

# The Bridge Is You

Lyrics: John Frederick Mason

Music: Carsten Borbye Nielsen

$\text{♩} = 102$   
(unison)

A7 D G Em A A $\sharp$ dim

Here is sea, and here is land. On shifting shores alone I stand. These feet would

5 Bm /a G A D

walk but sink in sand. The mountain behind me, is that my home on the distant peak?

9 G A D G

Or is it the waves and the rushing foam? Hear their voices speak... When you

13 Em/g D Em/g D/f $\sharp$

stand on the edge the world breaks in two. You may

15 C F $\sharp$ sus4 F $\sharp$ 7 1. Bm 2. Bsus4 Bm

long for a bridge but the bridge is you. When you bridge is you.

Here is sea, and here is land.  
 On shifting shores alone I stand.  
 These feet would walk but sink in sand.  
 The mountain behind me – is that my home  
 on the distant peak?  
 Or is it the waves and the rushing foam?  
 Hear their voices speak...

*When you stand on the edge  
 the world breaks in two.  
 You may long for a bridge,  
 but the bridge is you.*

Here is land, and here is air.  
My house has roots and stands four-square.  
My dreams touch clouds, but do I dare?  
This gravity tells me to hold my ground  
and I dare not fly.  
The air whispers secrets, their sound is drowned  
in an endless sky...

*When you stand...*

Here is duty, here desire.  
I balance on this lonely wire.  
Both yes and no make me a liar.  
Each choice leaves a loss and it marks my will  
and my way ahead.  
There's no turning back and no standing still  
once the word is said...

*When you stand...*

Here is hope, and here despair.  
I'll scale the mountain if I dare.  
I'd sooner climb the safer stair.  
The handmaids of heaven may hold me tight  
or may let me fall.  
A dream turns to nightmare, a fear of heights  
when the angels call...

*When you stand...*

Here is me, and here is you.  
The seas between us, red and blue.  
A path to climb, a house in view.  
My feet are on fire, I climb the stair,  
and my wings are strong.  
I step through the dark and I find you there  
singing angel songs.

*When you stand...*