

## **Brandi Carlile**

### **"Raise Hell"**

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I've been down with a broken heart since the day I  
learned to speak  
The devil gave me a crooked start when he gave me  
crooked feet  
But Gabriel done came to me and kissed me in my  
sleep  
And I'll be singnin' like an angel until I'm six feet deep  
I found myself an omen and I tattooed on a sign  
I set my mind to wanderin' and walk a broken line  
You have a mind to keep me quiet and although you  
can try  
Better men have hit there knees and bigger men have  
died  
I'm gonna raise, raise hell  
There's a story no one tells  
That you gotta raise, Raise hell  
Go on now ring that bell  
It came upon a lightning strike and eyes of bright clear  
blue  
I took that tie from around my neck and gave my heart  
to you  
I sent my love across the sea and though I didn't cry  
That voice will haunt my every dream until the day I die  
I'm gonna raise, raise hell  
There's a story no one tells  
That you gotta raise, Raise hell  
Go on now ring that bell  
I dug a hole inside my heart to put you in your grave  
at this point it was you or me and mama didn't raise no  
slave  
You took my face in both your hands and looked me in  
the eye  
And I went down with such a force that in your grave I  
lie  
I'm gonna raise, raise hell  
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