

## The Benediction (A Good Woman)

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Take me for word, I will be loyal  
I will do my best to remain joyful  
Love me for all my little foibles  
I wanna be a good woman

Call me by my name and I will answer  
Ask me of my dreams, here and ever after  
Spin me to the music, I'm no dancer  
I wanna be a good woman

A strong and reliable daughter  
A kind and understanding sister  
A dear and attentive friend and lover  
A girl with her heart on fire

Listen and you'll hear what I am saying  
Feelings I have difficulty relaying  
My silence isn't absence, I'm just praying  
I wanna be a good woman  
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