

Beyoncé - If I were a Boy

Listen to the song, and fill the gaps with the second conditional phrases on the right. Then, for the second half of the song, choose the correct option.

If I were a boy even just for a day
I'd ¹ _____ in the morning
And throw on what I wanted and go
Drink beer with the guys
And chase after girls
I'd ² _____ with who I wanted
And I'd ³ _____ for it.
'Cause they'd stick up for me.

Chorus

If I were a boy

I think I ⁴ _____ how it feels to love a girl
I swear I'd be a better man.
I'd _____ to her
'Cause I know how it hurts
When you lose the one you wanted
'Cause he's taken you for granted
And everything you had got destroyed

If I were a boy

I would ⁵ _____ my phone
Tell everyone it's broken
So they'd think that I was sleeping alone
I'd ⁶ _____
And make the rules as I go
'Cause I know that she'd be faithful
Waiting for me to come home

Repeat chorus

It's a ⁷**little/bit** too late for you to come back
Say it's just ⁸**a mistake/an error**
Think I'd forgive you like that
If you ⁹**knew/thought** I would wait for you
You thought wrong

But you're just a ¹⁰**toy/boy**, you don't understand
Yeah, you don't understand, oh
How it feels to ¹¹**love/have** a girl someday
You wish you were a better man
You don't ¹²**imprison/listen to** her
You don't care how it hurts
Until you ¹³**lose/choose** the one you wanted
'Cause you've taken her for granted
And everything you had got destroyed

Expressions:

could understand
kick it
listen
never get confronted
put myself first
roll out of bed
turn off