

# Higher

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He said, "This is flesh of my flesh and bone of my bone. She shall be called woman." It was all woman when you saw me. Do I have any real people, in this room?

Soften up the mess  
Drop it in the water  
Let the daughter find her image with the rest  
She'll be learning how to breathe  
Spinning through identity  
Revealing 'nother pretty little scheme  
Save her mind  
Hold her hand  
And don't believe a lie, you understand me?

Walk her down the valley  
Pack a piece of heaven for the bottoms of her feet  
Teach her how to jump and how to stretch when she reach  
Like the angels do and you gon' make it through now  
Tell her 'bout the healer  
Greater is the one we finna call him as the leader  
Teach her how to hold her pretty hand up to the sky  
And imma wait upon the giver  
He'll deliver like a dealer

To take her higher  
Higher  
Fly out the valley and the fire  
Take her higher  
Higher  
Fly up out the valley and the fire

Train her feet for runnin'  
Show her every door and how the window's let the sun in  
Copy out the key and tell her, "This is forth becoming"  
Even in the fever, baby cry and get to runnin'  
And tell her that you better get your boots trapped up, you're with the army  
Ready when the truth act up, nothing can harm me  
Yelling from the roof, I touch  
Put up a guard and count to ten  
Lion's den, speaking with a higher pen  
Can't be touched by fire then

Fast-forward to the grown things now  
I'm working on them soul things now  
Forgiven all your old ways  
But it's harder on the cold days (Cold days)  
Never been a product of a flawless environment  
Never acted like I'm higher than you, you, you, you, you  
And I still pray

Dear God, won't you send me a break?  
'Cause I need to get away, yeah  
Dear God, won't you send me a break?  
'Cause I, I need to get away, yeah  
'Cause I would rather be, rather be runnin' away  
I would rather be, rather be runnin'  
Dear God, won't you send me a break?

'Cause I need to get away, yeah ('Cause I need to get away now)  
I need to get away now