

# He Made a Woman out of Me

**Julie Roberts**

I was born on a levy  
A little bit south of Montgomery  
Mama worked in the big house  
And Daddy, he worked for the county  
I never had no learning' until I turned 16  
When Joe Henry came up the river, y'all  
Lord, he made a woman out of me I used to tease Joe Henry  
I guess it served me right  
It wasn't long till he left me  
Cryin' out in the night  
Joe Henry had his say  
He wouldn't set me free  
Well, I'm here to tell everybody  
That man made a woman out of me  
Lord, he made a woman out of me When I think back to that day so long ago  
I got a little feel in' on my mind  
Although it hurt me, there's one thing I know  
When he left, he left a woman behind  
When I met a mother young man  
Wantin' to love and run  
My mind goes back to Joe Henry James  
And the heck of a job he done  
Ain't no other man let me down  
You see, I've been set free  
Ever since way back yonder  
When Joe made a woman out of me Lord, he made a woman out of me  
Lord, he made a woman out of me

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