



## Fill in the gaps

### Brand new me by Alicia Keys

It's been a while  
I'm not who I was before  
You look surprised  
Your words don't burn me anymore  
(1)\_\_\_\_\_ meaning to tell you but I guess it's clear to see  
Don't be mad, it's (2)\_\_\_\_\_ a brand new kind of me  
Can't be bad  
I found a brand new kind of free  
Careful with your ego,  
(3)\_\_\_\_\_ the one that we should blame  
Had to grab my heart back  
God know something had to change  
Thought that you'd be happy  
I found 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 many excuses  
One too many (4)\_\_\_\_\_  
Don't be surprised, don't be surprised  
If I talk a little louder  
If I speak up when you're wrong  
If I walk a little taller

I've (5)\_\_\_\_\_ under you too long  
If you notice that I'm different, don't take it  
(6)\_\_\_\_\_  
Don't be mad, it's just a brand new kind of me  
That ain't bad, I found a brand new kind of free  
It took a long, long road to get here  
It took a brave, brave girl to try  
I've taken one too many excuses  
One too many lies  
Don't be surprised, all saying you look surprised  
If you were a friend you wanna get to know me again  
If your were worth a while  
You would be happy to see me smile  
I'm not expecting sorry  
I'm too busy finding myself  
I've got this, I've found me, I've found me  
I don't (7)\_\_\_\_\_ your opinion, (8)\_\_\_\_\_ not  
waiting for your okay  
I'll never be perfect, but at least now I'm (9)\_\_\_\_\_  
And now my heart is open, I can finally breathe  
Don't be mad, it's just a brand new kind of free  
That ain't bad, I found a brand new (10)\_\_\_\_\_ of me  
Don't be mad, it's a brand new time for me



Answer

1. Been
2. just
3. He's
4. lies
5. been
6. personally
7. need
8. I'm
9. brave
10. kind

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