

Beyoncé - "If I Were A Boy"

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Identify and write in the missing words.
2. Try to think of at least two words that rhyme with each missing word.
3. Identify any new phrasal verbs or other vocabulary.
4. How does the song use conditional phrases? What are the conditions, and what are the results?
5. How would your life be different if you were a member of the opposite sex? Give five examples.
6. In what ways does society treat men and women differently? Do you think men or women have it easier, and why?
7. Comment or agree/disagree: "There are double standards for men and women."

If I were a boy even just for a day
I'd _____ out of bed in the morning
And _____ on what I wanted and go
Drink beer with the guys
and _____ after girls
I'd kick it with who I wanted
And I'd never get confronted for it
'Cause they'd _____ up for me

If I were a boy
I think I _____ understand
How it feels to love a girl
I _____ I'd be a better man

I'd listen to her
'Cause I know how it hurts
When you _____ the one you wanted
'Cause he's taking you for granted
And everything you had got destroyed

If I were a boy
I would _____ off my phone
Tell everyone it's broken
So they'd think that I was _____ alone

I'd put myself _____
And make the _____ as I go
'Cause I know that she'd be faithful

Waiting for me to _____ home, to come home

If I were a boy
I think I _____ understand
How it feels to love a girl
I _____ I'd be a better man

I'd listen to her
'Cause I know how it hurts
When you lose the one you wanted
'Cause he's taking you for granted
And everything you had got destroyed

It's a little too _____ for you to come back
Say it's just a mistake
Think I'd forgive you like that
If you _____ I would wait for you
You thought wrong

But you're just a boy
You don't understand
And _____ don't understand, oh
How it feels to love a girl
Someday you'll wish you were a better man

You don't listen to her
You don't _____ how it hurts
Until you lose the one you wanted
'Cause you're taking her for granted
And everything you had got destroyed
But you're just a boy