Eventide
Abide with me

Henry Francis Lyte (1793–1847), 1847
William Henry Monk (1823–1889), 1861

Andante

Soprano

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Abide with me

1. A - bide with me; fast falls the ev - en - tide;
2. Swift to its close ebbs out life’s lit - tle day;
3. I need Thy pres - ence eve - ry pass - ing hour;
4. I fear no foe with Thee at hand to bless;
5. Hold Thou Thy Cross be - fore my clos - ing eyes;

Alt

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 power?
ils have no weight, and tears no bit - ter - ness;
shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies;

Tenor

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Bass

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shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies;

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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 - to - ry?
Heaven's morn - ing breaks, and earth's vain shad - ows 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. A - men.