

# If I Had a VOCA (Voice Output Communication Aid)

(Tune: If I Had a Hammer)\*

If I had a VOCA,  
I'd talk in the morning  
I'd talk in the evening  
All over this land

I'd talk about justice,  
I'd talk about freedom,  
I'd talk about love between  
my brothers and my sisters,  
All over this land,

If I had a keyboard,  
I'd type in the morning,  
I'd type in the evening,  
All over this land

I'd type about justice,  
I'd type about freedom,  
I'd type about love between  
my brothers and my sisters,  
All over this land.

If I had a story,  
I'd write it in the morning,

I'd write it in the evening,  
All over this land

I'd write about justice,  
I'd write about freedom,  
I'd write about love between  
my brothers and my sisters,  
All over this land.

Well I got a VOCA,  
And I got a keyboard,  
And I got a story to write,  
All over this land.

It's the VOCA of Justice,  
It's the keyboard of Freedom,  
It's the story about Love  
between my brothers and my sisters,  
All over this land.

It's the VOCA of Justice,  
It's the keyboard of Freedom,  
It's the story about Love between  
my brothers and my sisters, All over this land.

Adapted lyrics by Judy Bailey and friends, TASH Communications Committee 2009. Original words and music of "If I Had a Hammer" were by Lee Hays and Pete Seeger. The arrangement used in "If I Had a VOCA" on YouTube was by Peter, Paul and Mary, who brought the Hays and Seeger song to a new generation. [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KJi\\_Si\\_jTHk](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KJi_Si_jTHk)

Song only--If I Had a VOCA short version: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XG0kXjXu2Yo>