

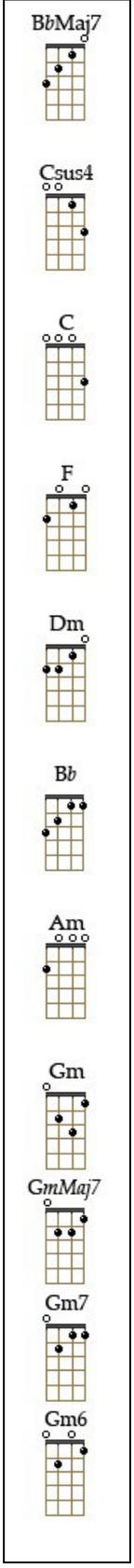
Intro: **BbMaj7** % % % **Csus4** C(sus4)

F %
Young man, there's no need to feel down
Dm %
I said, young man, pick yourself off the ground
Bb %
I said, young man, 'cause you're in a new town
1 2 et 3 4 1 et 2 3 4
C/E - Bb/D / - Am/C - Bb / Am - C/G
There's no need to be un-hap-py

F %
Young man, there's a place you can go
Dm %
I said, young man, when you're short on your dough
Bb %
You can stay there, and I'm sure you will find
C/E - Bb/D / - Am/C - Bb / Am - Gm C | | | | C | ...
Many ways to have a good time

Refrain: **F** %
It's fun to stay at the Y__ M. C. A.
Dm %
It's fun to stay at the Y__ M. C. A. - hey
Gm / Gm(Maj7) Gm7 / Gm6
They have e-ve-ry- thing for young men to en-joy
Csus4 C
You can hang out with all the boys
F %
It's fun to stay at the Y__ M. C. A.
Dm %
It's fun to stay at the Y__ M. C. A. - hey
Gm / Gm(Maj7) Gm7 / Gm6
You can get yourself clean, you can have a good meal
Csus4 C
You can do whatever you feel

F %
Young man, are you listening to me?
Dm %
I said, young man, what do you want to be?
Bb %
I said, young man, you can make real your dreams
C/E - Bb/D / - Am/C - Bb / Am - C/G
But you've got to know this one thing!
F %
No man does it all by himself
Dm %
I said, young man, put your pride on the shelf,
Bb %
And just go there, to the Y. M. C. A.
C/E - Bb/D / - Am/C - Bb / Am - Gm C | | | | C | ...
I'm sure they can help you to - day



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 You can do whatever you feel

F %
 Young man, I was once in your shoes
Dm %
 I said, I was down and out with the blues
Bb %
 I felt *no man* cared if I were alive
C/E - Bb/D / - Am/C - Bb / Am - C/G
 I felt *the whole world was so jive*

F %
 That's when someone came up to me,
Dm %
 And said, *young man*, take a walk up the street
Bb %
 It's a *place there* called the YMCA
C/E - Bb/D / - Am/C - Bb / Am - Gm **C | | | | C | ...**
 They can *start you back on your way*

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 Young man, young man there's no need to feel down
C %
 Young man, young man, pick yourself off the ground

Coda (repeat to fade) **F** % **Dm** %
 Y__ M. C. A. Then just go to the Y__ M. C. A. - hey
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Csus4 **C**
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