

Lean On Me

This song was written around a theme of reaching out and being there when a friend was down and needed a shoulder to lean on, an understanding ear to listen. It was written during a very tough, intense time in my own life, and I relied heavily on friends like this as well. In my own way, this song was an expression of gratitude to those who were good at always providing that listening ear and strong shoulder.

There's something special about having the kind of friend in which you could go to at 3AM with a need to talk about some serious issue..... when you know that person won't ever be upset, they'll always be there to listen, to understand. To truly know someone like this, and experience that kind of selfless love, is to truly be inspired to become that way yourself. This is much more than just a simple, singable song - it's a very special "thank you" from my heart.

- John