

# Angel from Montgomery (John Prine)

**Ben Harper**

I am an old woman named after my mother  
My old man is another child that's grown old  
If dreams were thunder and lightning was desire  
This old house would've burnt down a long time ago  
Make me an angel that flies from Montgomery  
Make me a poster of an old rodeo  
Just give me one thing that I can hold on to  
To believe in this living is just a hard way to go  
When I was a young girl I had me a cowboy,  
Wa'n't much to look at, just a free ramblin' man  
But that was a long time, and no matter how I try,  
The years just flow by like a broken-down dam  
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Make me a poster of an old rodeo  
Just give me one thing that I can hold on to  
To believe in this living is just a hard way to go  
There's flies in the kitchen, I can hear all their buzzin'  
but I ain't done nothin' since I woke up today  
I am kind of person goes to work in the morning  
come home in the evenin' and have nothin' to say  
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