Stand By Me - Ben E. King

Key: C Major | Tempo: 118 bpm | *Standard Chords* | *Baritone Chords*
Strum Pattern: DMUUMM (Island) | Count: 1,2, & & 4 &

<u>INTRO:</u> C (2x) - Am (2x) - F (1x) - G7 (1x) - C (1x)
<u>VERSE:</u>
C (2x)   Am (2x)
When the night has come, and the land is dark
          F (1x)   G7 (1x)   C (2x)
And the moon is the only light we'll see
C (2x)   Am (2x)
No I won't be afraid, no I won't be afraid
          F (1x)   G7 (1x)   C (1x)
Just as long as you stand……stand by me
<u>CHORUS:</u>
C (3x)   Am (2x)
So darlin', darlin' stand by me, oh, stand by me
      F (1x) G7 (1x)   C (2x)
Oh stand, stand by me, stand by me
<u>VERSE II:</u>
          C (2x)   Am (2x)
If the sky that we look upon, should tumble and fall
          F (1x)   G7 (1x)   C (2x)
Or the mountain should crumble to the sea
          C (2x)   Am (2x)
I won't cry, I won't cry, No I won't shed a tear
          F (1x)   G7 (1x)   C (2x)
Just as long as you stand…. stand by me
CHORUS: (Same)
<u>Instrumental:</u> C (2x) - Am (2x) - F (1x) - G7 (1x) - C (1x)

CHORUS:

C (3x)   **Am (2x)**

Darlin', darlin' stand by me, oh, stand by me

    F (1x)   **G7 (1x)**   **C (2x)**

Oh stand now, stand by me, stand by me

C (3x)

Whenever you're in trouble, won't you stand by me?

    Am (2x)   **F (1x)**

Oh, stand by me. Won't you stand now?

G7 (1x)   **C (2x)**

Stand by me, stand by me.

OUTRO: C (2x) - Am (2x) - F (1x) - G7 (1x) - C (1x)