Caroline's Tips: A fantastic and up-lifting hit from The Eurythmics featuring Annie Lennox and David Stewart. Released in 1983, it has a pop/calypso style and was chosen for you as a fun and feel-good number. The lyrics reflect that we, the Rock Choir Team, will always be there for our Rockies especially in challenging times, "So when depression starts to win, I'm gonna be right by your side!" The melody has lovely phrasing which will give you voice satisfaction all the way through! Cx



Right By Your Side

Choir version created for Rock Choir by Rock Choir creator, Caroline Redman Lusher 2021 (V3)

Verse 1 & Chorus 1

(All) Give me two strong arms to pro-tect my-self... *
Ooh give me so much love that I for-get my-self... *
I need to swing from limb to limb * to re-lieve this mess I'm in 'cause when de-press-ion starts to win, *
I need to be * right by your side...... (Bass & Altos) Yes I do *

Verse 2 & Chorus 2

(All) No-one seems to touch me in the way you do... *
Ooh no-thing seems to hurt me when I'm close to you... *
I'm so full of de-sir-e * when you set my head on fir-e *
I need to be * right by your side.... (Bass & Altos) Yes I do *

Bridge

(Sops) Yeah, yeah, (All) yeah, yeah * yeah, yeah, yeah yeah * Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah * yeah, yeah, yeah yeah *

Sops & Altos: Ev'-ry sing-le one of us needs love, love, love... *

Ev'-ry bod-y needs to give and re-ceive love.. yeah!

Ev'-ry sing-le day can drag us down, down, down *

But there's no-thing left to fe-ar, when love gets in-to town.... yeah.... whoa, whoa, whoa!

Bass:

Ev'-ry-one needs love, love, love... * Ev'...ry... bod-y needs to... give and re-ceive love... yeah! *

Ev'-ry day is down, down, down `

Noth-ing left to fear, * love gets in-to town yeah.....whoa, whoa, whoa! *

Verse 3 & Chorus 3

(All) Hey, yey, yey, yey! ` I'm so full of de-sir-e`
when you set my head on fir-e`
I need to be ` right by your side......(All sustain)`
Ha ha! ` Cha cha! `
Come on, come on, come on ooh yeah `

Verse 4 & Chorus 4

(All) Give me two strong arms to pro-tect my-self... *
Ooh give me so much love that I for-get my-self... *
I need to swing from limb to limb * to re-lieve this mess I'm in 'cause when de-press-ion starts to win, *
I need to be * right by your side...... (All sustain) *

Outro

Ha ha! ` Right by your side......`
I need to be ` right by your side......`
Ha ha! `
I need to be ` right by your side.......`