

## **The Wonder of Being a Woman**

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I can rouse each morning, smile at the dawn, and embrace each new day

I can look in the mirror and know that I am beautiful just the way I am

I can go anywhere I please and still be welcomed and respected

I can be carefree, hard working, blissful, and busy all at the same time

I can speak my thoughts and announce my views and not fear what others think

I can fuss with my hair and clothes and pull out those tiny details that really make me unforgettable

I can let my worries go, be the real me, strut my stuff, and loose myself in the underlying joy of living

I can know that my laugh, smile, and personality is unlike any other and is what truly makes me, me

And when I slip into sleep each night

I can be assured of a tomorrow, like each day, full of confidence, comfort, and the wonder of being a woman