In the song “Stand by You” a strong message is being delivered about the power of friends/family and our need as humans to have support especially when we are going through tough times. Not only does the song have an inspiring message it also uses interesting symbolism to describe its theme. For example, the line that states “And hey you’re your wings are broken/Please take mine so yours can open, too/

'Cause I'm gonna stand by you”. I believe this is referencing angels and their wings. By allowing someone to borrow her wings she is saying that she is there to support them. The song also references going through a difficult time, which is something most people can relate to. Life is filled with hundreds of moments both good and challenging and this song serves as a reminder that we need others in our lives to help us get through those “times”. I believe this song serves as a reminder for us to appreciate those people who support us and act as our friends. We only get one life to live and we need to hold on to the people who help us enjoy it.