

Conditional Sentences

These sentences are based on the lyrics of *It will rain*.

Complete them with the correct conditional form (zero-first-second-third).

Remember that we can also use imagine/suppose (questions); provided/as long as and assuming instead of if in conditional sentences.

- 1 If she'd left him, he (take) a whole lot of medication.
- 2 He thinks that it (not stop) raining if she leaves him.
- 3 If religion (can) save him he'd kneel on the floor and be thankful.
- 4 If somebody you love suddenly (leave) you, you often suffer a lot.
- 5 There's no morphine that (give) you relief if your heart is broken.
- 6 Even if he made a lot of sacrifices for her, he not keep (may) her by his side.
- 7 If someone you trust (walk) away, there are only tears in your eyes.
- 8 Suppose she decides to go away even though he writes her a song.
..... (he - really- feel) so depressed?
- 9 If he (lose) her, for him there'll be no sunlight any more.
- 10 Assuming his girlfriend had left him, her friend Mary certainly (help) him forget all about her.
- 11 If you (be) in her mother's shoes,
(you - be) convinced that he is a good person?
- 12 If her father (not think) he was just a troublesome boy,
..... (he- allow) his daughter to go on dating him?
- 13 If the girl (keep) in her mind all the sacrifices he's been making to keep her beside him, she (not leave) him.
- 14 There (not be) any clear skies for him, if she
..... (go) away with someone else.
- 15 She (stay) with him if he (can) change her parents' minds, but that will never happen.
- 16 The boy (feel) more self-assured if her father could look him in the eyes.
- 17 He (may) stop her from going away if he convinced her parents that he (can) change.
- 18 Provided that her parents (not be) afraid of something they find difficult to understand, that boy and his girl will soon get married.
- 19 Her parents (change) their minds about him as long as he becomes a hard-working man.
- 20 If they could understand his way of being, they (be) afraid.



- 21 If they break up, both of them (cry) their eyes out.
- 22 If he (accept) that job he was offered in the big city last year, he wouldn't have had to deal with so much difficulty .
- 23 If he were her mother's favourite, he (not have to) be so unhappy.
- 24 If she (already - say) goodbye, he wouldn't have suffered so much.
- 25 If she (listen) her mother's advice, she wouldn't have had so many problems.