

# Abide with Me



1. A - bide with me; fast falls the e - ven - tide;  
2. Swift to its close ebbs out life's lit - tle day;  
3. I need thy pre - sence ev - ery pas - sing hour.  
4. I fear no foe, with thee at hand to bless;  
5. Hold thou thy cross be - fore my clo - sing eyes;



the dark - ness dee - pens; Lord, with me a - bide.  
earth's joys grow dim; its glo - ries pass a - way;  
What but thy grace can foil the temp - ter's power?  
ills have no weight, and tears not bit - ter - ness.  
shine through the gloom and point me to the skies.



When o - ther hel - pers 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 - to - ry?  
Heaven's mor - ning breaks, and earth's vain sha - dows flee;



Help of the help - less, O a - bide with me.  
O thou who chang - est not, a - bide with me.  
Through cloud and sun - shine, Lord, a - bide with me.  
I tri - umph still, if thou a - bide with me.  
in life, in death, O Lord, a - bide with me.