# Downtown

Tony Hatch (as recorded by Petula Clark 1964)

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**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

**[D]** **(Down-[A7]town)**

**[D]** Down-**[A7]**town **/ [D][A7] / [D]↓**

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