A Series of Lies

This poem is a formula that uses hyperbole, a form of figurative language that is over-exaggeration of an idea. You will write a series of lies about yourself or someone else. Chose something you would like to lie about such as: intelligence, looks, personality trait etc.

Follow the example and write the formula poem.

EXAMPLE: *note: When you write your poem, don't include the letters and numbers.

TITLE: Gorgeous
A1. I wish I were not so handsome.
B2. My amazing good looks make it difficult
3. for me to go shopping at South County Mall
4. without sales girls fainting at my approach.
5. Brad Pitt writes me hate mail saying I should die a death of torture.
6. Hollywood plastic surgeons use my features as a model for their clients..
7. Megan Fox begs me for a date,
8. and I have to hide from the entire chorus line at Caesar's Palace.
C9-12. If I were to walk
in Forest Park on Sundays,
girls would desert their boyfriends' arms
to throw kisses at me from behind the bushes.

ASSIGNMENT: Practice writing one or two Series of Lies poem on the lines provided or on separate paper.

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