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**If you were a sailboat**

If you \_\_\_\_\_ (be) a cowboy I \_\_\_\_\_ (trail°) you,  
 If you were a piece of \_\_\_\_\_ I'd nail you to the floor.  
 If you were a sailboat I \_\_\_\_\_ (sail) you to the shore°.  
 If you were a \_\_\_\_\_ I would swim you,  
 If you were a house I would live in you all my days.  
 If you were a preacher° I'd begin to \_\_\_\_\_ my ways.

Sometimes I believe \_\_\_\_\_ fate°, but the chances° we create,  
 Always seem to ring more true.  
 You took a chance° on loving me, I took a chance on loving you.

If I \_\_\_\_\_ (be) in jail I know you'd spring° me,  
 If I was a \_\_\_\_\_ you'd ring me all day long.  
 If I was in pain I know you'd sing me soothing° songs.

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 Always seem to ring more true.  
 You took a chance on loving me, I took a chance on loving you.

If I was \_\_\_\_\_ you would feed° me,  
 If I was in darkness you would lead me to the \_\_\_\_\_.  
 If I was a \_\_\_\_\_ I know you'd read me every night.

*Please fill in the correct forms of the verbs in brackets and the words below.*

light – wood – telephone – change  
 – book – river – in (2x) – hungry

**Vocabulary**

to trail *folgen*  
 shore *Küste*  
 preacher *Prediger*  
 fate *Schicksal*  
 chances *Möglichkeiten*  
 to take a chance *ein Risiko eingehen*  
 to spring (here) *befreien*  
 soothing *besänftigend*  
 to feed *ernähren*