

## YMCA - The Village People

**V1** [G] Young man, there's no need to feel down  
I said, [Em] young man, pick yourself off the ground  
I said, [Am] young man, 'cause you're in a new town  
There's no [D] need to be un-happy.

**V2** [G] Young man, there's a place you can go.  
I said, [Em] young man, when you're short on your dough.  
You can [Am] stay there, and I'm sure you will find  
Many [D] ways to have a good time. // // //

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

**V3** [G] Young man, are you listening to me?  
I said, [Em] young man, what do you want to be?  
I said, [Am] young man, you can make real your dreams,  
But you've [D] got to know this one thing

**V4** [G] No man does it all by himself  
I said, [Em] young man, put your pride on the shelf,  
And just [Am] go there, to the YMCA  
I'm sure [D] they can help you today. // // //

**Chorus:**

**V5** [G] Young man, I was once in your shoes  
I said, [Em] I was down and out with the blues  
I felt [Am] no man, cared if I were alive  
I felt [D] the whole world was so tight

**V6** [G] That's when, someone came up to me,  
And said, [Em] young man, take a walk up the street  
There's a [Am] place there, called the YMCA  
They can [D] start you back on your way // // //

**Outro:** It's fun to stay at the [G] Y-M-C-A, It's fun to stay at the [Em] Y-M-C-A  
They have [Am] everything, for young men to enjoy,  
You can [D] hang out with all the boys  
[G] Y-M-C-A, It's fun to stay at the [Em] Y-M-C-A  
[Am] Young man, young man, there's no need to feel down  
[D] Young man, young man, get yourself off the ground  
[G] Y-M-C-A, Just go to the [Em] Y-M-C-A **(Fade)**