

## Bad Woman – Craig Chaquico (2012)

(example of the “Blues” style of music)

“Blues” is a music genre and musical form which originated in the Deep South of the United States during the 1860s by African-Americans. The majority of Blues songs tell of a relationship gone bad or broken, usually through cheating, separation or death.

I'm gonna light me a candle  
And say a prayer tonight  
'Cause a black shadow crossed my path  
And my baby ain't coming back  
There's a cold wind a-blowing  
Even though it's 96 degrees  
And I'm crying out for someone  
To help me, even though I can't see  
That she's a bad bad woman  
Spending every dollar that I make  
Oh, she's a bad bad woman  
And there's nothing I can say

*[Musical interlude]*

Oh, gonna buy me a black El Dorado  
Or maybe a baby-red Corvette  
Anything, anything to help me, oh Lord  
Anything to help me try and forget  
Those long legs and kisses  
Are why she closed, she closed her eyes  
She'd wrap herself around me  
Oh, I can't believe they were lies

**Chorus:** 'Cause she's a bad bad woman  
She's a bad bad woman (she's such a bad girl)  
She's a bad bad woman, she's a bad bad girl  
She's a bad bad woman (I don't want her no more)  
She's a bad bad girl (she's a bad bad woman)  
She turned around your world

*[Musical interlude]*

Oh, I know, I know, I know, I know  
I'm not the only one  
There's a whole lotta pain going round  
But I can't think about anyone else  
'Cause it's me that's gonna drown  
Throw me a life-saver (she ain't worth it)  
'Cause I'm drowning in a sea of despair (she's no good)  
I know she's no good (you can do better)  
No, could I really do better  
Because I'm going down

*[Chorus]*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iGdBeNTuWT8>

