

UP ON THE ROOF

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Music Carole King and Lyrics Gerry Goffin

When this old world starts getting me down
People are just too much for me to face
I climb way up to the top of the stairs
And all my cares just drift right into space

On the roof, it's peaceful as can be
And there the world below can't bother me

Let me tell you now
When I come home feeling tired and beat
I go up where the air is fresh and sweet
I get away from the hustling crowd
And all that rat-race noise down in the street

On the roof, the only place I know
Where you just have to wish to make it so
Let's go up on the roof...

[BREAK]

At night the stars put on a show for free
And darling, you can share it all with me
I keep a telling you...

Right smack dab in the middle of town
I've found a paradise that's trouble proof
If this old world starts getting you down
There's room enough for two

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