

# I'll Be Your Friend

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♩ = 66

C G/B F/A C/G F C/E Dm G C Dm

When you're down  
Life is hard.

6 C Dm C Dm

and you need some one who cares to come a - round,  
So man - y hurts, so man - y ways to break your heart..

8 C Dm C/E F C/E F

some-one to lis - ten to the ach - ing in your heart, some-one to take your part, some  
And what you need is just a friend to stay with you, a friend to pray with you, a

11 C/E Am Dm G F C/E

one to take your hand and lead you through, Oh I'll be there to care to share to walk  
friend to point the way to bet - ter days. I praise the Lord my God for ev' - ry prec

14 Dm C F C/E Dm G

the road with you. And I will make this pro - mise now to you:  
- ious gift. He sends. And I'm prais-ing Him to - day for all my friends.

17 C G/B F/A F G C G/B

I'll be your friend. And I'll a - ways be there. You can de - pend

20 F/A F G F<sup>2</sup> G F/A F G

that I'll nev - er leave you. And though we may be a part, you'll stay in my heart.

*V.S.*

23 C G/B F/A F G

You can de - pend till the end that I will be your

25 1. C G/B F/A G F C/E Dm G

friend.

29 2. C G/B F/A F G C G/B F/A F G

*(instrumental solo)*

33 F<sup>2</sup> G F/A F G C G/B F/A F G

This is my prayer, that God will al - ways bless this friend - ship we share.

37 C Dm C Dm C Dm

And that I'll be a friend to help you stand up tall, for - give you when you fall, to

40 C Dm C/E F C/E F

share the love of Je - sus through it all. So man - y things I own that will some

43 C/E Am Dm G F C/E

share the love of Je - sus through it all. So man - y things I own that will some

46 Dm C F C/E Dm G

— day fade a way. More prec-ious are my friends with me to day. Ooh

49 C G/B F/A F G C *ad. lib.*  
G/B

I'll be your friend. And I'll al - ways be there. You can de- pend

52 F/A F G F<sup>2</sup> G F/A F G

that I'll nev-er leave you. And though we may be a part, you'll stay in my heart.

55 C G/B F/A F G

You can de - pend till the end that I will be your

57 C G/B F/A C/G F C/E Dm G C

friend.