

- a** Listen to the song. Are the phrases in **bold** right or wrong? Put a tick (✓) or a cross (X) in column A. Listen again and correct the wrong phrases in column B.
- b** Listen to the song again and read the lyrics with the glossary. What does the singer wish she had/hadn't done and what does she wish she could do?

If I could turn back time

	A	B
If I could turn back time		
If I could know where to go	1 _____	_____
I'd take back those words that have hurt you	2 _____	_____
And you wouldn't go	3 _____	_____
I don't know why I did the things I did	4 _____	_____
I don't know why I told you what I did	5 _____	_____
Pride's like a knife it can cut deep inside	6 _____	_____
Words are like weapons, they wound	7 _____	_____
sometimes.		
I didn't want to hurt you,	8 _____	_____
I didn't want you to leave,	9 _____	_____
I know I made you cry, but baby	10 _____	_____
<i>CHORUS (If I could turn back time...)</i>		
If I could reach the stars	11 _____	_____
I'd give them to you as a present	12 _____	_____
Then you'd love me, love me	13 _____	_____
Like you did before	14 _____	_____
If I could turn back time		
My world was shattered, I was torn apart	15 _____	_____
Like someone took a knife and drove it deep	16 _____	_____
in my heart		
You walked out that door, I swore that it	17 _____	_____
didn't matter,		
But I lost everything darling at that moment	18 _____	_____
Too strong to tell you I regretted it	19 _____	_____
Too proud to tell you I was wrong	20 _____	_____
I know that I was blind, and darling...	21 _____	_____
<i>CHORUS (If I could turn back time..., If I could reach the stars...)</i>		



Glossary

wound /wu:nd/ = hurt
 shattered = past participle of *shatter* = break into small pieces
 torn apart = past participle of *tear apart* = pull so that it breaks
 swore = past tense of *swear* = promised

Song facts

If I could turn back time was made famous by the American singer Cher on her best-selling album *Heart of Stone*. The video for this song was filmed on board the American warship *USS Missouri*.