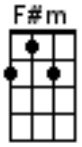
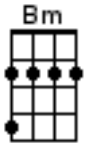
I Am Woman — Helen Reddy





[D] [G] [F#m] [Bm] [G] [D] [G] [A]

I am **[D]** woman, hear me **[G]** roar,
in numbers **[F#m]** too big to ig-**[Bm]**-nore
and I **[G]** know too much to **[D]** go back and pret-**[G]**-end **[A]**
'Cause I've **[D]** heard it all be-**[G]**-fore,
and I've been **[F#m]** down there on the **[Bm]** floor;
no one's **[G]** ever gonna **[D]** keep me down a-**[A]**-gain **[C]**

Chorus:
Oh, **[C]** yes I am wise; but it's **[F]** wisdom born of **[C]** pain
[C] Yes, I've paid the price; but **[F]** look how much I **[Em]** gained
If I **[C]** have to, **[F]** I can do **[Em]** anything
I am **[Dm]** strong, (strong)
I am in-**[C]**-vincible, (invincible)
I am **[F]** woman **[F]** **[D >]**

You can **[D]** bend but never **[G]** break me,
'Cause it **[F#m]** only serves to **[Bm]** make me;
more de-**[G]**-termined to a-**[D]**-chieve my final **[G]** goal **[A]**
And I **[D]** come back even **[G]** stronger,
not a **[F#m]** novice any **[Bm]** longer;
'Cause you've **[G]** deepened the con-**[D]**-viction in my **[A]** soul **[C]**

Repeat Chorus

I am **[D]** woman watch me **[G]** grow,
see me **[F#m]** standing toe to **[Bm]** toe;
as I **[G]** spread my lovin' **[D]** arms across the **[G]** la-and **[A]**
But I'm **[D]** still an embry-**[G]**-o,
with a **[F#m]** long long way to **[Bm]** go;
un-**[G]**-til I make my **[D]** brothers under-**[A]**-stand **[C]**

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