



"Downtown" is a song written and produced by [Tony Hatch](#). The 1964 version recorded by [Petula Clark](#) became an international hit

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WUSYb3igXzI>

Downtown in Key C - Petula Clark - 1964

[C//] [Cmaj7//] [F//] [G7//]

[C] When you're [Cmaj7] alone and life is [F] making you [G7] lonely You can [C] always go ... <F> down <G> town

[C] When you've got [Cmaj7] worries, all the [F] noise and the [G7] hurry Seems to [C] help, I know ... <F> down <G> 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

[Em] How can you lose?

[F] The [G7] lights are much [F] brighter there

You can for [D7] get all your troubles, forget all your cares

So go [C] down [Cmaj7] town [F] Things will be [G] great when

you're [C] down [Cmaj7] town [F] You'll find a [G] place for sure,

[C] down [Cmaj7] town [F] Everything's [G] waiting for [C] you

[C//] Down [Cmaj7//] town [F] [G] [C//] Down [Cmaj7//] town

[F] [G]

[C] Don't hang [Cmaj7] around and let your [F] problems su [G7] rround you

There are [C] movie [Cmaj7] shows ... <F> down <G> town

[C] Maybe you [Cmaj7] know some little [F] places to [G7] go

to Where they [C] never [Cmaj7] close ... <F> down <G> town

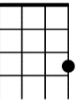
Just [C] listen to the rhythm of a [Am] gentle bossa nova

[C] You'll be dancing with 'em too be [Am] fore the night is

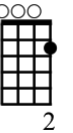
over [Em] Happy again

[F] The [G7] lights are much [F] brighter there

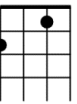
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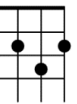
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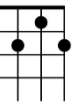
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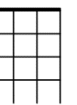
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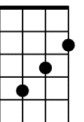
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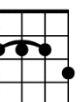
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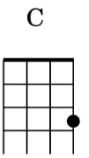
Em



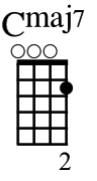
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You can for **[D7]** get all your troubles, forget all your cares



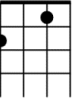
So go **[C]** down **[Cmaj7]** town, **[F]** where all the **[G]** lights are bright, **[C]** Down **[Cmaj7]** town, **[F]** waiting for you to **[G]** night, **[C]** down **[Cmaj7]** town **[F]** You're gonna be al**[G]**right **[C]** now,



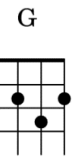
[C//] Down **[Cmaj7//]** town **[F]** **[G]** **[C//]** Down **[Cmaj7//]** town **[F]** **[G]**

F

And **[C]** you may find somebody kind to **[Am]** help and understand you



[C] Someone who is just like you and **[Am]** needs a gentle hand to



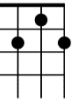
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[Em] Guide them along

[F] So maybe I'll see you there

G7

We can **[D7]** forget all our troubles, forget all our cares and go



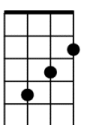
[C] Down **[Cmaj7]** town **[F]** **[G]** **[C]** Down **[Cmaj7]** town **[F]** **[G]**

Am

[C] Down **[Cmaj7]** town **[F]** **[G]** Down **[C]** town <C>



Em



D7

