Woman

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You gotta be fortunate You gotta be lucky now I was just sitting here Thinking good and bad

But I'm the kinda woman
That was built to last
They tried erasing me
They couldn't wipe out my past

To save my child I'd rather go hungry I got all of Ethiopia Inside of me

And my blood flows
Through every man
In this godless land that delivered me
I've cried so many tears even the blind can see

This is a woman's world This is my world This is a woman's world For this man's girl

There ain't a woman in this world Not a woman or a girl That can't deliver love In a man's world

I've born and I've bread I've cleaned and I've fed And for my healing wits I've been called a witch

I've crackled in the fire
And been called a liar
Died so many times
I'm only just coming to life
(Woman)

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(Woman)
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(Woman)

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Through every man and every child
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I cried so many tears, even the blind can see
(Woman)

This is a woman's world
This is my world
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There ain't a woman in this world Not a woman or a girl (Woman) That can't deliver love In a man's world (Woman)

Oh, this is a woman's world Woman Woman