



## Brand new me by Alicia Keys

### Fill in the gaps

It's (1)\_\_\_\_\_ a while  
I'm not who I was before  
You look surprised  
Your words (2)\_\_\_\_\_ burn me anymore  
(3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ to tell you but I guess 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 (5)\_\_\_\_\_ new (6)\_\_\_\_\_ of free  
Careful (7)\_\_\_\_\_ your ego,  
He's the one that we should (8)\_\_\_\_\_  
Had to grab my heart back  
God know something had to change  
Thought that you'd be (9)\_\_\_\_\_  
I found the one (10)\_\_\_\_\_ I need, why you mad?  
(11)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 lies  
Don't be surprised, don't be surprised  
If I talk a little louder  
If I speak up when you're (12)\_\_\_\_\_  
If I walk a little taller

I've (13)\_\_\_\_\_ under you too long  
If you (14)\_\_\_\_\_ that I'm different, don't take it personally  
Don't be mad, it's just a brand new kind of me  
(15)\_\_\_\_\_ ain't bad, I (16)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (17)\_\_\_\_\_  
Don't be surprised, all saying you (18)\_\_\_\_\_ surprised  
If you were a friend you (19)\_\_\_\_\_ get to (20)\_\_\_\_\_ me again  
If your were worth a while  
You (21)\_\_\_\_\_ be happy to see me (22)\_\_\_\_\_

I'm not expecting sorry  
I'm too (23)\_\_\_\_\_ finding myself  
I've got this, I've found me, I've found me  
I (24)\_\_\_\_\_ need (25)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 finally breathe  
Don't be mad, it's (26)\_\_\_\_\_ a brand new (27)\_\_\_\_\_ of (28)\_\_\_\_\_  
That ain't bad, I found a brand new kind of me  
Don't be mad, it's a brand new time for me



Answer

**Fill in the gaps**

1. been
2. don't
3. Been
4. meaning
5. brand
6. kind
7. with
8. blame
9. happy
10. thing
11. It's
12. wrong
13. been
14. notice
15. That
16. found
17. lies
18. look
19. wanna
20. know
21. would
22. smile
23. busy
24. don't
25. your
26. just
27. kind
28. free