

# A Man

## Alanis Morissette

I am a man as a man I've been told  
Bacon is brought to the house in this mold  
Born of your bellies I yearn for the cord  
Years I have groveled, repentance ignored  
And I have been blamed and I have repented  
I'm working my way toward our union mended  
I am man who has grown from a son  
Been crucified by enraged women  
I am son who was raised by such men  
I'm often reminded of the fools I'm among  
And I have been shamed and I have relented  
I'm working my way toward our union mended  
And I have been shamed and I have repented  
I'm working my way toward our union mended  
We don't fare well with endless reprimands

We don't do well with a life served as a sentence  
And this won't work well if you're hell bent on your offense  
'Cause I am a man who understands your resistance  
I am a man who still does what he can  
To dispel our archaic reputation  
I am a man who has heard all he can  
'Cuz I don't fare well with endless punishment  
'Cuz I have been blamed and I have repented  
I'm working my way toward our union mended  
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