



## Fill in the gaps

### Brand new me by Alicia Keys

It's been a while  
I'm not who I was (1) \_\_\_\_\_  
You look surprised  
Your (2) \_\_\_\_\_ don't burn me anymore  
Been meaning to tell you but I (3) \_\_\_\_\_ it's clear to see  
Don't be mad, it's just a brand new kind of me  
Can't be bad  
I found a brand new kind of free  
Careful with your ego,  
He's the one that we should blame  
Had to (4) \_\_\_\_\_ my (5) \_\_\_\_\_ back  
God know something had to change  
Thought that you'd be happy  
I found the one (6) \_\_\_\_\_ 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 (7) \_\_\_\_\_ excuses  
One too many (8) \_\_\_\_\_  
Don't be surprised, don't be surprised  
If I talk a little louder  
If I speak up (9) \_\_\_\_\_ you're wrong  
If I (10) \_\_\_\_\_ a little taller

I've been under you too long  
If you (11) \_\_\_\_\_ that I'm different, don't take it personally  
Don't be mad, it's (12) \_\_\_\_\_ a brand new kind of me  
That ain't bad, I found a (13) \_\_\_\_\_ new  
(14) \_\_\_\_\_ of free  
It took a long, long road to get (15) \_\_\_\_\_  
It took a brave, brave girl to try  
I've (16) \_\_\_\_\_ one too (17) \_\_\_\_\_ excuses  
One too many lies  
Don't be surprised, all saying you look surprised  
If you were a friend you (18) \_\_\_\_\_ get to know me again  
If your were (19) \_\_\_\_\_ a while  
You would be happy to see me smile  
I'm not (20) \_\_\_\_\_ sorry  
I'm too busy finding myself  
I've got this, I've found me, I've found me  
I don't (21) \_\_\_\_\_ your opinion, I'm not waiting for your okay  
I'll never be perfect, but at least now I'm brave  
And now my heart is open, I can (22) \_\_\_\_\_ breathe  
Don't be mad, it's just a brand new kind of free  
That ain't bad, I found a (23) \_\_\_\_\_ new kind of me  
Don't be mad, it's a brand new time for me



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**Answer**

1. before
2. words
3. guess
4. grab
5. heart
6. thing
7. many
8. lies
9. when
10. walk
11. notice
12. just
13. brand
14. kind
15. here
16. taken
17. many
18. wanna
19. worth
20. expecting
21. need
22. finally
23. brand