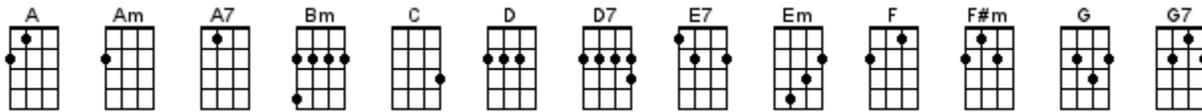


# Downtown

Tony Hatch (as recorded by Petula Clark 1964)



**INTRO:** <We love KEY CHANGES!> / 1 2 3 4 /

[C] / [F][G7] / [C] / [F][G7] /

[C] When you're a-[Em]lone and life is [F] making you [G7] lonely  
You can [C] always [Em] go [F] down-[G7] town  
[C] When you've got [Em] worries all the [F] noise and the [G7] hurry  
Seems to [C] help I [Em] know [F] down-[G7]town

Just [C] listen to the music of the [Am] traffic in the city  
[C] Linger on the sidewalk where the [Am] neon signs are pretty  
[G] How can you lose?

## CHORUS:

[F] The lights are much brighter there  
You can for-[D7]get all your troubles, forget all your cares  
And go [C] down-[Em]town  
[F] Things'll be [G7] great when you're  
[C] Down-[Em]town  
[F] No finer [G7] place for sure  
[C] Down-[Em]town  
[F] Everything's [G7] waiting for [C] you [G7] / [C][G7] /  
([C] Down-[G7]town) / [C][G7] /  
([C] Down-[G7]town) / [C][G7] /

[C] Don't hang a-[Em]round and let your [F] problems sur-[G7]round you  
There are [C] movie [Em] shows [F] down-[G7]town  
[C] Maybe you [Em] know some little [F] places to [G7] go to  
Where they [C] never [Em] close [F] down-[G7]town

Just [C] listen to the rhythm of a [Am] gentle bossa nova  
[C] You'll be dancing with him too be-[Am]fore the night is over  
[G] Happy again

## CHORUS:

[F] The lights are much brighter there  
You can for-[D7]get all your troubles forget all your cares  
And go [C] down-[Em]town  
[F] Where all the [G7] lights are bright  
[C] Down-[Em]town  
[F] Waiting for [G7] you tonight  
[C] Down-[Em]town  
[F] You're gonna [G7] be alright [C] now [G7] / [C][G7] /  
([C] Down-[G7]town) / [C][G7] / <KEY CHANGE>  
([D] Down-[A7]town) / [D][A7] /

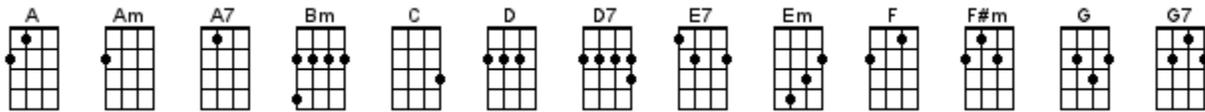
## INSTRUMENTAL VERSE:

[D] When you're a-[F#m]lone and life is [G] making you [A7] lonely  
You can [D] always [F#m] go [G] down-[A7]town  
[D] When you've got [F#m] worries all the [G] noise and the [A7] hurry  
Seems to [D] help I [F#m] know [G] down-[A7]town

And [D] you may find somebody kind to [Bm] help and understand you  
[D] Someone who is just like you and [Bm] needs a gentle hand  
To [A] guide them along

## CHORUS:

[G] So maybe I'll see you there  
We can for-[E7]get all our troubles, forget all our cares, and go  
[D] Down-[F#m]town  
[G] Things'll be [A7] great when you're  
[D] Down-[F#m]town  
[G] Don't wait a [A7] minute more  
[D] Down-[F#m]town  
[G] Everything's [A7] waiting for [D] you [A7] / [D] [A7]  
( [D] *Down-[A7]town* [D] *down-[A7]town* )  
[D] Down-[A7]town  
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