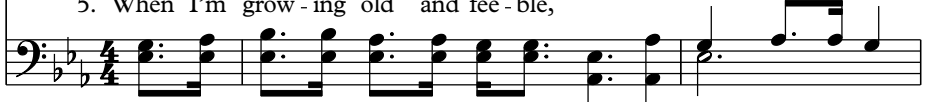


## Stand By Me

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When the world is toss-ing me, like a ship up-on the sea,  
 When the host of hell as - sail, and my strength be-gins to fail,  
 When I've done the best I can, and my friends mis-un - der - stand,  
 When my foes in war ar - ray un - der - take to stop my way,  
 When my life be-comes a bur-den, and I'm near - ing chil - ly Jor-dan,



thou who rul - est wind and wa - ter,  
 thou who nev - er lost a bat - tle,  
 thou who know - est all a - bout me, stand by me. (stand by me)  
 thou who sav - ed Paul and Si - las,  
 O thou Lil - y of the Val - ley,



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