

# I Want to Live in Old Vancouver

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SONG

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*f*

The first system of the piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a melodic line with eighth and quarter notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and eighth notes. The music is in a minor key and common time.

7 *mf*

Oh it's strange that Old Van - cou - ver Has to be such a  
When I get back to the ci - ty You can bet I will

The second system features the vocal line starting at measure 7. The piano accompaniment continues with a steady eighth-note pattern in the left hand and chords in the right hand.

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beau - ti - ful town, It's a love - ly place to spend your next va - ca -  
be there to stay, 'Cause it seems to me that ev - 'ry-thing is sun -

The third system continues the vocal and piano accompaniment. The piano part maintains its accompaniment pattern, supporting the vocal melody.

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tion. It's a place where you'll find re - al re - cre - a - tion.  
shine. When you're there be - lieve me you will have a swell time.

The fourth system concludes the piece. The piano accompaniment ends with a final chord in the right hand and a sustained bass note in the left hand.

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It's the land of love and sun - shine Just drop off here and give us a  
 Go and get a prett - y girl - lie Ev - 'ry glance you can pick out a

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trial And you will be de - light - ed with the scene - ry As you  
 peach Then hop in - to a car and keep on go - ing 'Till you

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tra - vel mile by the mile CHORUS *mf* (repeat *f*)  
 get down to the beach I want to live in old Van - cou - ver

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dear, That's where I'm from, I hope I'm al - ways near where the

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*cresc.*

girls all call you honey, It's a place where you make money, I will soon \_\_\_\_\_ be \_\_\_\_\_ as rich as John D.

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*cresc.*

57

Rock-e - feller! Oh to live down by the sea, \_\_\_\_\_ Won't that be Par-a-dise for you and

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*p*

*mp*

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*mf*

*cresc.*

me \_\_\_\_\_ Oh there's lots of joy in liv-ing In a place so much like heaven. Down in

64

*mf*

*cresc.*

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*f*

Old Van - cou-ver, B. C. \_\_\_\_\_ I want to C. \_\_\_\_\_

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*f*