

SHAKING THE TREE

SOUMA YERGON, SOU NOU YERGON, WE ARE SHAKIN' THE TREE
means – If we had known, if we only had known

Waiting your time, dreaming of a better life
Waiting your time, youre more than just a wife
You dont want to do what your mother has done
She has done
This is your life, this new life has begun
Its your day – a womans day
Its your day – a womans day

Turning the tide, you are on the incoming wave
Turning the tide, you know you are nobodys slave
1989 version – find your brothers and sisters
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Who can hear all the truth in what you say
They can support you when youre on your way
Its your day – a womans day
Its your day – a womans day

chorus

Theres nothing to gain when theres nothing to be lost
Theres nothing to gain if you stay behind and count the cost
Make the decision that you can be who you can be
You can be
Tasting the fruit come to the liberty tree
Its your day – a womans day
Its your day – a womans day

Changing your ways, changing those surrounding you
Changing your ways, more than any man can do
Open your heart, show him the anger and pain, so you heal
Maybe hes looking for his womanly side, let him feel

You had to be so strong
And you do nothing wrong
Nothing wrong at all
Were gonna to break it down
We have to shake it down
Shake it all around