Up on the Roof
by Gerry Goffin and Carole King (1962)

Chords:

G    Em                         C                 D       G
When this old world starts getting me down, and people are just too much for me to face

G      Em       C                     D     G
I climb way up to the top of the stairs and all my cares just drift right into space

C
On the roof it's peaceful as can be

G                          Em  C      D
And there the world below don't bother me

G         Em             C            D             G
So when I come home feelin' tired and beat, I'll go up where the air is fresh and sweet

Em   C            D      G
I'll get away from the hustling crowd and all that rat-race noise down in the street

C
On the roof that's the only place I know

G          Em        C  D   G
Where you just have to wish to make it so
(Let's go up on the roof)

C
At night the starts put on a show for free,

G             Em       C    D
And darling you can share it all with me

(I keep on telling you that)

G          Em        C  D   G
Right smack dab in the middle of town, I've found a paradise that's trouble proof

G   Em    C     D    G       Em
And if this old world starts getting you down, there's room enough for tw, up on the roof

C   D
Up on the roof

G    Em
Up on the roof

C   D   G
Up on the roof

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