



## Fill in the gaps

### Brand new me by Alicia Keys

It's (1)\_\_\_\_\_ a while  
I'm not who I was before  
You look surprised  
Your words don't burn me anymore  
Been meaning to tell you but I guess (2)\_\_\_\_\_ clear  
to see  
Don't be mad, it's just a brand new kind of me  
Can't be bad  
I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ a (4)\_\_\_\_\_ new (5)\_\_\_\_\_ of  
free  
(6)\_\_\_\_\_ with your ego,  
(7)\_\_\_\_\_ the one that we should blame  
Had to grab my heart back  
God know something had to change  
Thought that you'd be (8)\_\_\_\_\_  
I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ the one thing I need, why you mad?  
It's just a brand new kind of me  
It took a long, long time to get here  
It took a brave, brave girl to try  
It took one too (10)\_\_\_\_\_ excuses  
One too many (11)\_\_\_\_\_  
Don't be surprised, don't be surprised  
If I talk a (12)\_\_\_\_\_ louder  
If I speak up when you're (13)\_\_\_\_\_  
If I walk a little taller

I've been (14)\_\_\_\_\_ you too long  
If you notice (15)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm different, don't take it  
personally  
Don't be mad, it's just a brand new kind of me  
(16)\_\_\_\_\_ ain't bad, I found a brand new kind of free  
It took a long, (17)\_\_\_\_\_ road to get here  
It took a brave, brave girl to try  
I've (18)\_\_\_\_\_ one too many excuses  
One too (19)\_\_\_\_\_ lies  
Don't be surprised, all saying you look surprised  
If you were a friend you wanna get to (20)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
again  
If your were worth a (21)\_\_\_\_\_  
You would be happy to see me smile  
I'm not expecting sorry  
I'm too (22)\_\_\_\_\_ (23)\_\_\_\_\_ myself  
I've got this, I've found me, I've (24)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
I (25)\_\_\_\_\_ need your opinion, I'm not waiting for  
your okay  
I'll never be perfect, but at (26)\_\_\_\_\_ now I'm brave  
And now my heart is open, I can finally breathe  
(27)\_\_\_\_\_ be mad, it's just a brand new kind of  
free  
That ain't bad, I found a (28)\_\_\_\_\_ new  
(29)\_\_\_\_\_ of me  
Don't be mad, it's a brand new time for me



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### Answer

1. been
2. it's
3. found
4. brand
5. kind
6. Careful
7. He's
8. happy
9. found
10. many
11. lies
12. little
13. wrong
14. under
15. that
16. That
17. long
18. taken
19. many
20. know
21. while
22. busy
23. finding
24. found
25. don't
26. least
27. Don't
28. brand
29. kind