

# Be Still My Soul

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VERSE

D

A/E

D

A/G D/F#

G A/E

D



1. Be still, my soul! The Lord is on thy side; \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Be still, my soul! Thy God doth un - der - take \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Be still, my soul! When dear - est friends de - part \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Be still, my soul! The hour is has - t'ning on \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. Be still, my soul! Be - gin the song of praise \_\_\_\_\_

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A/E D

A/G D/F# G A/E

D



— Bear pa - tient - ly the cross of grief or pain. Leave to thy  
 — to guide the fu - ture as He has the past. Thy hope, thy  
 — and all is dark - ened in the vale of tears. Then shalt thou  
 — when we shall be for - ev - er with the Lord, when dis - ap -  
 — on earth be - liev - ing to thy Lord on high. Ac - knowl - edge

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Bm

D/F#

A

Em

D/A



God to or - der and pro - vide; \_\_\_\_\_ In ev - 'ry change He  
 con - fi - dence let noth - ing shake; \_\_\_\_\_ All now mys - te - rious  
 bet - ter know His love, His heart; \_\_\_\_\_ Who comes to soothe thy  
 -point - ment, grief, and fear are gone, \_\_\_\_\_ sor - row for - got, love's  
 Him in all thy words and ways; \_\_\_\_\_ So shall He view thee

15

G

Em/G

F#

D

Bm

D/F#



faith - ful will re - main. Be still, my soul! Thy best, thy heav'n - ly  
 shall be bright at last. Be still, my soul! The waves and winds still  
 sor - row and thy fears. Be still, my soul! Thy Je - sus can re -  
 pur - est joys re - stored. Be still, my soul! When change and tears are  
 with a well - pleased eye. Be still, my soul! The Sun of life di -

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A Em

D/A

A<sup>7</sup>

D



Friend \_\_\_\_\_ through thorn - y ways leads to a joy - ful end.  
 know \_\_\_\_\_ His voice who ruled them while He dwelt be - low.  
 -pay \_\_\_\_\_ from His own full - ness all He takes a - way.  
 past, \_\_\_\_\_ all safe and bless - ed we shall meet at last.  
 -vine \_\_\_\_\_ through pass - ing clouds shall but more bright - ly shine.