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Cohen, Miriam Jim's Dog Muffins

A friend helps Jim to remember the good times and good memories he had with his dog.

Joose, Barbara Better With Two

Describes the death of a neighbor's dog and the need for friendship.

Libby, Barbara Old Cat

Rogers, Fred When A Pet Dies

Explores the feelings of frustration, sadness, and loneliness that a youngster may feel when a pet

dies.

Rylant, Cynthia <u>Dog Heaven</u>

Child-inspired illustrations.

Cat Heaven

Sanford, Doris

It Must Hurt A Lot

 $Through \ the \ death \ of \ a \ dog, \ secrets \ of \ growth \ are \ learned.$ 

Viorst, Judith The 10th Good Thing About Barney

Death of a pet cat--remembrance and ritual.

Wahl, Mats <u>Grandfather's Laika</u>

A fully developed story of the death of a family pet and how a young boy is affected.

Wallace-Brodeur, Ruth <u>Goodbye Mitch</u>

*Illness and death of a cat.* 

Wilhelm, Hans

<u>I'll Always Love You</u>

Story of a young boy dealing with the loss of his dog.

Wittbold, Maureen <u>Mending Peter's Heart</u>

Death of Peter's pet dog.

Zolotow, Charlotte <u>The Old Dog</u> *Ben mourns the loss of his friend, an old brown and white dog* 

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