

Lean on me

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♩ = 85
(alt va. 3e x) 4x (a capella)

Solo

We all_ need_ (s1-s2 va. 2e x) hmm,_ some-bo-dy_ oe,_ to lean on_

Koor SAM

Lean on, lean on, lean on, lean on,

(man va. 1e x)

We all need some-bo-dy, some -bo-dy to lean on, _

3

S

hmm,_ so you can lean on me. We all_ need

K

lean on, lean on, lean on me.

(niet laatste x)

we all need some - bo - dy, so lean on_ me.

5

K

(pi+handdrums/toms)

B

p ^{8va} F B \flat F Am Gm/C

9

A

F B \flat F Am Gm/C

K

1. Some - times in our lives_ we all have pain,_ we all have sor - row,_

13

F B \flat F C F

K

but if we are wise,_ we know that there's_ al-ways to mor - row._

17

K

Lean on_ me

B

F B \flat F C F

21

B

K

— when you're not strong, — and I'll be your friend, — I'll help you car - ry on. —

F B \flat F Am Gm/C

25

K

For it won't be long — 'til I'm gon-na need — some-bo-dy to lean — on. —

F B \flat F C F

29

C

S

2. Please swal-low your pride — if I have things — you need to bor - row, —

K

Please pride — you need to bor - row, —

F B \flat F Am Gm/C

33 F B \flat F C F

S for no one can fill those of your needs that you won't let show.

K for, oe oe You just (alt)

(unis.) that you won't let show.

37 **D** (sopr1/2)

S Call on me broth-er We all need some-bo-dy to lean on.

K call on me broth-er, when you need a hand. We all need some-bo-dy to lean on. I just

Call on me broth-er

41

S Might have a pro - blem We all need some-bo - dy to lean

K might have a pro - blem that you'd un - der stand. We all need some-bo - dy to lean

Might have a pro - blem

44 C F **E** F B \flat

K on. Lean on me when you're not strong, and I'll be your friend,

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47 F Am Gm/C F Bb

K
I'll help you car - ry on. For it won't be long 'til I'm gon-na need

51 F (sopr) C F F (sopr1/2)

S
some-bo-dy to lean on. Call on me broth-er We all_

(alt)
K
some-bo-dy to lean on. You just call on me broth-er, when you need a hand. We all_

K
Call on me broth-er

55

S
need some-bo-dy to lean on. Might have a pro-blem We all_

K
need some-bo-dy to lean on. I just might have a pro-blem that you'd un der stand. We all_

K
Might have a pro-blem

59 F Bb C F G (solist) F Bb

S
need some-bo dy to lean on. 3.If there is a load you have to bear

(s+a)
K
need some-bo dy to lean on. If there's a load

63 F Am Gm/C F B \flat

S that you can't car - ry, I'm right up the road, I'll share your load,

(a)

K you have to bear. Car - ry, oh oe

(ten)

67 F C F **H** (ad libs solist) Gm/F F Gm/F F Gm/F F

S if you just call me...

(alt) (a+s)

K if you just call me... Call me, call me, call me,

72 Gm/F F Gm/F F Gm/F F Gm/F F C $^{\circ}$ sus (s1/2-a1/2)

K call me, call me, call me, call me, call me!

78 (easy, rubato)

S Lean on me

F B \flat F B \flat

K *p* Call me

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82 I

S F B \flat F Am Gm/C

— when you're not strong, and I'll be your friend, I'll help you car - ry on.

K

86 F B \flat *a tempo!* F/C C

S For it won't be long 'til I'm gon-na need some-bo-dy, some-bo-dy to lean on!

K

90 J 3x (ad libs solist) (alt)

S Lean on lean on me, when you need a friend. Lean on lean on me,

K (ten)

94 | 1.2.

S Lean on lean on me, oe, yeah, you can

K

97 (3x) | 3.

S lean on me, oe, yeah, you can lean on me!

K