

YMCA – Village People Intro: **C Am Dm G** (1st 4 lines)

(**C**) Young man, there's no need to feel down, I said
(**Am**) Young man, pick yourself off the ground, I said
(**Dm**) Young man, cause you're in a new town
There's no (**G**) need to be unhappy.
(**C**) Young man, there's a place you can go, I said
(**Am**) Young man, when you're short on your dough, you can
(**Dm**) Stay there, and I'm sure you will find
Many (**G**) ways to have a good time. (STOP) -5 beats

Chorus

*It's fun to stay at the (**C**) YMCA, it's fun to stay at the (**Am**) YMCA
They have (**Dm**) everything for you to enjoy, you can (**G**) hang out with all the boys
It's fun to stay at the (**C**) YMCA, it's fun to stay at the (**Am**) YMCA
You can (**Dm**) get yourself cleaned, you can have a good meal
You can (**G**) do whatever you feel.*

(**C**) Young man, are you listening to me, I said
(**Am**) Young man, what do you want to be, I said
(**Dm**) Young man, you can make real your dreams,
But you've (**G**) got to know this one thing..
(**C**) No man does it all by himself, I said
(**Am**) Young man, put your pride on the shelf and just
(**Dm**) Go there, to the YMCA, I'm sure (**G**) they can help you today. 5 beats

Chorus

(**C**) Young man, I was once in your shoes, I said
(**Am**) I was down and out with the blues, I felt
(**Dm**) No man cared if I were alive
I felt (**G**) the whole world was so tight.
(**C**) That's when someone came up to me and said,
(**Am**) "Young man, take a walk up the street, there's a
(**Dm**) Place there called the YMCA
They can (**G**) start you back on your way - 5 beats

Chorus

It's fun to stay at the (**C**) YMCA
It's fun to stay at the (**Am**) YMCA
They have (**Dm**) everything for you men to enjoy
(slowing down) You can (**G**) hang out with all the boys (**C**)