

Up On The Roof

Carole King & Gerry Goffin, sung by The Drifters

G Em
When this old world starts a getting me down
C D G
And people are just too much for me to face
G Em
I climb way up to the top of the stairs
C D G
And all my cares just drift right into space
C C6 CM7 C
On the roof, it's peaceful as can be
G Em C D
And there the world below can't bother me

G Em
So when I come home feeling tired and beat
C D G
I go up where the air is fresh and sweet
G Em
I get away from the hustling crowd
C D G
And all that rat race noise down in the street

C C6 CM7 C
On the roof, the only place I know
G Em C
Where you just have to wish to make it so
D G
Let's go up on the roof

Instrumental (verse)

G Em C D G
A |-----0-32-----3-2-----2
E |--3-3-3-3--3-3-3--3--0--03--
C |-2-----2--2-----
G |-----

C C6 CM7 C
At night the stars, put on a show for free
G Em C D
And darling, you can share it all with me
I keep a telling you

G Em
Right smack dab in the middle of town
C D G
I've found a paradise that's trouble proof
G Em
And if this world starts getting you down
C D G
There's room enough for two up on the roof
Em G
Up on the roof, up on the roof
Em G
Up on the roof, up on the roof

