

Love Hurts

By Virginia Skinner

Aching pain
But no way to stop it
'Cause it's in my heart
Even Advil won't stop it
Don't even try
For it destroyed my heart
Gone in a flash
Hole in my chest
And he doesn't even know it.

Frisbee Dog

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Come on boy, you wanna go outside?
I better grab a handful of treats
Smiling, he jumps just like a pogo stick
I scream, "Don't go in the street!"
Edison snatches up the Frisbee with one big chomp
He sets it down and gives my face a lick
He crouches with anticipation right before take off
With a quick toss, he's after his favorite toy, better than any stick
Tiny tags on his turquoise collar jingle when he sprints
He swishes his tail as he leaves the ground
Paws tucked up, a curly black poodle flies through the balmy air
Seeming more graceful than any hound



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