**Title: A dog named Sam**

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Sam loved to fetch.  He loved it more than barking.  He loved it more than chewing.  He loved it more than digging holes in the ground.

In the morning Sam fetched every sock in the drawer for Noah.  “Good dog, Sam!” said Noah.  Sam fetched all the shoes in the closet for Molly.  “Thanks, Sam,” said Molly.

Sam walked Molly and Noah to the bus stop.  On the way he fetched balls.  He fetched sticks.  He fetched everything that he could fit into his mouth.

The school bus came.  Molly and Noah got on.  Sam was left behind.

He had to fetch something…

THUCK!  Sam heard the newspaper land on the porch.  He fetched it.

“What a good dog!” said Father.  HE patted Sam’s head and left for work.  And Sam fetched every newspaper from every porch on the block.

“No, Sam!” said Mother.  She had to return every newspaper to every porch on the block.  Mother was not happy.

While Mother was gone, Sam saw socks hanging on the clothesline next door.  They looked like Noah’s socks.  Sam fetched them.  When Mother came back, Sam had fetched the whole clothesline.

“Oh Sam, how shall I do with you?” said Mother.  She had to put back the clothesline and all of the clothes.  “No more fetching,” said Mother.

Sam climbed up on Noah’s bed. He put his chin on his paws.  He had to fetch something.  Sam heard the school bus.  Now he knew what he had to fetch!

Sam rushed down the stairs.  He ran to the door.  Mother opened it wide.  Sam flew out of the house.  He raced to the bus stop.

And he fetched Molly and Noah.  Sam loved to fetch!

Sam liked water.  He was made for it.  His tails was flat.  His toes were webbed.  His fur was thick and tight.  Whenever Sam saw water.  He jumped in.

Sam followed Molly and Noah to the beach. He leaped into the water.

“Get out of the water” shouted the lifeguard. “No dogs allowed!”

Sam went fishing with Father. He jumped into the lake.

“Get out of the water” cried all of the other fishermen. “You are scaring the fish!”

Wherever he went, Sam heard, “Get out of the water, Sam!”