

Youssou N'Dour, Shakin' The Tree

Waiting your time, dreaming of a better life
Waiting your time, so much more than just a wife
You don't have to do what your mother has done
She has done

This is your life, this new life has begun

It's your day, Woman's Day

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Turning the tide you are now on the incoming wave

Turning the tide you know you are nobody's slave

Find the brothers and sisters

who can hear all the truth in what you say

They can support you when you are on your way.

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SOUMA YERGON, SOU NOU YERGON, WE ARE SHAKIN' THE TREE

[If we had known, if we only had known] (3 times)

Changing your ways, changing those surrounding you Changing your ways, more than any man can

Open your heart, show him the anger and pain so you heal

Mabe he's looking for his womanly side, let him feel

You have to be so strong

And you do nothing wrong

Nothing wrong at all

We have to shake it down

We're gonna break it down

All around the town

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[If we had known, if we only had known] (7 times)