

## Just Like A Woman

Richie Havens

Nobody feels any pain  
Tonight, as I stand inside the rain  
Everybody knows that baby's got new clothes  
Lately I see her ribbons and her bows  
Have fallen from her curls

Ah, she takes just like a woman  
And she makes love just like a woman  
And she aches just like a woman  
But she breaks just like a little girl, mm-mm

Ah, Queen Mary, she's my friend  
I believe I'll go see her again  
Ain't nobody has to guess that baby can't be blessed  
'Til she finds out that she's like all the rest  
With her fog, her amphetamine, and her pearls

Ah, she takes just like a woman  
Yes, she does, and she makes love just like a woman  
And she aches just like a woman  
But she breaks just like a little girl

Oh, it was raining from the first and I was dying there of thirst  
So I came in here  
And your long-time curse hurts, but what's worse  
Is this pain in here, I can't stay in here, ain't it clear

Oh, I just can't fit  
I believe it's time for us to quit  
Then when we meet again  
Then introduced as friends  
Please don't let on that you knew me when  
I was hungry and it was your world

Ah, you fake just like a woman  
Yes, you do, and you make love just like a woman  
And you ache just like a woman  
But you break just like a little girl  
You break just like a little girl, mm-hmm-mm