

Y.M.C.A.

V= SINGLE DOWN STUM

**C**  
 Young man there's no need to feel down  
**Am**  
 I said, young man pick yourself off the ground  
**Dm**  
 I said, young man 'cause you're in a new town  
**G V V V V V**  
 There's no need to be un - hap - py  
**C**  
 Young man there's a place you can go  
**Am**  
 I said, young man when you're short on your dough  
**Dm**  
 You can stay there and I'm sure you will find  
**G V V V V**  
 Many ways to have a good time

**Chorus:**

**C**  
 It's fun to stay at the Y M C A  
**Am**  
 It's fun to stay at the Y M C A  
**Dm**  
 They have everything for young men to enjoy  
**G**  
 You can hang out with all the boys  
**C**  
 It's fun to stay at the Y M C A  
**Am**  
 It's fun to stay at the Y M C A  
**Dm**  
 You can get yourself clean, you can have a  
 good meal  
**G**  
 You can do whatever you feel

**C**  
 Young man, are you listening to me?  
**Am**  
 I said, young man, what do you want to be?  
**Dm**  
 I said, young man, you can make real your dreams,  
**G**  
 but you got to know this one thing!

**G**  
 No man does it all by himself,  
**Am**  
 I said, young man, put your pride on the shelf,  
**Dm**  
 And just go there, to the Y-M-C-A,  
**G V V V V V**  
 I'm sure they can help you to - day.

**(CHORUS)**

**C**  
 Young man, I was once in your shoes,  
**Am**  
 I said, I was down and out with the blues,  
**Dm**  
 I felt no man cared if I were alive,  
**G V V V V V**  
 I felt the whole world was so tight and.  
**C**  
 That's when someone came up to me,  
**Am**  
 And said, young man, take a walk up the street,  
**Dm**  
 There's a place there called the Y-M-C-A,  
**G V V V V V VVVV**  
 They can start you back on your way.  
**(HOLD)**

**(CHORUS)**

**C**  
 It's fun to stay at the Y M C A  
**Am**  
 It's fun to stay at the Y M C A  
**Am Dm GV V V V V V C (HOLD)**

