

THE DET IF GENERATION NOUN

Nowadays ADV , many ADJ people NOUN have VERB issues NOUN with SCONJ app VERB re ADP ciating VERB what they PRON have VERB ; it PRON is AUX always ADV the DET matter NOUN of ADP ' If SCONJ I PRON were AUX richer ADJ ... , ' If SCONJ I PRON were AUX younger ADJ ... , ' If SCONJ I PRON were AUX him PRON ... ' etc X . I PRON don AUX 't PART have VERB a DET problem NOUN with ADP the DET fact NOUN that SCONJ we PRON want VERB more ADJ from ADP our PRON lives NOUN ; what PRON annoys VERB me PRON is AUX the DET fact NOUN that SCONJ we PRON keep saying VERB what we PRON would AUX do VERB ' IF NOUN ' ...

When ADV I PRON was AUX younger ADJ , I PRON thought VERB that if SCONJ my PRON parents NOUN had been AUX richer ADJ I PRON could have been AUX more ADV fortunate ADJ with ADP my PRON life NOUN . I PRON was AUX losing VERB my PRON time NOUN on SCONJ thinking VERB that if SCONJ I PRON had been AUX born VERB in ADP the DET family NOUN of ADP my PRON cousin NOUN , I PRON would have AUX enjoyed VERB private ADJ tennis lessons NOUN , skiing holidays NOUN in ADP Austria PROPON or CCONJ expensive ADJ , fashionable ADJ clothes NOUN .

What I PRON didn AUX 't PART take VERB into ADP consideration NOUN back then ADV was AUX the DET fact NOUN that SCONJ I PRON didn AUX 't PART really ADV like VERB sport NOUN , I PRON absolutely ADV hated VERB skiing NOUN and CCONJ expensive ADJ clothes NOUN often ADV covered VERB the DET lack NOUN of ADP personality NOUN . In ADP other ADJ words NOUN , I PRON was AUX jealous ADJ of ADP the DET things NOUN that I PRON didn AUX 't PART want VERB in ADP reality NOUN . Nowadays ADV I PRON keep finding VERB myself PRON the DET new ADJ ' ifs NOUN ' that PRON can AUX successfully ADV keep VERB me PRON away ADV from SCONJ being AUX happy ADJ . I PRON think VERB that if SCONJ I PRON had VERB more ADJ time NOUN , I PRON would AUX start going VERB to ADP the DET gym NOUN ; if SCONJ I PRON had VERB more ADJ money NOUN , I PRON would AUX eat VERB healthy ADJ etc X . Result NOUN ? An DET overweight ADJ 30 NUM - year NOUN - old ADJ woman NOUN , always ADV complaining VERB about SCONJ how ADV difficult ADJ life NOUN is AUX . But CCONJ the DET problem NOUN of ADP ' ifs NOUN ' doesn AUX 't PART finish VERB here ADV . We PRON tend VERB to PART overuse VERB the DET 1st ADJ conditional NOUN in ADP quite ADV straightforward ADJ situations NOUN .

' I PRON 'll AUX visit VERB you PRON if SCONJ I PRON have VERB time NOUN ' usually ADV means VERB ' I PRON won AUX 't PART visit VERB you PRON , I PRON 'm AUX busy ADJ ' or CCONJ ' I PRON will AUX lend VERB you PRON the DET money NOUN if SCONJ I PRON can AUX ' equals VERB : ' I PRON will AUX not PART lend VERB you PRON the DET money NOUN ,

don't put me in an uncomfortable situation! Why
do we choose to send confusing messages when
we can simply say what we think? We have to
be not only politically correct anymore, we must be socially
correct too.