

# Be Not Afraid

With alternate Verse 3

(Guitar/Vocal)

Based on Isaiah 43:2-3; Luke 6:20ff  
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## VERSE 1 *Andante* (♩ = ca. 80)

G Gsus4 G Gsus4 G Gsus4

1. You shall cross the bar-ren des-ert, but you shall not die of

G D/F# C Csus2 C C/B Am Am/G

1. thirst. You shall wan-der far in safe-ty though you do not know the

D/F# G B7 Em Am C F

1. way. You shall speak your words in for-ign lands and all will un-der-

D G Em A A7 D D7

1. stand. You shall see the face of God and live.

## REFRAIN

G Gsus4 G D Am7 D G6

Melody

Be not a-fraid. I go be-fore you al-ways.

Harmony

C G/B Bm Em Am D G Gsus4 G Gsus4

Come, fol-low me, and I will give you rest.

Come, fol-low me,

1, 2	to Verses 2, 3	Final	<i>Fine</i>
G	C/G	G	G
C/G	G	C/G	G

**VERSE 2**

G      Gsus4      G      Gsus4      G      Gsus4

2. If you pass through rag - ing wa - ters in the sea, you shall not

G      D/F#      C      Csus2      C      C/B      Am      Am/G

2. drown. If you walk a - mid the burn - ing flames, you shall not be

D/F#      G      B7      Em      Am      C      F      D

2. harmed. If you stand be - fore the pow'r of hell and death is at your side,

G      Em      Am      Am/G      D      D7      *D.S.*

2. know that I am with you through it all.

**VERSE 3**

G      Gsus4      G      Gsus4      G      Gsus4

3. And when the earth has turned be - neath you, and your voice is sel - dom

G      D/F#      C      Csus2      C      C/B      Am      Am/G

3. heard, when the flood of gifts that blessed your life has long since ebbed a -

D/F#      G      B7      Em      Am      C      F

3. way, when your mind is thick and hope is thin and dark is all a -

D      G      Em      Am      Am/G      D      D7      *D.S. al fine*

3. round, I will stand be - side you till the dawn.