



## 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  
(1)\_\_\_\_\_ (2)\_\_\_\_\_ (3)\_\_\_\_\_ burn  
me (4)\_\_\_\_\_  
(5)\_\_\_\_\_ meaning to tell you but I guess it's clear to see  
Don't be mad, (6)\_\_\_\_\_ just a brand new kind of  
me  
Can't be bad  
I found a brand new kind of free  
(7)\_\_\_\_\_ with your ego,  
He's the one that we should blame  
Had to grab my heart (8)\_\_\_\_\_  
God know something had to change  
Thought (9)\_\_\_\_\_ you'd be happy  
I found the one thing I need, why you mad?  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ (11)\_\_\_\_\_ a brand new kind of me  
It (12)\_\_\_\_\_ a long, (13)\_\_\_\_\_ time to get here  
It took a brave, brave (14)\_\_\_\_\_ to try  
It took one too many excuses  
One too many lies  
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 been under you too long  
If you notice that I'm different, don't (15)\_\_\_\_\_ it  
personally  
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, (16)\_\_\_\_\_ (17)\_\_\_\_\_ to get here  
It (18)\_\_\_\_\_ a brave, brave girl to try  
I've (19)\_\_\_\_\_ one too (20)\_\_\_\_\_ excuses  
One too many (21)\_\_\_\_\_  
Don't be surprised, all saying you look surprised  
If you were a friend you wanna get to (22)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
again  
If your were worth a while  
You would be happy to see me (23)\_\_\_\_\_  
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 need your opinion, I'm not waiting for your okay  
(24)\_\_\_\_\_ never be perfect, but at least now I'm  
brave  
And now my heart is open, I can (25)\_\_\_\_\_  
(26)\_\_\_\_\_  
Don't be mad, it's just a brand new kind of (27)\_\_\_\_\_  
That ain't bad, I found a brand new kind of me  
Don't be mad, it's a (28)\_\_\_\_\_ new time for me



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**Answer**

1. Your
2. words
3. don't
4. anymore
5. Been
6. it's
7. Careful
8. back
9. that
10. It's
11. just
12. took
13. long
14. girl
15. take
16. long
17. road
18. took
19. taken
20. many
21. lies
22. know
23. smile
24. I'll
25. finally
26. breathe
27. free
28. brand