

Barney

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Oh, Lord creator of this magnificent word.

Thank you for bringing Barney to us. Little did we know that when this somber guy first sat on our foot how much our lives would be changed.

We have spent many years together, but now we will travel separate paths.

He has been a good, faithful, loving and forgiving friend, much more than we could have expected.

It is time for us to prove that we have been good stewards of this wonderful hound that you have placed in our care.

It hurts so much.

When you loaned him to us, he was young, vibrant and abandoned. Now we return him, well used and greatly loved.

He has worked hard to please us over the years. His life has turned into more struggle than comfort.

It is time to let him have the rest he has justly earned and deserves.

Lord, you have blessed us with Barney.

Please accept him back, bless him and hold him in your loving peace.

Amen