

## India.Arie "Promises"

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When I think about the turn my life has taken  
I know it's because of you that I receive so many  
blessings  
I had a home but no privacy  
I didn't know a thing about my legacy  
When I realized you were there for me  
I called on your name and you came

You did just what you said for that I'll love you forever  
You kept your word to me for that I'll love you forever

A promise is a promise in my eyes  
Can't say you're gonna just to compromise  
The very thing that keeps two hearts intertwined  
A promise is a promise you can't deny, there's no way

I think of when there was a young boy not even two  
years old  
Blessed with a mother who loved him so  
She abandoned her dreams to nourish his own  
It wasn't easy for the two of them  
But she knew she had to give him a chance  
At a better life, it was only right, so she worked and she  
prayed

And she did just what she said for that he'll love her  
forever  
She kept her word to him for that he'll love her forever

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A man's only as good as his word

Check this out  
Her wedding day and she's thinking about the way he  
won her affection  
She was so cynical about love  
'Cause she didn't want to be heart broken again  
He looked her in her eye with sincerity  
Said he only wanted to protect her so she

Took a chance on him and she's glad  
She did because he came for real

And he did just what he said, for that she'll love him  
forever  
He kept his word to her, an' for that she'll love him  
forever

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Can't say you're gonna just to compromise  
The very thing that keeps two hearts intertwined  
A promise is a promise you can't deny, there's no way  
No way, no, there ain't no way  
The man's only as good as his word

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