

Downtown

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Women: When you're alone and life is making you lonely
You can always go downtown

Men: When you've got worries, all the noise and the hurry
Seems to help, I know, downtown

All: Just listen to the music of the traffic in the city
Linger on the sidewalk where the neon signs are pretty
How can you lose?
The lights are much brighter there
You can forget all your troubles, forget all your cares,

Chorus: **And go downtown**
Things will be great when you're downtown
No finer place for sure, downtown
Everything's waiting for you

Women: Don't hang around and let your problems surround you
There are movie shows downtown

Men: Maybe you know some little places to go to
Where they never close downtown.

All: Just listen to the rhythm of a gentle bossa nova
You'll be dancing with 'em too before the night is over
Happy again
The lights are much brighter there
You can forget all your troubles, forget all your cares.

Chorus:

<instrumental 4 lines>

All: And you may find somebody kind to help and understand you,
Someone who is just like you and needs a gentle hand to
Guide them along.
So maybe I'll see you there,
We can forget all our troubles, forget all our cares

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Downtown — everything's waiting for you!