

CARING AVENUE

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verse one:

When I see a friend who's lookin' lonely
Right there in my busy day,
I can feel a tug that causes me
To send a little smile her way.
And if I sense that's not enough,
I turn to her and say,
"Why don't we stop what we're doin'
And go outside and play?"
We're...

chorus:

Living on Caring Avenue.
Our hearts know exactly what to do.
You give to me, I give to you.
We're living on Caring Avenue.

verse two:

When I have a problem, and I'm thinkin'
"Maybe this time hope is gone,"
Suddenly I hear a voice beside me
Sayin', "Hey, what's goin' on?"
And then I know I'm not alone.
I'll make it through somehow.
That's when I stop goin' crazy
'Cause someone's with me now.

Key of Bb

120 beats per minute

INTRO: 4/4 | Bbmaj7 | Bbmaj7 | Bbmaj7 | Bbmaj7 |

VERSE: | Bbmaj7 | Bbmaj7 | Cm7 | Cm7 |
F7sus	F7	Bbmaj7	Bbmaj7
Bbmaj7	Bbmaj7	Cm7	Cm7
F7	F7	Eb	F

CHORUS: | Bbmaj7 | Gm7 | Cm7 | F7sus F7 |
| Bbmaj7 | Gm7 | Cm7 | F7sus F7 |

HALF INTRO: | Bbmaj7 | Bbmaj7 |

VERSE --- CHORUS --- HALF INTRO

BRIDGE: | Ebmaj7 | F7 | Bb | Gm7 |
Cm7	F7	Bbmaj7	Bbmaj7
Cm7	F7	Bb F/A	Gm7 Gm/F
C7	C7	F7sus	F7

VERSE

LAST CHORUS: | Bbmaj7 | Gm7 | Cm7 | F7sus F7 |
| Bbmaj7 | Gm7 | Cm7 | F7 |
| Bbmaj7 | Bbmaj7 | Bbmaj7 | Bbmaj7 ||

(repeat chorus)

bridge:

It's never wrong to sing a song
On this two-way street,
With its ups and downs,
Its sour and sweet,
Its mysteries and imperfections.
We all arrive without directions.
Its kinda neat
To find our beat.

verse three:

When I read about a total stranger
Living in a far-off land
Who's swallowed up by fear and anger,
It is hard for me to understand.
I lie awake and think out loud,
"Hey, wouldn't it be good
If we could stop and talk it over
In a loving neighborhood?"
And sing...

(repeat chorus)