

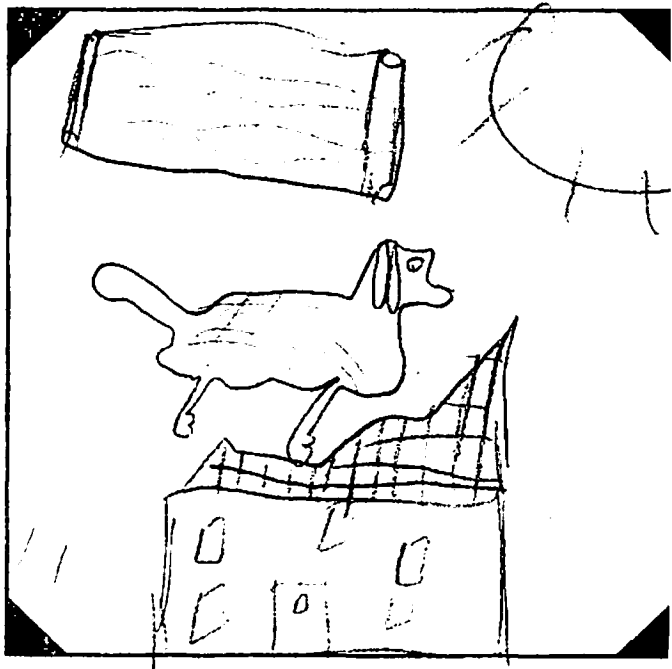
# Word Portrait of an Animal I Love

"Nobody else loves you as much as a dog. Except your ma, maybe."

—Marty Preston

We can all relate to Marty when he falls in love with Shiloh. Most of us have, at one time or another, loved an animal dearly. Use this page to describe an animal you love. Use lots of detailed descriptions of the animal. What is its personality? When and where did you get it? What does it like to do? Attach a photo of your animal in the space provided. Feel free to use the back of this sheet if you need more space.

My grandma has a dog and he has been my best friend for a long time. His name is Blaze, and he is a 12 year old Golden Retriever. He is very big with brown shaggy hair and brown eyes. He used to circle his long body around my baby holder like he was protecting me. Now Blaze and I play



catch with each other. We also play tug with a long rope, but he always wins. And in the summer when I go swimming I might drop a ball out of the pool and he will go get it and give it to me. But he does not like to get wet at all! I've tried to make him go swimming with me many, many times but he always refuses. But I still love him a whole lot. That is the dog that I love the most.

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