

# When I Need A Friend

- Coldplay -

Words and Music by Berryman, Buckland,  
Champion & Martin  
Arranged by Stefan Flügel  
Original Key D flat

rubato ♩ = 60

Original:  
Vocals only from A  
Piano from C

**A**

High

Mid

Low

Piano

Ho - ly, ho - ly Dove de - scend. Soft and slow - ly

Ho - ly, ho - ly Dove de - scend. Soft and slow - ly

Ho - ly, ho - ly Dove de - scend. Soft and slow - ly

pp

ppp

Con Ped.

**B**

9

H

M

L

P.

when I'm near the end Ho - ly, ho - ly dark de - fend, Shield me,

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Lyrics

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A  
Holy, Holy  
Dove descend  
Soft and slowly  
When I'm near the end

B  
Holy, Holy  
Dark defend  
Shield me, shōld\* me  
When I need a friend

C  
Slowly, slowly  
Violence end  
Love reign o'er me  
When I need a friend

shōld = short for shoulder