

Be Still, My Soul

Peacefully

1. Be still, my soul: The Lord is on thy side;
With patience bear thy cross of grief or pain.

Leave to thy God to order and provide;
In ev'ry change he faithful will remain.
Be still, my soul: Thy best, thy heav'nly Friend
Thru thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

2. Be still, my soul: Thy God doth undertake
To guide the future as he has the past.

Thy hope, thy confidence let nothing shake;
All now mysterious shall be bright at last.
Be still, my soul: The waves and winds still know
His voice who ruled them while he dwelt below.

3. Be still, my soul: The hour is hast'ning on
When we shall be forever with the Lord,
When disappointment, grief, and fear are gone,
Sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored.

Be still, my soul: When change and tears are past,
All safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

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[Psalm 37:3–9](#)

[D&C 101:14–16, 35–38](#)