

# A Prehistoric Pet


If you had lived back in the days of the dinosaurs  
And decided that you'd like to have a pet,  
You couldn't go and buy one at the local store,  
For pet stores hadn't been invented yet.  
You would have to find the kind you liked  
Out in the jungles deep,  
But your choice of pets then wouldn't be the same  
As the kind of pets that children  
Who live now days like to keep.  
But there's one who lived both now and then,  
Hey, can you guess his name?

It's a ! No, cats were not around then. . .

A ! No, dogs could not be found then. . .

A ! No, there weren't any birds, love. . .

A ! No, rabbits still weren't heard of. . .

A ! 'Fraid you'll have to guess again. . .

A ! Oh, you're getting closer, friends.

Tell you what I'll do, I'll give one clue:  
Now, where should I begin? Oh, he crawled  
real slow  
And where he'd go his home would go  
with him.

It was made of shell. Now who can tell  
The name of this old friend?

*It's a turtle!* Yup, how could we forget him,  
*A turtle!* He lived long ago, but yet  
After all these years, well, he's still here,  
Our prehistoric pet.

*It's a turtle!*

