

# When a Man Loves a Woman Percy Sledge

**Intro:** F Am Dm F7 Bb C7 F C7

When a [F] man loves a [Am] woman  
[Dm] Can't keep his mind on [F7] nothing else  
[Bb] He'll trade the [C] world  
For the good thing he's [F] found [C7]  
If she's [F] bad he can't [Am] see it  
[Dm] She can do no [F7] wrong  
[Bb] Turn his back on [C] his best friend  
If he put her [F] down [C7]

When a [F] man loves a [Am] woman  
[Dm] Spend his very last [F7] dime  
[Bb] Tryin' to hold on [C] to what he [F] needs [C7]  
He'd give [F] up all of his [Am] comfort  
[Dm] Sleep out in the [F7] rain  
[Bb] If she said [C] that's the way it ought to [F] be [F7]

[Bb] Well, this [C] man loves a [F] woman [F7]  
[Bb] I gave you [C] everything I [F] had [F7]  
[Bb] Tryin' to [C7] hold on to [F] your [A7] precious [Dm] love  
[G7] Baby, please don't treat me [C] bad [C+]

When a [F] man loves a [Am] woman  
[Dm] Down deep in [F7] his soul  
[Bb] She can bring him [C7] such mis[e]ry [C7]  
If [F] she plays him for a [Am] fool  
[Dm] He's the last one [F7] to know  
[Bb] Lovin' [C7] eyes can't ever [F] see [F7]

[Bb] Well, this [C] man loves a [F] woman [F7]  
[Bb] I gave you [C] everything I [F] had [F7]  
[Bb] Tryin' to [C7] hold on to [F] your [A7] precious [Dm] love  
[G7] Baby, please don't treat me [C] bad [C+]

When a [F] man loves a [Am] woman  
[Dm] He can do [F7] no wrong  
[Bb] He can never [C] own some other [F] girl [C7]  
Yes when a [F] man loves a [Am] woman  
[Dm] I know exactly how [F7] he feels  
'Cause [Bb] baby, baby, [C7] baby, you're my [F] world [C7]

**Outro:** F Am Dm F7 Bb C7 F F/C

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