

# Abide With Me

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For Unaccompanied S.A.T.B. Choir

Melody: William Henry Monk (1823-1889)

Text: Henry Francis Lyte (1793-1847)

Arranged by Gary Ewer

Prayerfully ♩ = 84

T/B *mp* 1. A - bide with me; fast falls the ev - en - tide; the dark - ness

T/B 6 deep - ens; Lord, with me a - bide; When o - ther help - ers

T/B 11 fail, and com - forts flee, help of the help - less, O a - bide with

S/A *p* Oo  
16 *mp* 2. Swift to its close ebbs out life's lit - tle  
T/B *mp* me. close ebbs out life's lit - tle

S/A 21 day; earth's joys grow dim, its glo - ries pass a - way;  
T/B day; earth's joys grow dim, its glo - ries pass a - way;

\* Verse 1 and Verse 5 may be sung by all men, or as a TBB trio.

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S/A  
change and de - cay in all a - round I see; O thou who

T/B  
change and de - cay in all a - round I see; O thou who

31

S/A  
chang - est not, a - bide with me. Oo

T/B  
chang - est not, a - bide with me. Oo

*p* Rall.

Rall.

*p*

36

S/A  
*a tempo* *opt. solo:* 3. I need thy pres - ence ev - ery pass - ing

T/B  
*a tempo* *p* (stagger-breathe) *p* (oo)

*p* *mp* *p* *p* *p*

Oo oo oo oo oo

Oo (oo)

41

S/A  
hour; what but thy grace can foil the tempt - er's power?

T/B  
(oo) oo