If I Were...

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If I were an officer,
I'd uphold the law.
I'd do what is right.
No weapon I'd draw.
Color won't matter.
Where you live, I won't care.
If you feel unsafe,
count on me there.

If I were a teacher,
I'd help all I could.
If you struggled at all,
I'd show, you I would.
You wouldn't be bored.
You wouldn't be scared.
I'd teach more than facts.
You'd know that I cared.

If I were a doctor,
My job would mean more.
If you were sick or ill,
It wouldn't matter if you were poor.
I'd pay if I could,
Or I'd do it for free.
Your health is what matters,
That's how it should be.

Race shouldn't matter,
Wealth makes us blind.
Doing right brings us closer
It's what's best for mankind.
We can't control it all,
Where we live or what others do.
We should do it for the good,
With nothing more to prove.